

## WHAT YOU CAN DO:

### **GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS!**

*Building a positive relationship with your neighbors is the #1 way to ensure that issues are resolved in a timely and agreeable manner.*

### **REPORT VIOLATIONS TO ORDINANCE DEPARTMENT**

***Ordinance@ytown.org or 734-485-4393***

*An ordinance official will usually investigate within 24-48 hours after receiving complaint (excluding weekends).*

### **CONTACT THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

*For non-emergency, safety or "Quality of Life issues" like loud cars, or homes, suspicious people, unregistered/ in-operable cars or vehicles illegally parked in road way.*

*WCSO non-emergency number: 734-994-2911*

*Deputy Shane Bynum – Bynuml@washtenaw.org*

### **THERE ARE MANY COMMUNITY RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR THOSE IN NEED.**

### **REMEMBER, OUR GOAL IS COMPLIANCE.**

*We DO allow residents time to fix non-critical issues.*

*If it seems as if there is no action on an issue you reported, remember that residents are given a set time period to correct the violation(s) before more aggressive enforcement measures are enacted.*

**SEE YOUR "HELPFUL HANDBOOK" OR  
VISIT WWW.YTOWN.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION.**



## **2021 GUIDE TO COMMON TOWNSHIP ORDINANCES**

***"WORKING TOGETHER TO KEEP  
OUR NEIGHBORHOODS  
BEAUTIFUL, SAFE AND  
ENJOYABLE FOR ALL!"***

**Ordinance Department: 734-485-4393**

**Community Engagement/ NHW:  
734-481-0617**

**WCSO Deputy liaison: 734-660-2958**

**Supervisor's Office: 734-481-0617**

## PROPERTY

- ◆ Be sure to keep grass cut below 7". Yard waste may go out weekly with solid waste; brush and cuttings are picked up every other week on your recycling day. The Township Compost Center accepts yard waste, brush and some bulk items.
  - ◆ Remember to collect your waste containers and recycle bins from the curb after collection day.
  - ◆ Waste containers should be stored at the rear or side of your home, not in front.
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- ◆ You are responsible for trimming trees and vegetation within 25' of right-of-way.
  - ◆ Dumping is illegal! If you witness, please report to the Ordinance Department.

## ANIMAL CONTROL

- ◆ All dogs in Ypsilanti Township are required to be licensed and to wear a license tag at all times.
- ◆ All dog waste/feces must be picked up and properly disposed of by pet owner.
- ◆ All Pit Bull type dogs are required to be spayed or neutered.

Call Animal Control for:

- ◆ *Dogs at-large (loose)*
- ◆ *Aggressive dogs (biting, nipping, chasing, etc.)*
- ◆ *Animal Abuse*

Owners *may* face misdemeanor charges or fines of up to \$500.

Our animal control officers do not handle rodents or pests. You may contact a private exterminator for skunks, raccoons, opossums or other pest animals.

Animal Control:  
734- 994-2911

## PARKING

- ◆ Registered/operable vehicles may only be parked in garages, driveways and legal on-street parking spots.
- ◆ Unregistered and/or non-operable vehicles may only be stored in garages, sheds or other enclosed structure, not in front or side yards or on the street.
- ◆ Parking in the lawn extension/ grassy area between the street and sidewalk is prohibited.
- ◆ Vehicles that are 36' or longer (boats, RVs, trucks, etc.) should NOT be parked on residential streets for longer than one hour.
- ◆ Commercial vehicles may not be parked on public streets, rights-of-way or bike paths/lanes.

*Vehicles illegally parked in the roadway may be ticketed or towed by the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Office. Improper storage of inoperable/unregistered vehicles on private property may be ticketed by Ordinance Dept.*

## NOISE

- ◆ Remember, sound travels! Music and other living noises should be kept at a level that doesn't exceed 50 feet.

**FIREWORKS ALLOWED:**  
New Year's Eve  
Fireworks permitted December 31st, 11:00am - 1:00am.

Memorial Day- Permitted on the Saturday & Sunday preceding 11:00am- 11:45pm.  
Fireworks are NOT allowed on Memorial Day.

Independence Day  
Permitted beginning the Saturday preceding and through the week leading up to July 4th, and July 5th if it falls on a Friday or Saturday 11:00am - 11:45pm.

Labor Day  
Saturday & Sunday preceding Labor Day 11:00am- 11:45 p.m. Fireworks are NOT allowed on Labor Day.