

PUBLIC NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-1 DRAFT WATER ORDINANCE TOWNSHIP OF STANDISH, MICHIGAN

11.2 RESTRICTIONS AND USES RESTRICTED DURING WATER CONSERVATION PERIOD

When the Township Supervisor declares that water conservation is necessary as provided herein, the use and withdrawal of water by any person from the system for any of the following purposes is hereby restricted such that customers with odd-numbered street addresses may use water for the following purposes on odd-numbered days only and customers with even-numbered street addresses may use water for the following purposes on even-numbered days only:

- A. **WATERING OF YARDS:** The sprinkling, watering of irrigation of shrubbery, trees, lawns, grass, ground covers, plants, vines, gardens, vegetables, flowers or any other vegetation, except in conjunction with the operation of a commercial greenhouse.
- B. **CLEANING OUTDOOR SURFACES:** The washing of sidewalks, driveways, filling station aprons, porches and other outdoor surfaces.
- C. **SWIMMING POOLS:** Swimming and wading pools not employing a filter and re-circulating system.

11.3 NOTICE OF WATER CONSERVATION PERIOD

When the Township declares a water conservation is necessary as provided herein, notice thereof shall be given to the official newspaper of the Township and to all radio and television stations maintaining offices or studios within the Township. Such notice shall advise of the time of commencement of such water conservation period; that the water conservation period will continue until notice of termination is given by the Supervisor; the restrictions and restricted uses; and the penalty for violation

11.4 PENALTY

Any person who knowingly, during any water restriction, use or withdraw water from the Township water distribution system for any of the purposes prohibited in the Section, will be punished by a civil infraction.

11.5 ENJOINING VIOLATIONS

Legal proceedings to enjoin the violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance may be brought in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the name of the Township of Standish. Such action will be taken only as authorized by the Township Board.

SECTION XII WATER EMERGENCY

12.1 DETERMINATION OF WATER EMERGENCY

When the Township Supervisor determines that the consumption of water by the Township has or is about to equal or exceed the total supply being received from the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of MI, he shall declare that critical water consumption period exists and the following water uses are prohibited during the continuance of such water emergency.

12.2 USES PROHIBITED DURING WATER EMERGENCY

- A. **WATERING OF YARDS:** Sprinkling, watering or irrigation of shrubbery, trees, lawns, grass, ground covers, plants, vines, gardens, vegetables, flowers or any other vegetation, except in conjunction with the operation of a commercial greenhouse.
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- C. **SWIMMING POOLS:** Swimming and wading pools not employing a filter and re-circulating system.

12.3 NOTICE OF WATER EMERGENCY

When the Township Supervisor declares that a water emergency exists as provided herein, notice thereof shall be given to the official newspaper of the Township and to all radio and television stations maintaining offices or studios within the Township. Such notice shall advise of the time of commencement of such emergency; that the emergency will continue until notice of termination is given by the Supervisor; the prohibited uses; and the penalty for violations.

12.4 TERMINATION OF WATER EMERGENCY

When the Township Supervisor determines the conditions which caused the declaration of the water emergency no longer exists, he shall so declare and give notice of such determination as provided above.

12.5 PENALTY

Any person who shall knowingly, during any water emergency, use or withdraw water from the Township water distribution system for any of the purposes prohibited in this Section shall be punished by a civil infraction with a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00). Each day's failure of compliance with any provision of this Section shall constitute a separate offense.

12.6 ENJOINING VIOLATIONS

Legal proceedings to enjoin the violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance may be brought in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the name of the Township of Standish. Such action shall be taken only as authorized by the Township Board.

SECTION XIII CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL PROGRAM

13.1 INTRODUCTION

In accordance with the requirements set forth by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy, the Township adopts by reference the current version of, and future amendments to, the Water Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy.

13.2 LOCAL ORDINANCE

The authority to carry out and enforce a local cross connection control program will be in accordance with this ordinance, any other amendments thereto and in accordance with the Cross Connection Rules Manual published by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy

13.3 LOCAL INSPECTION

The Township and/or designated agent, or such other person designated by the Township Board, will be responsible for making the initial cross connection inspections and re-inspections to check for the presence of cross connections with the system. Individuals responsible for carrying out the cross connection inspections and re-inspections will have obtained necessary training through any available manuals on cross connection prevention including the Cross Connection Rules Manual published by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy and attendance at any cross connection training sessions sponsored by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy.

13.4 COMPLIANCE TIME

The time allowed for correction or elimination of any cross connection found shall be as follows:

- A. Cross connections which pose an imminent and extreme hazard must be disconnected immediately and so maintained until necessary protective devices or modifications are made.
- B. Cross connections which do not pose an imminent and extreme hazard to the system should be corrected within a reasonable period of time. A reasonable period of time allowed for correction may vary depending on the type of device necessary for protection. The Township will communicate to each customer where a cross connection is found to exist the time period allowed for compliance.

13.5 ANNUAL REPORTING AND RECORDING KEEPING

Sufficient data to complete an annual report to the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy and to monitor the program adequately for Township purposes will be maintained by the Township, or person designated by the Township, and their responsible agents. An inspection form will be used during the initial inspection procedure and all re-inspections. Inspection forms will be used to monitor the status of the protective device as well as the test results reported by a qualified backflow tester.

SECTION XIV CROSS CONNECTIONS PROHIBITED

14.1 INSPECTIONS

It will be the duty of the Township to initiate inspections to be made of all properties served by the system where cross connections with the system are deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and re-inspections, based on potential health hazards involved, will be established by the Township Board and approved by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy.

14.2 RIGHT OF ACCESS, INFORMATION

The Township Board, will have the right to enter, at any reasonable time, any property served by a connection to the system for the purpose of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof for cross connections. On request, the owner, lessees or occupants of any property so served must furnish to said representative any pertinent information regarding the piping system or systems on such property. The refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, will be deemed evidence of the presence of cross sections.

14.3 DISCONTINUING WATER SERVICE

The Township is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property wherein any cross connection in violation of this Ordinance exists, and to take such other precautionary measures deemed necessary to eliminate any danger of contamination of the system. Water service to such property will not be restored until the cross connection or connections have been eliminated in compliance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

14.4 PROTECTION OF POTABLE WATER

The system's water will be protected from possible contamination as specified by this Ordinance, the State Plumbing Code of the Township as adopted and in conjunction with any acts of the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy. Any water outlet which could be used for potable or domestic purposes and which is not supplied by the system must be labelled in a conspicuous manner as: "Water Unsafe for Drinking".

14.5 CONSTRUCTION OF ORDINANCE

This Ordinance does not supersede the State Plumbing Code which had been adopted by reference as the Plumbing Code for the Township, or any other ordinances that the Township has adopted, but is supplementary to them.

14.6 PENALTY

Any person or other entity who violated any of the provisions of this Ordinance is responsible for a municipal civil infraction as defined by Michigan law and subject to civil fine (see Standish Schedule of Fees and Charges

Additionally, the violator will pay costs, which may include all direct or indirect expenses to which the Township has put in connection with the violation. In no case, however, shall costs of less than \$20.00 or more than \$100.00 be ordered. A violator of this Ordinance will also be subject to such additional sanctions, remedies, and judicial orders as are authorized under Michigan law. Each day a violation of the Ordinance continues to exist constitutes a separate violation.

SECTION XV REPEAL

All ordinances of the Township inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION XVI INVALIDITY

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or part of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid for any reason whatsoever, such a decision shall not affect remaining portions of this Ordinance which shall remain in full force and effect and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

SECTION XVII INSPECTION OF ORDINANCE

A copy of this Ordinance may be obtained from the Standish Township Clerk, at the following address: 4997 Arenac State Rd., Standish, MI 48658. This Ordinance is declared to have been adopted by Resolution of the Standish Township Board, County of Arenac, Michigan, at a regular meeting held on Monday, May 13, 2019.

We, Robert North, Supervisor, and Shara Klenk, Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance amended by the Standish Township Board on Monday, May 13, 2019.

Adopted:
Aye: 5
Nay: 0
Absent: Robert North
Shara Klenk

PUBLIC NOTICES

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Tillman Infrastructure proposes to build a 199-foot Self-Support Communications Tower at the approx. vicinity of Twining, Arenac County, MI, 48766; Lat: 44-6-44.92, Long:-83-48-6.43. Public comments regarding potential effects from this site on historic properties may be submitted within 30 days from the date of this publication to: *Trileaf Corp, Camille Neitzel, c.neitzel@trileaf.com, 10845 Olive Blvd, Suite 260, St. Louis, MO 63141, 314-997-6111.*

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR SPECTRUM TV LINEUP

Communities Served: Cities of Pinconning, Standish; Townships of Beaver, Deep River, Fraser, Garfield, Kawkawlin, Lincoln, Pinconning and Standish, MI, City of Au Gres; Townships of Au Gres, Sims and Whitney, MI

On or after May 24, 2019, Hillsong Channel on Spectrum Select, channel(s) 160 & 756, will no longer be available on your Spectrum channel lineup.

Cities of Omer, Whittemore; Townships of Arenac, Au Gres, Burleigh, Mason, Turner; Villages of Turner and Twining, MI

On or after May 24, 2019, Hillsong Channel on Spectrum Select/Standard TV, channel(s) 160 & 756, will no longer be available on your Spectrum channel lineup.

For a current channel lineup, visit www.Spectrum.com/channels. To view this notice online, visit Spectrum.net/programmingnotices.

The Arenac County INDEPENDENT



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PRESCOTT

- Rosati's Marketplace
- McGregor's
- Roo's Pharmacy
- Nester Creek
- Prescott Party Store
- Ken's Party Store
- Sunrise Convenience Store

STERLING

- DJ's Country Store
- Mary's Kountry Korner's
- Forward Plaza

STANDISH

- Jay's Fruit Market
- Next Door Store
- Pine River Store
- Wheeler's
- RPF - BP
- Trading Post
- Family Fare
- Rite Aid
- Standish Historical Depot
- Rich Oil-Speedway
- Forward Plaza

TWINING

- Twining Market

WHITTEMORE

- Our Daily Bread

ALGER

- Narski's Meat Market
- Forward Plaza

Au GRES

- Pier 23
- Au Gres Harbor Party Store
- Kelly's Party Store
- Northport General Store
- H&H Bakery
- Sunrise Market

PINCONNING

- Wilson's Cheese Shoppe
- Teeter's
- Cheese House Deli
- H&H Bakery
- Pinconning Cheese Co.
- Saganing Sagamok
- Forward Plaza (both locations)
- Bp Express Stop
- Town & Country Supermarket
- This & That Dollar Store