



# CITY OF ST. CLAIR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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## ELECTION FILING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Minnesota Statute 204B.33 a General Election will be held in the City of St. Clair on Tuesday, November 08, 2016, for the purpose of electing candidates for the following City offices:

MAYOR: 1 position – 2 year term  
COUNCIL MEMBER: 2 positions – 4 year terms

The period for filing Affidavits of Candidacy for these offices begins on Tuesday, August 2, 2016 and ends at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 16, 2016. Affidavits of Candidacy are filed with the City Clerk at the St. Clair City Hall, 304 Main Street West, St. Clair, Minnesota.

At the time of filing, each candidate shall pay the filing fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

A candidate for City Office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more upon assuming office, must be a resident of St. Clair at least 30 days before Election Day (November 8<sup>th</sup>), and must have no other Affidavit of Candidacy on file for any other office in the General Election.



Visit [www.mnvotes.org](http://www.mnvotes.org) the official voter resource from the Office of the Secretary of State for information about the following:

Voter Eligibility  
Polling Place Locations  
Voter Registration Information  
Absentee Voting Requirements  
and other Election Items and Related Links

You can also access Election information on the City website [www.stclair.govoffice2.com](http://www.stclair.govoffice2.com) and the Blue Earth County website



**PRIMARY ELECTION: Tuesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>**

In the City of St. Clair polls are open from 7 am - 8 pm.

The polling place for St. Clair residents is the St. Clair City Hall, 304 Main Street West, St. Clair.



## RECREATIONAL CAMPFIRE

A 3' X 3' recreational campfire using clean, dry, untreated wood is the only type of burning permitted in St. Clair. Burning leaves and grass is not allowed.



## GRASS CLIPPINGS

Please mow your lawn away from the street so your grass clippings do not end up in the City storm sewer. The storm sewers are not designed to handle quantities of leaves and grass clippings. During a rainstorm, grass clippings, leaves and other yard debris can quickly plug storm drains and pipes and cause back-ups and other problems.

## BUILDING PERMITS



A Building Permit is required for almost all building projects and construction in the City of St. Clair including: re-roof, window replacement, new furnace, new water softener, finishing basement, etc. Contact the City Clerk (245-3494) for a Building Permit Application or for other information before undertaking any building project.

Building and Zoning Information is also available on the City website [www.stclair.govoffice2.com](http://www.stclair.govoffice2.com) click on Building/Zoning on the left menu and on the City Building Inspector's website [www.buildingcodeinfo.com](http://www.buildingcodeinfo.com) (City Building Inspection Services, LLC, Dan Murphy, Building Official).

## ... MARK YOUR CALENDAR ...

### 7<sup>th</sup> Annual St. Clair Fire Dept. Pizza Fundraiser



Hosted by Mitt's BP

**Thursday, October 6<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

*during Fire Prevention Week*

Additional information and an order form will be mailed to St. Clair residents in late August/early September. Order forms will also be available on the City of St. Clair website [www.stclair.govoffice2.com](http://www.stclair.govoffice2.com)



## MEDICATION DROP-OFF SITE

The Blue Earth County Environmental Services Dept., the Blue Earth County Sheriff's Dept., Xcel Energy and Mayo Clinic Health System have partnered to bring the Medication Collection Program to Blue Earth County residents.

### DROP BOX LOCATION:

Blue Earth County  
Sheriff's Department  
Justice Center  
401 Carver Road  
Mankato MN 56001  
Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Monday-Friday)

### Items ALLOWED:

- Prescription Medications
- Over-the-Counter Medications
- Narcotics and Other Controlled Substances
- Medication Samples
- Pet Medications
- Vitamins and Supplements
- Medicated Ointments and Lotions
- Inhalers
- Liquid Medications in Glass or Leak-proof Containers

### Items NOT Allowed:

- Needles, Syringes or other Sharps
- Thermometers
- IV Bags
- Bloody or Infectious Waste
- Hydrogen Peroxide
- Business Waste

For disposal through the Blue Earth County Medication Collection Program, medications do not need to be in their original container. Remove as much packaging as possible. Containers with liquid contents should be placed in a plastic bag.

Medications dropped-off at the collection site are taken directly to an incinerator, where a deputy watches the destruction.

For more information visit the Blue Earth County website [www.co.blue-earth.mn.us](http://www.co.blue-earth.mn.us) or call 507-304-4242.