



CITY OF LINDEN

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MEETING AGENDA

LOCATION: LOOSE SENIOR CENTER, 707 NORTH BRIDGE STREET, LINDEN, MI 48451

Monday, August 10, 2026

6:30 P.M.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & MOMENT OF SILENCE

C. ROLL CALL & INTRODUCTIONS

- a. Excuse Absent Member(s)

D. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

- a. Don Grice, Director of Public Works - Retirement Recognition

E. CORRESPONDENCE

- a. Michigan Municipal League (MML) Annual Meeting Notice

F. PUBLIC COMMENT

Individuals wishing to speak will be called upon utilizing the completed Public Comment Cards. Remarks should be addressed to the presiding officer and is not time for debate, but for comments or questions for Council and/or Staff to answer or research. Questions will be answered during the meeting if the information is readily available. If answers are not available during the meeting, Council or Staff will contact the individual within one week or 7 business days, or when the information becomes available. No person shall have the right to speak more than once on any particular subject until all persons wishing to be heard on that subject have the opportunity to speak.

G. CONSENT AGENDA

- a. City Council Meeting Minutes from July 27, 2026
- b. Application to Use Public Property HIL Zombies, Scarecrows & Monsters Date Change: October 23-24, 2026
- c. Financial Reports

H. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. Cemetery Board

I. UNFINISHED BUSINESS ITEMS

- a. Monthly Grant Updates: All Pending & Newly Applied for Grants (Written on Regular Meeting Agendas Only)
- b. Meeting Recording
- c. Contract Statuses - Museum and Library in Mill Building
- d. Loose Van Update
- e. Comment Cards Update

J. NEW BUSINESS ITEMS

- a. Ordinance No. 428 An ordinance amending Chapter 72 of Title VIII of the Code of Ordinances (Bicycles, Scooters and Mopeds)

K. MANAGER'S UPDATE

L. COUNCIL COMMENTS & REPORTS

M. CLOSED SESSION

N. ADJOURNMENT

July 30, 2026

Michigan Municipal League Annual Meeting Notice**(Please present at the next Council, Commission or Board Meeting)**

Dear Official:

The Michigan Municipal League Annual Convention will be held in Traverse City, October 7-9, 2026. The League's **"Annual Meeting"** is scheduled for 4:30 pm on Wednesday, October 7 in Governors' A at the Grand Traverse Resort. The meeting will be held for the following purposes:

1. **Election of Trustees.** To elect five members of the Board of Trustees for terms of four years each (see #1 on page 2).
2. **Policy.** A) **To vote on the Core Legislative Principles document.**

In regard to the proposed League Core Legislative Principles, the document is available on the League website at <https://mml.org/resources-research/delegate/>. If you would like to receive a copy of the proposed principles by fax, please call Monica Drukis at the League at 800-653-2483.

B) If the League Board of Trustees has presented any resolutions to the membership, they also will be voted on. (See #2 on page 2.)

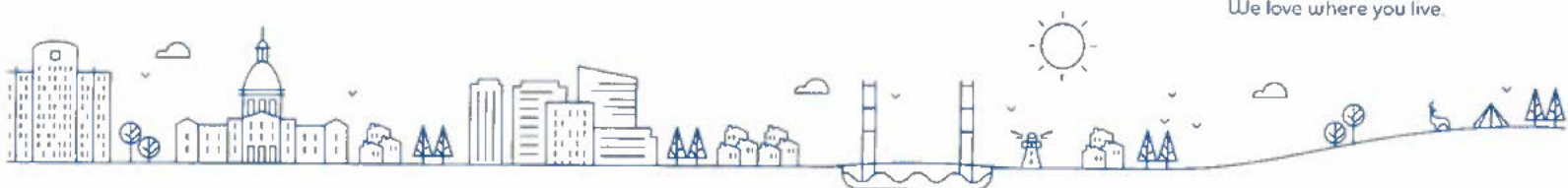
In regard to resolutions, member municipalities planning on submitting resolutions for consideration by the League Trustees are reminded that under the Bylaws, they must be submitted to the Trustees for their review by **September 7, 2026.**

3. **Other Business.** To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Designation of Voting Delegates

Pursuant to the provisions of the League Bylaws, you are requested to designate by action of your governing body one of your officials who will be in attendance at the Convention as your official representative to cast the vote of the municipality at the Annual Meeting, and, if possible, to designate one other official to serve as alternate. Please submit this information through the League website by visiting <https://mml.org/resources-research/delegate/> **no later than September 7, 2026.**

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Regarding the designation of an official representative of the member to the annual meeting, please note the following section of the League Bylaws:

"Section 4.4 - Votes of Members. Each member shall be equally privileged with all other members in its voice and vote in the election of officers and upon any proposition presented for discussion or decision at any meeting of the members. Honorary Members shall be entitled to participate in the discussion of any question, but such members shall not be entitled to vote. The vote of each member shall be cast by its official representative attending the meeting at which an election of officers or a decision on any proposition shall take place. Each member shall, by action of its governing body prior to the annual meeting or any special meeting, appoint one official of such member as its principal official representative to cast the vote of the member at such meeting, and may appoint one official as its alternate official representative to serve in the absence or inability to act of the principal representative."

1. Election of Trustees

Regarding election of Trustees, under Section 5.3 of the League Bylaws, five members of the Board of Trustees will be elected at the annual meeting for a term of four years. The regulations of the Board of Trustees require the Nominations Committee to complete its recommendations and post the names of the nominees for the Board of Trustees on a board at the registration desk at least four hours before the hour of the business meeting.

2. Statements of Policy and Resolutions

Regarding consideration of resolutions and statements of policy, under Section 4.5 of the League Bylaws, the Board of Trustees acts as the Resolutions Committee, and "no resolution or motion, except procedural and incidental matters having to do with business properly before the annual meeting or pertaining to the conduct of the meeting, shall be considered at the annual meeting unless it is either (1) submitted to the meeting by the Board of Trustees, or (2) submitted in writing to the Board of Trustees by resolution of the governing body of a member at least thirty (30) days preceding the date of the annual meeting." Thus, the deadline this year for the League to receive resolutions is **September 7, 2026**. Please submit resolutions to the attention of Daniel P. Gilmartin, Executive Director/CEO at 1675 Green Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48105. **Any resolution submitted by a member municipality will go to the League Board of Trustees, serving as the resolutions committee under the Bylaws, which may present it to the membership at the Annual Meeting or refer it to the appropriate policy committee for additional action.**

Further, "Every proposed resolution submitted to the Board of Trustees by a member shall be stated in clear and concise language and shall be accompanied by a statement setting forth the reasons for recommending the proposed resolution. The Board shall consider the proposal at a Board meeting prior to the next annual meeting and, after consideration, shall make a recommendation as to the advisability of adopting each such resolution or a modification thereof.

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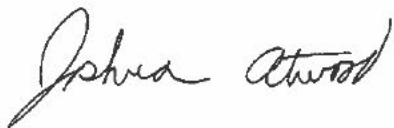


3. Posting of Proposed Resolutions and Core Legislative Principles

The proposed Michigan Municipal League Core Legislative Principles and any new proposed Resolutions recommended by the Board of Trustees for adoption by the membership will be available on the League website, or at the League registration desk to permit governing bodies of member communities to have an opportunity to review such proposals and delegate to their voting representative the responsibility for expressing the official point of view of the member at the Annual Meeting.

The Board of Trustees will meet on Tuesday, October 6, 2026, at Grand Traverse Resort for the purpose of considering such other matters as may be requested by the membership, in addition to other agenda items.

Sincerely,

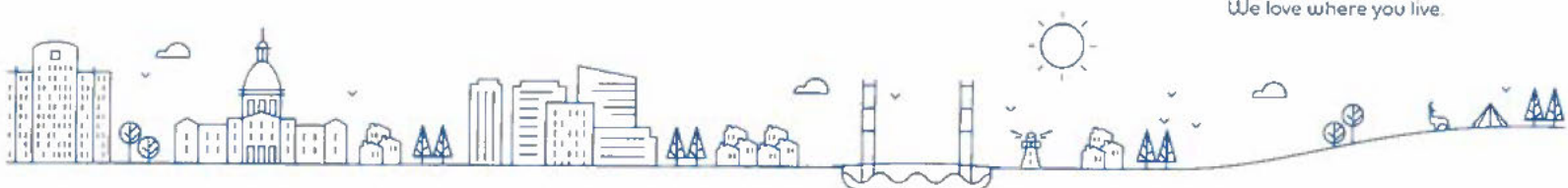


Joshua Atwood
President
Commissioner, City of Lapeer



Daniel P. Gilmartin
Executive Director & CEO

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**CITY OF LINDEN
CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

MONDAY, JULY 27, 2026 AT 6:30 P.M.

LOCATION: LOOSE SENIOR CENTER, 707 NORTH BRIDGE STREET, LINDEN, MI 48451

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:31 p.m. by Mayor Elizabeth Armstrong. The meeting was held at The Loose Senior Center located at 707 North Bridge Street, Linden, Michigan 48451.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present. A Moment of Silence was observed for our firefighters and police heroes.

City Council Present: Mayor Elizabeth Armstrong, Mayor Pro Tem Jerry Link, Brad Dick, Tom Hicks, Pam Howd, Denise Miller, Brenda Simons

Absent: None

Others Present: Ellen Glass, City Manager; Scott Sutter, Chief of Police; Brian Will, Fire Chief; Don Grice, Director of Public Works; Brooke Card, City Treasurer; Kristyn Kanyak, City Clerk; Mike Gildner, City Attorney; Adam Young, City Planner/Zoning Administrator

a. Excuse Absent Member(s)

None.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

(A) New Firefighter Introductions, By: Fire Chief Will
Chief Will introduced a new firefighter.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

None.

CORRESPONDENCE

None.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment about emails sent; city charter language; handbook; comment cards; shared requests; referenced questions and discussions during previous meetings.

Public comment about Loose Center uses; rooms; referenced documents shared with Council regarding canceled classes. Also commented on Police reports; May Activity log; search engine; and class calendar.

Motion by Miller, second by Armstrong to add agenda Item f. Loose Center Uses and Item g. Bills for the Equipment. Motion carried 7-0.

CONSENT AGENDA

- (A) Corrected City Council Meeting Minutes from June 22, 2026
- (B) City Council Meeting Minutes from July 13, 2026
- (C) Financial Reports

Motion by Miller, second by Howd to approve the consent agenda. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Dick, Miller, Hicks, Simons, Link, Armstrong, Howd

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(A) Monthly Grant Updates: All Pending & Newly Applied for Grants
Glass referenced updated grants list shared. Armstrong and Glass discussed including the list in regular meeting agenda packets.

(B) Meeting Recording
Kanyak provided an update regarding scheduling for equipment.

(C) Contract Statuses - Museum and Library in Mill Building
Glass had no update.

(D) Loose Van Update
Glass had no update.

(E) Comment Cards Update
Glass had no update.

NEW BUSINESS

(A) Resolution No. 11-26 Mosquito Ballot Language Approval
Glass reviewed the topic. No public comment was received. No comments from Council were received.

Motion by Howd, second by Simons to approve Resolution No. 11-26 Mosquito Ballot Language Approval. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Link, Armstrong, Simons, Howd, Dick, Miller, Hicks

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

(B) Resolution No. 12-26 CLG Grant Acceptance
Kanyak reviewed the topic. Glass, Kanyak and Council further discussed grant purpose, details, timeline and procurement procedures. Armstrong referenced email and explained most questions answered; also requested additional background information in future, Glass referenced grant list. Miller and Kanyak further discussed procurement process and resolution items.

Motion by Hicks, second by Dick to approve Resolution No. 12-26 CLG Grant application. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Link, Hicks, Armstrong, Miller, Howd, Dick, Simons

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

(C) Ordinance No. 427 Amending City of Linden Zoning Ordinance (Housing Readiness Zoning Amendments)

Young provided background and reviewed the topic. Council and Staff discussed Planning Commission approval and feedback incorporated; MSHDA Grant; local control; reimbursement process; clarified non-conforming residential use in a commercial district; clarified commercial in residential area; mixed-use scenario residential allowable, commercial not. Armstrong discussed list of items to be eligible for grant, Young addressed.

Motion by Miller, second by Dick to approve Ordinance No. 427 Amending City of Linden Zoning Ordinance (Housing Readiness Zoning Amendments). Roll call. Motion carried 6-1.

AYES: Miller, Simons, Howd, Dick, Link, Hicks,

NAYS: Armstrong

ABSENT: None

(D) Ordinance No. 428 Amending Chapter 72 of Title VII of the Code of Ordinances (Bicycles, Scooters and Mopeds)

Sutter reviewed the topic.

Public comment about ticketing, Sutter addressed.

Public comment about vehicles on the LAFF Pathway, Sutter explained.

Public comment on list of what is not allowed, Sutter explained.

Public comment about safety equipment language, Sutter explained.

Public comment on language about hours and reasoning, concern on street, briefly discussed with Sutter.

Public comment on lighting, Sutter explained.

Council, Sutter and Gildner discussed ordinance language to allow utilization after dark for work transportation purposes; lighting language and bringing back next meeting. Armstrong discussed incidents with Sutter; motor vehicle code; and sharing on website and newsletter after adoption.

(E) Council Meetings Location - City Council Meetings within Loose Center Halls A/B Miller explained reasoning for topic; shared feedback and thoughts regarding where to hold meetings; and requested permanent place either Hall A or B to have City Council meetings.

Public comment regarding screens for presentations in annex, Miller explained.

Public comment about having the screens in the annex and Council able to use their devices.

Public comment on audio and visual system suggested layout change.

Public comment about annex set up.

Public comments about if meetings are moving back to the Mill building and suggested layout change.

Council discussed room options; screens; layout; and further reasoning for using halls.

Motion by Miller, second by Armstrong to move Council meetings to either Halls A or B.

Kanyak requested staff flexibility related to program scheduling and requested clarification if Council still wants to proceed with equipment installation in annex.

Public comment on weeks of discussing.

Discussion regarding motion. Council and staff discussed equipment cost and scope of work in rooms; installation schedule and quotes previously provided; previous meeting locations and capacity; reasons for moving meetings between rooms and staff discretion; holding smaller meetings in annex and council and larger meetings in halls; and evening programming. Gildner, Council and staff discussed if motion is necessary and confirmed use these rooms has primary with annex secondary and to proceed with equipment.

(F) Loose Center Uses

Miller discussed reasoning for addition of item and explained class cancellations. Glass explained monthly updates; cancellation reasons regarding instructors; programming continuing during voting; yoga will be returning; discussed numbers. Miller further explained.

Public comment about name, Glass addressed.

Further discussion with Council and Glass about class cancellations and notifying; arthritis class instructor hiring part-time option, Sweeney working on solution.

Public comment referencing photo about public comment materials about Loose.

(G) Bills for Equipment

Miller requested removal of this agenda item.

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

Glass provided a verbal update on the following items:

- BS&A Software issue today
- Referenced update sent
- Mill project, power pole, completion date pushed back, Council tour
- County sewer rates

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Gildner opened it up for questions from Council. Miller asked about Charter language addressed by Gildner; city council/city manager hiring roles, Gildner referenced and explained his interpretation and Charter appointments.

Howd discussed possibility of updating city's curfew pertaining to earlier ordinance discussion, referenced law, Sutter explained and discussed low crime rate.

Council, Gildner and Glass discussed hiring process and Charter language; Charter review and approval process; appeal process and Council's role; varying language amongst cities and townships. Glass shared clarification and referenced updates and timelines regarding DPW Director new hire. Gildner also addressed Loose Department ordinance inquiry and Charter language.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Armstrong thanked the Departments for their reports which included reports from the Police Department, Code Enforcement, Department of Public Works and Fire Department and Senior Services Department.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Howd thanked Clerk's Department for work on early voting days encouraged people to use early voting.

Dick commented on smoke's impact on River Roast and shared event details.

Miller thanked Happening In Linden for events. Also apologized to resident regarding a recent meeting incident. Also commented on Mill tour and progress thanked staff for Mill tour.

Link thanked and commented on Mill tour and progress.

No comment was received from Hicks or Simons and Armstrong.

CLOSED SESSION

(A) Memorandum of Understanding – Police Department Collective Bargaining Agreement

Glass explained reasoning for closed session.

Motion by Howd, second by Miller to enter closed session. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Simons, Dick, Miller, Link, Armstrong, Howd, Hicks

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Council entered into closed session at 8:19 p.m.

Motion by Miller, second by Simons to return to open session. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Howd, Link, Simons, Armstrong, Hicks, Miller, Dick

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Council returned to open session at 8:43 p.m.

Motion by Miller, second by Howd to move that the City Council approve the proposed Memorandum of Understanding between the City Council (City of Linden) and the Linden Police Officers Association to establish a Lieutenant position. The total cost would be a 5% increase above the Sergeant's position. Roll call. Motion carried 7-0.

AYES: Hicks, Howd, Link, Armstrong, Dick, Simons, Miller

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by Mayor Armstrong at 8:44 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kristyn Kanyak, City Clerk

Approved: _____

Happening In Linden
Presenter of Community Events
A MI Non-Profit Corporation

Ellen Glass, City Manager

August 4, 2026

Linden City Council

Re : Zombies Scarecrows and Monsters Event

Dear, Ellen and Council,

Happening IN Linden is requesting a date change for our previously approved Zombies, Scarecrows, and Monsters Event due Linden High School Homecoming activities on the 16th and 17th of October.

We are now requesting the use of city property and staff (Police Escort for the Zombie walk) on the dates of October 23 & 24 2026. Weather permitting the Zombie walk would take place on Friday the 23rd

All other activities will be held at Eagles Wooden Park and will not require city staff to operate.

It is our intent to operate two different Halloween Trails at Eagles Wooden Park, the first trail being a trick or treat trail with local businesses having the opportunity to hand out candy along the trail. As the Trick or Treat trail branches off the experience becomes spooky for those that like things that go bump in the night. We will also have a couple of Food Trucks on site and some other family friendly activities.

After speaking with Chief Sutter regarding Trespassing on the trails by persons bypassing safety barriers, he recommends we close the park for the week of the event. He believes it will be much easier to keep people out if the entire park is off limits, instead of just the trails. We are expanding our setup and this and will require more setup time. We are expecting an opening night crowd of two thousand plus people.

The application along with associated maps and necessary insurance forms are attached.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions, concerns, or suggestions,

Mary Dodt- Dick

Event Chairperson



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@hilinden
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[Redacted]
Linden, MI 48451

Phone: 810-458-6331
E-mail:
info@happeninginlinden.com

**APPLICATION/PERMIT TO USE PUBLIC
PROPERTY, PUBLIC STREETS OR RIGHTS-
OF-WAY**

Your Approved form is your confirmation



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Telephone: (810) 735-7980 • Fax: (810) 735-4793

Notes to Applicants: Application and all attachments must be received by the city at least 90 days prior to event.

Name of Event: Zombies, Scarecrows and Monsters

Happening In Linden

4/6/26

(Name of Sponsoring Organization)

(Date Submitted)

Mary Dodt - Dick, Secretary

(Name of Organization Representative in Charge of Event)

(Tax Exempt Organization)

 Linden, MI 48451

(Complete Mailing Address of Representative)

Tel. No.

Description of Event: (List times of any unusual events, i.e. Fireworks display, etc.) Give as much information regarding nature of event as possible. Attach additional sheet(s)/maps. 10/23 Main St. for Zombie walk staging 5:30-6:30PM, Broad St to Walmar Dr. for Zombie walk 6:30 - 7:00pm. 10/16 & 17 6:00 Pm until 11:00PM Eagles wooden Park for Zombie Scare Trails

Date(s) of Event: 10/23 & 10/24

Time of Event: (Begin) 6pm - 11pm

Close Eage's Wooden Park 10/19 -10/25

(Each Day) (End)

Identify the **Public Property** that you are requesting to use: i.e. Streets, Parks, Parking Lots, etc.

Eagles Wooden Park For event set-up, event and event tear down 10/19-10/25 Walmar Parking area for event 10/23 &24, Main St for

Zombie walk Staging 5:30pm - 6:30pm ~~10/16~~ 10/23

(Use extra sheet if necessary. *Provide a map of all the areas you are requesting use of, showing placement of any temporary equipment/vehicles etc. and traffic pattern for vehicles, if applicable.)

Number of Volunteers or Workers you will supply 20

If Street Closure is Necessary - Time of Barricading (Each Day): (Begin) 5:30pm (End) 6:30pm

Streets to be Closed: MAIN ST. FROM BROAD TO TICKNER,

Walmar at Eagles Wooden Park Enterance ~~10/12-10/16~~ For Event set up, Event and Event Teardown 10/19 -10/25

(See instructions on SPECIAL EVENT CHECKLIST – Identify those streets that will be closed - *provide a map of the area indicating where barricades are to be placed)

- *Map of area to be used to be submitted indicating locations of **all** areas being used. Locate all existing structures and proposed festivities. In case of parades, parade route to be shown on a street map of the area.
- Charges may be imposed where cleanup of area is not satisfactory.
Charges may be imposed for use of utilities (water/electricity).
- Amount of liability insurance organization is required to furnish: \$ 2,000,000 (to be submitted with application.)

NOTE: CITY OF LINDEN TO BE LISTED AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED

- Hold **Harmless Agreement** to be submitted with application.
- Special Event Check List – Review and acknowledge receipt and compliance with same. (initial by applicant)
MDDD Return one copy with application; retain copy for your records.

Groups, organizations, or promoters of events will be held liable for damage to any streets, parking lots, sidewalks, or other public property, and must fully cooperate with all City Departments. Failure to cooperate can lead to immediate revocation of permit issued by the City of Linden. I understand that, by law and policy, alcohol and controlled substances are forbidden on public property and smoking is not allowed in any building and that abuse of this may cause eviction and loss of usage.

I/We agree to and will abide by these conditions.

Mary Dodt-Dick
Applicant's Signature

4/6/26 8/4/26

Date

(To be determined by City Administration)

Approval/Comments by:

Chief of Police: _____ Date: _____

Conditions of Approval: _____

Fire Chief: _____ Date: _____

Conditions of Approval: _____

City Manager: _____ Date: _____

Conditions of Approval: _____

Director of Public Works: _____ Date: _____

Conditions of Approval: _____

Certificate of Insurance Furnished: Yes/No

A copy of this approval/denial was provided to:

Applicant ☐ Date _____

Police Chief ☐ Date _____

Fire Chief ☐ Date _____

DPW ☐ Date _____

Street File (if applicable) ☐ Date _____



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SPECIAL EVENT CHECKLIST

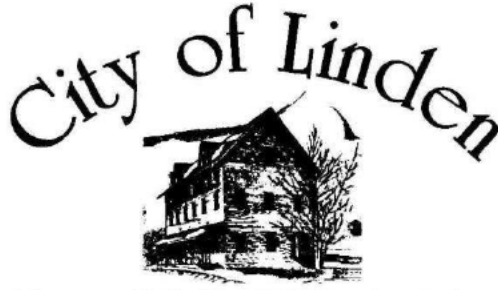
The following items need to be addressed by applicant when a Special Event is being planned within the City of Linden. Please place an "X" beside all items that are applicable to this request, indicate "N/A" beside those items that do not apply, return one copy with application, retain one copy for your records.

- ☒ Complete applicable application/permit form and submit to the City at least 90 days prior to event.
Include:
- Location map (drawing) of area being used showing set-up of all equipment, entrance and exit points, fencing and barricades, food and beverage booth, tents or trucks, handicap parking, entertainment locations (stage, bands, music), and any other pertinent information.
 - Date(s) and Times of Event.
 - Hold Harmless Agreement.
 - Insurance Certificate listing City of Linden as an Additional Insured.
- ☒ File an Application for any additional Signage which will be requested.
- ☒ Food/Beverage being served? If yes, make necessary arrangements with Genesee County Health Department for Required Permits. If alcohol will be served, list location(s).
- ☒ Additional Trash Receptacles required? If yes, must be arranged by the applicant.
- ☒ Barricades required? If yes, applicant is responsible to make request for specific location. Applicant must get clearance from Linden Schools Transportation Dept. if closure is on school days and prior to 5:00 p.m.
- ☒ Clean-Up of area to be responsibility of the applicant.
- ☒ Inflammables provided? List type and location.
- ☐ Porta-Johns requested? If yes, applicant is responsible for receipt and return of same. Must show on map (drawing) proposed location(s). Must provide handicap accessible restroom.
- ☐ Parking and Shuttles provided? Please describe.
- ☒ Electrical Power source required? If yes, responsibility of applicant to provide.
- ☒ Audio Equipment required? If yes, responsibility of applicant to arrange.

Note: The application may require the approval of the Police Chief and/or Fire Chief. Recommended that applicant meets with police chief to discuss security/parking.

Date: 4/6/26 Sponsor/Applicant Mary Dodd-Dick

Name of Event Zombies , Scarecrows and Monsters Date of Event 10/23 & 10/24
~~10/16 & 10/17~~



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HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the grant by the City of Linden to permit/allow
**** Happening In Linden to hold the Zombies ,Scarecrows and Monster Event in Downtown Linden**
and at Eagles Wooden Park. Use Will be City Streets, Parks and other City owned property and parking

as requested by the undersigned, the undersigned does hereby agree to fully hold harmless, defend and indemnify the City of Linden and all of its officers, officials and employees, with respect to all claims, losses, damages, causes of action, judgments, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney fees, whether or not the same are now known, liquidated, discovered, discoverable or justifiable, which may be asserted, brought or rendered against, incurred or suffered by, and/or imposed upon, the City of Linden and/or its officers, officials, and employees, by reason of or arising out of the grant or exercise of the rights stated above granted by the City of Linden the undersigned.

** Insert information regarding what the activity is, date(s), time, and areas that are affected (public sidewalks, streets, parking spaces, etc.).

Witnesses: (Two (2) witness signatures are required)
(Print name beneath each signature)

Mary Dodt-Dick
*Signature
Mary Dodt - Dick

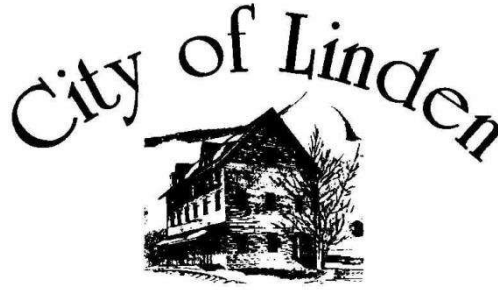
Print Name
Happening In Linden, SECRETARY

Organization and Title

* If the project is related to obstructing the public right of way for work on private property, the signature must be that of the subject property owner or of the contractor performing the work.

Date Approved: _____

Copy to: Applicant _____



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POLICY

STREET CLOSURES OR WORK IN RIGHT-OF-WAY

The following procedure will be utilized whenever an application is received for street closure or for work in the right-of-way not otherwise authorize.

1. Applicant must submit request to the City Council.
2. The City Council will set a date at which it will receive public comments on the request.
3. Applications will be referred to the City Manager for Staff input as well as comments from the Fire and Police Department. Notice will be given to property owners of City record adjacent to Street proposed for closure.
4. Applicant will include a map/description of the proposed area/event.
5. City Council will hear Staff, Citizens and Resident comments at the next Council meeting.
6. City Council will act on the application.



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

04/06/2026

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER McCredie Insurance Agency, Inc. 5454 Gateway Centre, Suite A Flint MI 48507		CONTACT NAME: Jennifer Wascher PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (810) 767-6050 E-MAIL ADDRESS: christyl@mccredieins.com FAX (A/C, No): (810) 767-7323	
INSURED Happening in Linden 413 Lindenwood Linden MI 48451		INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: United States Liability Insurance Group INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:	
		NAIC # 524126	

COVERAGES**CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 26/27Master**REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	☒ COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY ☐ CLAIMS-MADE ☒ OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: ☒ POLICY ☐ PRO-JECT ☐ LOC OTHER:	Y		NBP1561168E	04/05/2026	04/05/2027	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 100,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000 \$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY ☐ ANY AUTO ☐ OWNED AUTOS ONLY ☐ SCHEDULED AUTOS ☐ HIRED AUTOS ONLY ☐ NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY						COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
	UMBRELLA LIAB ☐ OCCUR EXCESS LIAB ☐ CLAIMS-MADE DED RETENTION \$						EACH OCCURRENCE \$ AGGREGATE \$ \$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) ☐ Y / N If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER**CANCELLATION**City of Linden
132 E Broad St

Linden

MI 48451

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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SCARE TRAIL
8:15 - 10:30PM (PG13)

TREAT TRAIL
6-8 PM(ALL AGES)

CHECK REGISTER FOR CITY OF LINDEN

CHECK DATE 07/21/2026 - 08/05/2026

BANK CODE: SBTAX - STATE BANK TAX (4282) - CHECK TYPE: PAPER CHECK				
Check Date	Check	Vendor Name	Description	Amount
Bank SBTAX STATE BANK TAX (4282)				
07/31/2026	2146	MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TREASU	SHARE OF SPECIFIC LOCAL TAXES RETURN	23,415.50
SBTAX TOTALS:				
Total of 1 Checks:				23,415.50
Less 0 Void Checks:				0.00
Total of 1 Disbursements:				23,415.50

\$23,415.50

CHECK REGISTER FOR CITY OF LINDEN

CHECK DATE 07/21/2026 - 08/05/2026

BANK CODE: SBGEN - STATE BANK (3140) - CHECK TYPE: PAPER CHECK

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07/31/2026	14263	GENESEE COUNTY DRAIN COMMISS	COUNTY WATER USE 3.26.26-4.29.26	73,267.71
07/31/2026	14264	ROWE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	GAZEBO PROJ, WATER SYSTEM, BRIDGE & BRO	2,147.50
			LINDEN SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL JUNE 2026	3,290.00
			E. BROAD STREET RESURFACING-JUNE 2026	46,868.75
			LINDEN MILL RESTORATION JUNE 2026	472.50
				52,778.75
07/31/2026	14265	GENESEE VALLEY VAULT	GRAVE OPENINGS: MONROE X2 & MARSHALL 7.	700.00
			GRAVE OPENINGS: LANNING, ROBINS, WALKER	2,200.00
				2,900.00
07/31/2026	14266	MARTHA DONNELLY	RETIREE HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT AUG 2026	446.08
07/31/2026	14267	KRISTYN KANYAK	REIMBURSE ELECTION EXP: CLOCK & BLINK C	95.05
07/31/2026	14268	SPECTRUM PRINTERS INC.	VOTE TEST DECK	119.94
07/31/2026	14269	REBECCA VANDRIESSCHE	RETIREE HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT AUG 2026	761.19
07/31/2026	14270	OPERATIONS SERVICES	DRINKING WATER OPERATIONS/MAINT MARCH 2	355.00
07/31/2026	14271	SHIAWASSEE RIVER TRAIL COALIT	SEASONAL RENTAL PORTA JOHNS: FISH LAKE,	2,212.50
07/31/2026	14272	SHINE OF FENTON	EXTERIOR/INTERIOR WINDOW CLEANING 7.27.	100.00
07/31/2026	14273	ACE-SAGINAW PAVING COMPANY	COMMERCIAL TACK BOND COAT	326.93
07/31/2026	14274	HYDROCORP	JULY 2026 CROSS CONNECTION PROGRAM	2,200.25
07/31/2026	14275	BECKS PEST CONTROL	PEST CONTROL 7.24.26	65.00
07/31/2026	14276	PRIORITY WASTE, LLC	TRASH SERVICES AUGUST 2026	23,763.06
07/31/2026	14277	KEEPERS OF THE SHIAWASSEE, IN	HOGAN ROAD BOAT LAUNCH	3,000.00
			SUPPLIES PURCHASED	1,023.33
				4,023.33
07/31/2026	14278	WOLVERINE POWER SYSTEMS, LLC	LINDEN PUMP 709 BYRAM LAKE DR REPAIRS	435.00
07/31/2026	14279	THE UPS STORE #3351	PARKS YARD SIGNS	91.75
07/31/2026	14280	MES SERVICE COMPANY LLC	FIRE DEPT BOOTS X 2	712.84
07/31/2026	14281	CINTAS	REFILL DPW 7.27.2026	66.97
			CITY HALL REFILL 7.27.26	20.06
				87.03
07/31/2026	14282	MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TREASU	STATE SHARE OF LOCAL TAXES RETURNED	23,415.80
07/31/2026	14283	JOSHUA TUGAN	REFUND DEPOSIT LCC RENTAL 7.26.26	200.00
07/31/2026	14284	AMANDA JULY	REFUND DEPOSIT LCC RENTAL 7.25.26	200.00
07/31/2026	14285	CHASE CARD SERVICE	DEPARTMENT CHARGES 6.14.26-7.13.26	2,657.21
07/31/2026	14286	EDWARD DUBUC	RETIREE HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT JULY 2026	824.80
07/31/2026	14287	SCOTT FAIRBANKS	RETIREE HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT AUG 2026	1,902.51
07/31/2026	14288	FENTON PRINTING	FIRE DEPARTMENT RUN FORMS	84.94
07/31/2026	14289	FRIENDS OF SHIAWASSEE RIVER	COALITION ASSISTANCE	882.60
07/31/2026	14290	SHARE CORPORATION	POXYPATCH	894.45
07/31/2026	14291	SIMEN, FIGURA & PARKER P.L.C.	LEGAL FEES JUNE 2026	5,347.47
07/31/2026	14292	VFIS	POLICY RENEWAL ACCIDENT 5.126-5.1.27	663.00
07/31/2026	14293	WILKINSON SOLUTIONS	LCC 28 MIDSTATE SPREAD	671.00

SBGEN TOTALS:

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BANK CODE: SBGEN - STATE BANK (3140) - CHECK TYPE: PAPER CHECK
Description

Check Date Check Vendor Name Amount

Bank SBGEN STATE BANK (3140)

Total of 31 Checks:	202,485.19
Less 1 Void Checks:	23,415.80
Total of 30 Disbursements:	179,069.39

\$179,069.39

CHECK REGISTER FOR CITY OF LINDEN

CHECK DATE 07/21/2026 - 08/05/2026

BANK CODE: SBSRC - LOOSE SENIOR CENTER (4822) - CHECK TYPE: PAPER CHECK

Check Date	Check	Vendor Name	Description	Amount
Bank SBSRC LOOSE SENIOR CENTER (4822)				
07/31/2026	14087	SHINE OF FENTON	EXTERIOR WINDOWS LOOSE 7.27.26	95.00
07/31/2026	14088	BECKS PEST CONTROL	PEST CONTROL 7.24.26	37.00
07/31/2026	14089	TRACI JAMES	CARDIO 6.1,6.3, 6.8, 6.10	120.00
			CARDIO 7/21, 7/23	60.00
				180.00
07/31/2026	14090	GWEN FANNON	REIMBURSE FOR PATRIOTIC PICNIC SUPPLIES	19.25
07/31/2026	14091	CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS	CABLE/INTERNET 7.10.26-8.9.26 LOOSE	376.23
07/31/2026	14092	HENRY SONDEREGGER	TAI CHI 7/10, 7/24	60.00
07/31/2026	14093	CINTAS	LOOSE REFILL 7.26.26	53.27
			MATS CLEANING	47.85
				101.12
07/31/2026	14094	ROBIN MORTON	REFUND CASINO TRIP 7.20.26	30.00
07/31/2026	14095	DENISE SHAFFER	OVER CHARGED TRAVERSE CITY TRIP	69.00
07/31/2026	14096	DEE BUTLER	JULY CASINO TRIP REFUND	80.00
07/31/2026	14097	LEONA KUHN	JULY CASINO TRIP REFUND	80.00
07/31/2026	14098	CHASE CARD SERVICE	LOOSE DEPT CHARGES 6.14.26-7.13.26	986.49
SBSRC TOTALS:				
Total of 12 Checks:				2,114.09
Less 0 Void Checks:				0.00
Total of 12 Disbursements:				2,114.09

General- \$179,069.39
Tax- \$ 23,415.50
Loose- \$ 2,114.09

Total: \$204,598.98

FAIRVIEW CEMETERY

§ 92.030 CITY AUTHORITY.

Pursuant to § 10.10 of the City Charter, the city, by this subchapter, provides for the operation, regulation, and maintenance of Fairview Cemetery.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.010) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.031 RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The City Council shall adopt rules and regulations for the operation of the cemetery. The City Council may, from time to time, adopt new or amended rules as the Council shall deem necessary. All rules shall be adopted by resolution. No such rules shall conflict with this subchapter.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.020) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.032 FEES AND CHARGES.

The City Council shall set all fees and charges related to the function of the cemetery. All such fees and charges shall be established or amended by resolution. In the event that no fee or charge has been established by resolution, then the cost to be paid shall be the actual cost of the city in providing the service requested.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.030) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.033 OWNERSHIP OF GRAVE LOTS.

The following restrictions shall apply to lot and grave space ownership.

(A) All cemetery lots shall be evidenced by a cemetery deed. Such cemetery deeds shall be issued by the City Clerk. The City Clerk shall, upon issuing a cemetery deed, enter into the permanent records of the city the name of the owner as evidenced on the cemetery deed.

(B) Each cemetery deed shall specify the section name, lot number, and grave number to which it applies. More than one parcel may be evidenced by a single deed. Only one deed shall be outstanding for any parcel.

(C) The full name of the owner or owners of a parcel shall appear on the deed. Such name or names shall correspond with those contained in the permanent records of the city as referred to in division (A) above.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.040) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.034 SALE OF PARCELS BY CITY.

(A) Gravesites may be purchased in cash or on contract.

(B) The required terms and conditions of any contract for purchase shall be established by the City Council by resolution.

(C) The following conditions shall apply to any purchase of gravesites.

(1) Payment shall be made to the City Treasurer. All payments shall be placed in the General Fund of the city.

(2) Any payments required by contract shall be promptly made. Failure to make any payment when due shall result in immediate forfeiture of any rights under the contract and any payments previously made.

(3) No cemetery deed shall be issued until the contract is paid in full.

(4) No burial shall be allowed until the contract is paid in full and a cemetery deed issued.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.050) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.035 TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP.

(A) Any section, lot, or grave may be transferred.

(B) The following rules shall apply to such transfer.

(1) A transfer of ownership affidavit shall be completed by the current owner. The affidavit shall be signed by the current owner(s), his or her guardian, or his or her personal representative, if deceased. The original cemetery deed shall be attached to the affidavit. These documents shall be submitted to the City Clerk.

(2) The City Clerk shall issue a new cemetery deed or deeds as the situation may require. The permanent records of the city shall be changed to correspond with the transfer.

(3) In the event that the original cemetery deed is lost, the owners of record are deceased, or other complications arise concerning ownership, a transfer of ownership affidavit shall be completed by the person requesting transfer or use of a lot or gravesite. The City Clerk shall review the information presented. The City Clerk may, in his or her sole discretion, either allow a transfer, deny a transfer, or request additional documentation prior to consideration. Should the City Clerk determine that a transfer or a burial is to be allowed, such action shall be final. Ownership shall be changed on the permanent records of the city. No liability for error shall result in personal liability to the City Clerk, the city, or any of the agents, employees, or contractors.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.060) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.036 CARE AND MAINTENANCE.

The following rules shall apply to the care and maintenance of the cemetery.

(A) Care, maintenance, and operation of the city cemetery shall be under the supervision and control of the City Manager and the sexton.

(B) The city reserves the right to enter upon any grave and to perform all work necessary for the care and upkeep of all graves within the cemetery.

(C) The owner of the grave, or legal representative, may designate at any time, in writing, who is to be buried at the gravesite.

(D) The burial permit shall bear the name of the interred, the location of the gravesite, and any other such information deemed necessary, and shall be signed by the sexton.

(E) Foundations for any heavy materials such as markers, monuments, stones, and the like shall be placed by the sexton.

(1) Orders for foundations shall be submitted to the City Clerk. Fees for services shall be set by resolution of the Council and billed by the Clerk's office.

(2) The sexton shall order and place all foundations.

(F) The city shall assume no responsibility for errors in opening graves. Orders by morticians for the opening of graves will be considered as orders from lot owners.

(G) All markers, monuments, vaults, or mausoleums are subject to the approval of sexton and the Council and will be removed if not approved by the same.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.070) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992)

§ 92.037 PROHIBITED ACTS.

The following acts or activities are prohibited at Fairview Cemetery.

(A) Graves shall not be used for any other purpose other than as a place for the remains of human bodies.

(B) No interment of any deceased human shall be made in any place other than within cemeteries devoted to that purpose.

(C) No person shall deface, injure, disturb, mark, or write upon any marker, monument, headstone, fence, or structure in the cemetery.

(D) It shall be unlawful for any person to leave or scatter rubbish within the confines of the cemetery.

(E) No person shall conduct themselves in a disorderly manner within the limits of the cemetery.

(F) Walking or driving through cemetery grounds to property or land outside of the cemetery for the purpose of saving time or distance is strictly prohibited.

(G) No vehicle shall be driven in the cemetery at any time at a speed greater than is reasonable and proper, under all circumstances, and in no event in excess of 15 mph.

(2011 Code, § 12.20.080) (Ord. 170, passed - -1992) Penalty, see § 92.999

City of Linden Fairview Cemetery Rules

General Supervision

Fairview Cemetery shall be under the management, supervision, and care of the Department of Public Works (DPW) Director (Sexton). All records of lots, plats, and the sales shall be recorded and maintained by the City Clerk. Requests for internment, disinterments, reinterments, installation of foundations, erection of monuments, tombstones and markers shall be made to the City Clerk. Once ownership is verified, the Clerk's office will then process the work order.

Burial Lots- Transactions

All burial transactions/agreements shall be executed and recorded on behalf of the City by the City Clerk.

Owner's Burial Rights

1. The owner(s) of any burial lot shall have the right of burial of the dead. Each lot shall be approved for the burial of one (1) body and up to six (6) cremains.
2. The owner(s) of an unused burial lot may sell, bequeath, donate, or by any other legal act, transfer the ownership of the burial lot to another. Transfer shall be made through and with the authorization of the City Clerk's Office.
3. If proof of transfer of ownership of any unused lot was not conducted through and with the authorization of the City Clerk's Office, transferor and/or transferee shall provide acceptable proof of such to the City Clerk. Except for the burial of a person authorized by the owner(s) named on the existing records on file with the City Clerk's office, no internment shall be permitted until transfer is approved by the City Clerk's Office.

Decoration of Lots

1. Definition – Lot decoration shall be deemed to include all structures, ornaments, plantings, or other embellishments, with the exception of monuments and markers which are placed on cemetery lots with the intention of improving their appearance.
2. As certain types of decorative elements impede maintenance operations and/or are not in harmony with cemetery development as a whole, the City has established and shall enforce restriction on the types of decoration that may be placed on cemetery lots.
3. With regard to lot decorations, the following rules shall be observed:
 - a. Placement of permissible decorations, plants, and/or flowers is restricted to an area measured as 18 inches out from the front of the stone/marker by a width no greater than the stone/marker. Such area may be delineated at surface grade with concrete pavers, or brick coping, edging, the outside edge of which may not exceed the above defined area.
 - b. Fencing of any kind, steps, structures of wood or equally perishable material are strictly prohibited.
 - c. The planting of woody, deciduous trees, hedges, and conifers is strictly prohibited. Only herbaceous (soft, nonwoody) planting material will be permitted. Any plant classified as invasive is prohibited and will be removed from cemetery property.

- i. Existing deciduous trees, hedges, conifers, or other plantings that impede, encroach upon adjoining lots and/or pathways shall be pruned/trimmed, or removed, without notice at the discretion of the Sexton.
- d. The use of glass jars, bottles, or other fragile receptacles for cut flowers is strictly prohibited.
- e. The placement of toys, stuffed, plastic, or otherwise manufactured, personal items and/or other unsightly objects is strictly prohibited. Sculptured animals, statues, or statuettes manufactured from durable materials such as concrete, stone, or granite will be allowed in the approved decorative area within 18 inches from the front of the marker. Sculptured animals, statues, or statuettes made from fragile materials such as glass or ceramic are prohibited.
- f. No elevated mounds shall be built over graves and no lot shall be filled above the grade established by the City.
- g. Receptacles for fresh and artificial flowers, the top edge of which shall be flush with the lawn's surface may be installed within the lot's designated area only.
- h. One (1) flag holder may be installed on each grave within the lot's designated area, only.
- i. Winter decorations, blankets, wreaths, urns, etc., are permitted on the grave from November 15th until March 15th and shall be secured in a manner to prevent displacement by the wind. Decorations that have been displaced by the wind may be removed by the City. Decorations remaining on the grave after March 15th shall be considered abandoned and shall be disposed of by cemetery management.
- j. Arches and shepherd's hooks for hanging baskets or eternal lights, only, are permitted within the decorations area as follows:
 - i. Arches and shepherds' hooks shall be self-supporting and constructed of metal.
 - ii. Arches shall be secured so as to prevent displacement by the wind.
 - iii. Arches shall be installed within the designated area or directly behind the headstone/marker.
 - iv. The placement of arches and shepherd hooks shall not impede maintenance operations.
- k. Benches donated to Fairview Cemetery shall be of granite, stone, metal, or other maintenance free materials. The benches shall be placed by cemetery personnel in areas determined by the Sexton to provide for silent reverie and reflection. Inscriptions are permitted with prior approval by the Sexton. Advertising in any form is strictly prohibited.

Erection/Installation of Monuments, Tombstones, Marker or Similar Structures

1. No monument, tombstone, grave marker or similar structure shall be installed except by cemetery personnel and shall be installed at the head of the platted grave.
2. Only one (1) grave marking element per gravesite is permitted, except for flat military foot markers may be permitted, as approved by the Sexton.
3. All grave marker/monuments shall be placed on a foundation of a depth and size deemed appropriate by the Sexton.
4. No grave marker larger than 36" x 18" is permitted on a single grave; no marker larger than 72" x 18" is permitted in Fairview Cemetery.

5. No monument, tombstone, grave marker, or similar structure shall unreasonably impede maintenance operation and/or care of burial sites or lots.
6. No artificial coloring shall be used on any monument, tombstone, markers, or similar structure in the cemetery.
7. No monument, tombstone, grave marker, or similar structure shall detract from the dignity of the cemetery.

Cemetery Plantings

No shrub, deciduous or coniferous tree, hedge, or any other woody plant material shall be placed or planted within the boundaries of the cemetery and shall be removed, without notice at the discretion of the Sexton.

Labor Charges

Fees for cemetery services shall be established by City Council and may, from time to time, be increased or decreased in the same manner. The City Clerk, on behalf of the City shall charge fees for services to be performed. Fees shall be paid in full to the City Treasurer before cemetery services are performed. No person other than an employee of the City or an approved contractor shall dig or open a grave, nor shall any person grade, fill, or make alterations to cemetery property at any time.

Lining for Graves

Each grave shall contain a commercial vault or box made of concrete, metal, polypropylene, or other synthetic materials with a stress strength of 3,000 pounds per square inch and a life expectancy of at least 50 years. Said vault shall be constructed, installed, and reinforced so as to prevent settling of the ground of the lot or burial space.

Use of Water

A water spigot will be made available for the care of flowers, plantings, and burial spaces from May 1st, through October 1st. No water from this source shall be used except for the maintenance of flowers and herbaceous plants. Unattended use, or the connection of sprinklers is prohibited.

Animals

Dogs must remain leashed while on cemetery property. Dogs must remain on cemetery service drives and/or sidewalks at all times. Dogs are prohibited from entering the grassy areas of Fairview Cemetery.

Cemetery Hours

Fairview Cemetery shall be open from sunrise to sunset. No person shall enter the cemetery except during these hours. Persons found in the cemetery outside of these times will be subject to the City's trespass ordinance.



CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

The City of Linden wishes to thank you for your interest in serving as a Volunteer Citizen Representative on a Board, Commission or Committee. Your Candidate Questionnaire will be kept on file and entered for consideration for posted openings on any Board, Commission or Committee that you expressed an interest in for a period of two years. Please feel free to submit an updated Candidate Questionnaire at any time.

Please be advised that the information contained in this Questionnaire is not confidential, and will be reviewed by the Mayor, City Council and other appropriate personnel as vacancies or openings occur on the various Boards, Commissions and Committees. This Candidate Questionnaire may also be included in any City Council Meeting Packet which is published and made available for public inspection in print and on the Internet. Your address, phone numbers and e-mail, will not be published, even in the Meeting Packet.

BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU WANT TO SERVE (please check up to five applicable boxes; see attachment for descriptions):

Appointed by Mayor-Confirmed by City Council

Planning Commission

Other: Cemetery

Zoning Board of Appeals

Board of Review

Historic District Commission

Library Board

Parks and Recreation Commission

Downtown Development Authority

Election Inspector



NAME__David Lambert_____ **CITY OF LINDEN RESIDENT FOR** __3__ **YEARS**

ADDRESS__212 Maple Dr_____ **ZIP**__48451_____

PHONE (home) _____ **PHONE** (business or cell)__8106292858_____

EMAIL_____david@fentonmemorials.com_____

OCCUPATION:_____Engraving/Cemetery Memorials_____

INTERESTS/REASONS/QUALIFICATIONS: (Resume may be attached) _____Most cities have a cemetery board, and this city needs one; as my profession is in cemeteries and headstones, I am qualified to advise the city council and mayor. There is not currently a board, and I am asking the Mayor, City Council, and whatever entities required to create a board to meet monthly to advise the city.

BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU HAVE SERVED (LIST MUNICIPALITIES AND DATES):

_____none_____

ELECTIVE OFFICES THAT YOU HAVE HELD:

_____none_____

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS: (Ex. Homeowners Association, Volunteer Groups, PTA etc. . .) ____I am a volunteer leader at the Rock Church._____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Please consider creating a board for a cemetery board. If would like in setting one up, please see Doug Tebo who is the chairman of the Oakwood Cemetery for the city of Fenton. His number is 810-874-2610. This is a much needed board to be created.

**CITY OF LINDEN
ORDINANCE NO. 428**

An ordinance amending Chapter 72 of Title VIII of the Code of Ordinances regarding bicycles, scooters and mopeds.

THE CITY OF LINDEN ORDAINS THAT:

Section 1. Amendment of Chapter 72 of Title VII of the Code of Ordinances.

The City hereby amends Chapter 72 of Title VII of the Code of Ordinances so that it reads as follows:

72.01 Definitions.

For purposes of this chapter, the following definitions apply:

Bicycle: a device propelled by human power upon which a person may ride, having either 2 or 3 wheels in a tandem or tricycle arrangement, all of which are over 14 inches in diameter.

Scooter: a wheeled device that has a floorboard designed to be stood upon when riding that is no more than 60 inches long and 18 inches wide, is designed to transport only 1 person at a time and is powered by human propulsion.

Moped: includes both two-wheeled bicycles and three-wheeled tricycles that satisfy all of the elements of the definition contained in section 32b of the Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.32b.

Electric bicycle: includes both two-wheeled bicycles and three-wheeled tricycles that satisfy all of the elements of the definition contained in section 13e of the Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.13e.

Electric scooter: a wheeled device that has a floorboard designed to be stood upon when riding that is no more than 60 inches long and 18 inches wide, is designed to transport only 1 person at a time and has an electrical propulsion system and may have handlebars.

Similar device: any wheeled device designed for personal transportation that is propelled by human power, electric motor, or a combination thereof, including but not limited to skateboards, hoverboards, self-balancing scooters, electric skateboards, and one-wheeled electric boards, but excluding wheelchairs, mobility assistance devices, and devices operated exclusively by persons under

the age of 7 on a sidewalk under the direct supervision of a parent or guardian. The term “similar device” does not include any motor vehicle as defined under the Michigan Vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.33.

Mobility assistance device: any manual or power-driven tool, device, or equipment -- such as walkers, canes, crutches, wheelchairs, or mobility scooters -- used by individuals with injuries, disabilities, or limited mobility to improve independence, balance, and locomotion.

72.02 Unlawful Operation and Parking.

(a) No person shall operate a bicycle, electric bicycle, scooter, electric scooter, moped, or similar device in a careless or negligent manner likely to endanger any person or property. A person operates a device in a careless or negligent manner when the person fails to exercise the degree of care and caution that a reasonably careful person would exercise under the circumstances then existing.

(b) Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following conduct shall constitute a violation of this subsection:

- (i) Operating against the flow of traffic on any roadway or bicycle lane.
- (ii) Operating on a sidewalk at a speed that is excessive under the circumstances, taking into account pedestrian traffic, visibility, and surface conditions.
- (iii) Failing to yield the right-of-way to pedestrians in a crosswalk or on a sidewalk.
- (iv) Operating during the period from 1/2 hour after sunset to 1/2 hour before sunrise without a front lamp visible from at least 500 feet and a rear red reflector visible from at least 500 feet.
- (v) Operating while carrying more passengers than the device is designed to accommodate.
- (vi) Operating while under the influence of alcohol or controlled substance, as defined in the Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.625.

(vii) Operating on the roadway when a useable path for bicycles, electric bicycles, scooters, electric scooters, mopeds or similar devices has been provided adjacent to a roadway.

(viii) Operating while attached to any vehicle or other self-propelled device upon a roadway.

(ix) Operating in violation of traffic control devices.

(c) A person shall not park a bicycle, electric bicycle, scooter, electric scooter, moped, or similar device on a sidewalk where such vehicle parking is prohibited by an official traffic control device. A person shall not park a bicycle, electric bicycle, scooter, electric scooter, moped, or similar device in a manner that would unreasonably obstruct pedestrian or other traffic.

(d) No person shall operate a bicycle, electric bicycle, scooter, electric scooter, moped, or similar device in any manner or location which shall deface or damage any private or public property.

Section 2. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days following publication

At a regular meeting of the Linden City Council held on August ____, 2026, adoption of the foregoing ordinance was moved by _____ and supported by _____.

Voting for:

Voting against:

The Mayor declared the ordinance adopted.

Kristyn Kanyak
City Clerk

Elizabeth Armstrong
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing is a true copy of Ordinance No. 428 which was enacted by the Linden City Council at a regular meeting held on August ____, 2026.

Kristyn Kanyak, City Clerk

Addressed by City Attorney during meetings.



CITY OF LINDEN

PUBLIC COMMENT CARD

Per Council Rules and Procedures, as amended

Why ARE questions
Being Deflected

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name or Group/Organization Name <i>Judy Preston</i>	Date of Meeting <i>7-27-26</i>
Street Address including City, State, ZIP Code	
E-mail Address (in case we need to contact you): [REDACTED]	
☐ General Comment (requiring no response) ☒ Question (requiring response)	
Description of comment or question: <i>① Charter questions section 6.1, 6.2, 6.4 7.7.② Handbook ③ Comment cards. ④ Promoting Politics ⑤ Financial Reports ⑥ People Hired from Sept 2019 - Now (Newalist)</i>	

OR
Not
answered

Upon completion, please submit to the City Clerk

⑦ 3 Bids

Any person wishing to address the City Council will get 3 minutes. Individuals wishing to speak will be called upon utilizing the completed Public Comment Cards. Remarks should be addressed to the presiding officer and is not time for debate, but for comments or questions for Council and/or Staff to answer or research. Questions will be answered during the meeting if the information is readily available. If answers are not available during the meeting, Council or Staff will contact the individual within one week or 7 business days, or when the information becomes available. No person shall have the right to speak more than once on any particular subject until all persons wishing to be heard on that subject have the opportunity to speak.

Need a list of References to Charter
laws over the Violations that were sent

check
Registers



CITY OF LINDEN

PUBLIC COMMENT CARD

Per Council Rules and Procedures, as amended.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name or Group/Organization Name MONICA R LARNER		Date of Meeting 7-27-26
Street Address [REDACTED]		City, State, Zip LINDEN MI 48451
Email Address [REDACTED]	Phone Number (in case we need to contact you): [REDACTED]	
☐ General Comment (requiring no response)		☒ Question (requiring response)
Description of comment or question: Loose Senior Center Annex Audio/Visual Classes at Loose Police Reports May Activity Log?		

Upon completion, please submit to the City Clerk.

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See emailed responses.

2025

7-27-26

Thank you to Chief Sutter, Don Grice, and Kristyn for the emails.

Loose Senior Center is becoming the second Linden Community Center, while the VFW Community Center remains empty.

The annex is NOT conducive to hearing/seeing during Council Meetings, Shaun Shumaker meeting, Serene Brain meeting, and Reading Books. There was talking in the hallway, wheeled carts coming and going from the room, cell phone videos playing continuously, etc. I can't imagine how voting deserves to be in OUR Senior Center.

What is it with Audio / Visual in this building? Get it fixed instead of putting us in the Annex. Get microphones, recording equipment, projectors, and security fixed. Get the voting moved out of OUR Senior Center.

March had at least 10 canceled classes. April had at least 24 canceled classes. May had at least 18 canceled classes, not including May 5, which was taken over all day by voting, canceling 8 classes.

Police Reports: May and June do not include my 911 calls for the 913/915/919 N Bridge St calls.

There is no May Activity Log on the website. The search engine does not give results for MOST of my searches. The June 22 meeting did not have a Loose Department Report on the agenda, and there was no May activity report.

SLPR will be offering pop-up fitness classes at Loose this spring and summer. The first session is scheduled for Thursdays, April 30, May 28, June 18 and July 16 from 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Proclamation Military Kids

March 23 855-330-0801 Automated call
Hi Monica This is Loose Senior Center calling
with a reminder that the Arthritis Exercise
class for tomorrow Tuesday March 24th is
canceled. (Can't even say 'loose' correct)

Calendar

April 1 Wed. 6 programs/classes
4 were red. NO

April 2 Thurs. 7 programs/classes
3 were NO

April 3 Closed!

April 6 Class 'Closed' Wreck Edmund Fitzgerald
HOPE Property Taxes 9:00 AM
No Cardio, No Gentle Flow Yoga

April 7

No Arthritis Exercise 9:30

No Arthritis Exercise 10:30

April 8

No Cardio/Aerobics

April 9

No Drums Alive (there was no Drums 3-19)

April 10

No Tai Chi - isn't this a new class

POD prices start at \$149/mo plus delivery/pickup
I hear that Storage is an issue, however the
POD is still here. What is the cost of the POD?

April 13 No Cardio/Aerobics
14 No Arthritis Exercise (9:30/10:30)
15 No Cardio/Aerobics
16 No Arthritis Exercise
20 No Cardio/Aerobics
21 No Arthritis Exercise (9:30/10:30)
22 No Cardio/Aerobics

Why is Wood Carving limited to 1.5 hours
while other events have 2 hours

No wood carving on 1st Wed of month - movie at 1pm
Why are there 2 pickleball courts
May 4th - moving Gentle Flow Yoga to 5pm from 2pm

Charter Resident

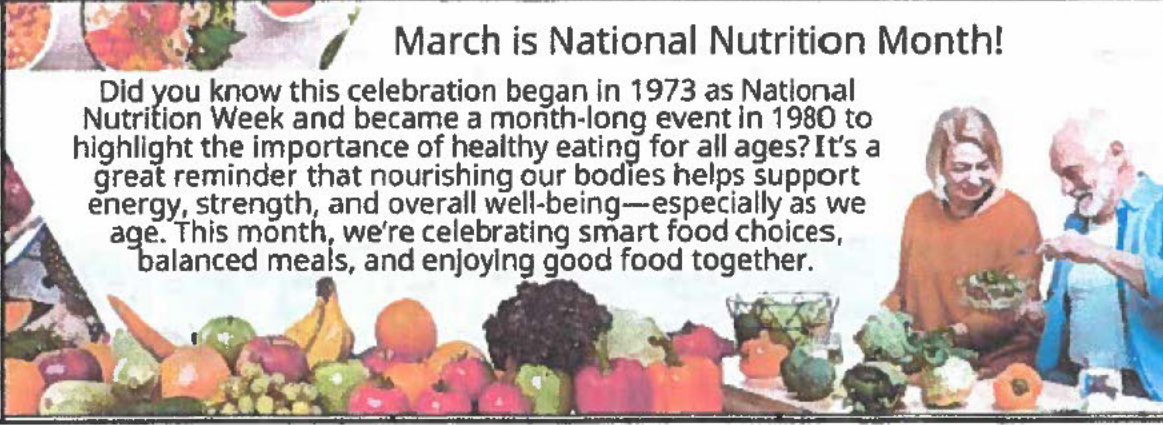
Movement

Mission

Repetition breeds
familiarity +
familiarity feels
safe.

MARCH AT - A - GLANCE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Bracelet Making 1:00 Euchre 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga	3 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Bingo 2:00 Chair Yoga 	4 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 NO Wood Carve 1:00 NO Pinochle 1:00 Movie Day 	5 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball	6 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball 1:00 Chorus
9 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 12:30 Book Club 1:00 Euchre 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga 	10 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercises Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 12:15 Euchre Tourn. 2:00 Chair Yoga 	11 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 11:30 Argentine Care Soup Lunch (pre-order required) 12:00 Wood Carve 1:00 Pinochle 2:00 Grief Support 	12 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Strength & Bal. 1:00 NO Euchre 1:00 NO Beginner Pickleball St. Patrick's Event 5:00 - 7:00 Pre-paid ticket required. No ticket sales at the door. 	13 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball 1:00 Chorus

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16 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Bracelet Making 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga	17 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Happy Stampers 2:00 Chair Yoga	18 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 1:00 Pinochle	19 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball	20 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball 1:00 Chorus
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30 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Euchre 2:00 NO Gentle Flow Yoga	31 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 2:00 NO Chair Yoga	March is National Nutrition Month! Did you know this celebration began in 1973 as National Nutrition Week and became a month-long event in 1980 to highlight the importance of healthy eating for all ages? It's a great reminder that nourishing our bodies helps support energy, strength, and overall well-being—especially as we age. This month, we're celebrating smart food choices, balanced meals, and enjoying good food together.  		

APRIL AT - A - GLANCE

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday


1
 9:30 ~~NO~~ Gentle Flow Yoga
 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics
 11:00 ~~NO~~ Ivy Rehab
 Strength & Bal.
 12:00 ~~NO~~ Wood Carve
 1:00 ~~NO~~ Pinochle
 1:00 Movie Day



2
 9:30 **Choice One Fraud**
 9:30 ~~NO~~ Drums Alive
 10:15 ~~NO~~ Chair Yoga
 10:30 ~~NO~~ Arthritis Exercise
 12:00 Advanced Therapy
 Strength & Bal.
 1:00 Euchre
 1:00 Beginner Pickleball

**CLOSED
GOOD FRIDAY**



6
 9:30 **Wreck of Edmund Fitzgerald**
 9:30 **HOPE Property Taxes**
 9:30 Art Group Studio
 1:00 ~~NO~~ Cardio/Aerobics
 1:00 **Bracelet Making**
 1:00 Euchre
 2:00 ~~NO~~ Gentle Flow Yoga



7
 9:30 **Coffee with Tessa**
 9:30 ~~NO~~ Arthritis Exer.
 10:30 ~~NO~~ Arthritis Exer.
 Line Dance:
 11:00 Beginner
 12:00 Intermediate
 12:30 Mahjong
 1:00 **Bingo Bucks**
 2:00 Chair Yoga



8
 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga
 11:00 ~~NO~~ Cardio/Aerobics
 11:00 Ivy Rehab
 Strength & Bal.
 11:30 **Argentine Care
Soup Lunch**
 (pre-order required)
 12:00 Wood Carve
 1:00 Pinochle
 2:00 **Grief Support**



9
 9:30 ~~NO~~ Drums Alive
 10:30 ~~NO~~ Arthritis Exercise
 12:00 Chair Yoga
 12:00 Advanced Therapy
 Strength & Bal.
 1:00 Euchre
 1:00 Beginner Pickleball

10
 8:30
 Quilting/Knitting/
 Crocheting/Crafting
 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga
 11:00 ~~NO~~ Tai Chi
 12:15 Intermediate
 Pickleball
 1:00 Chorus

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13 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 12:30 Book Club 1:00 Euchre 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga  Book Club	14 9:30 NO Arthritis Exer. 10:30 NO Arthritis Exer. Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 11:30 Lunch & Learn 12:00 Intermediate 12:15 Euchre Tournament 12:30 Mahjong 2:00 Chair Yoga 	15 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle	16 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 NO Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball  CASINO BUS TRIP	17 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting/Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball 1:00 Chorus
20 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Bracelet Making 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga	21 9:30 NO Arthritis Exercise 10:30 NO Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Happy Stampers 2:00 Chair Yoga 4:00 Classic K9 Dog Show	22 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle 2:00 Grief Support	23 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Balance 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball 3:30 Community Food	24 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting/Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball 1:00 Chorus
27 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Euchre 2:00 Gentle Flow Yoga Secretary of State Mobile Office 10AM - Noon <i>Appointments only</i>	28 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Dementia Support 2:00 Chair Yoga	29 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle Meadowbrook Day Trip	30 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball	

MAY AT - A - GLANCE

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

MAY IN MICHIGAN FLOWERY FUN FACTS				
Holland blooms! Over 2 million tulip bulbs brighten the city each spring. Mother's Day is one of Michigan's biggest flower-buying days. Lilacs are in bloom, filling the air with their classic spring scent. Flower Day fun! Eastern Market draws around 60,000 visitors each May.				
8:30 Quilting Knitting/Crocheting & Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball				
4 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Bracelet Making (must pre-register) 1:00 GDL UFO's over Michigan (must pre-register) 1:00 Euchre 5:00 Gentle Flow Yoga March = 19 April = 24 May = 18	5 Election 9:30 Coffee with Tessa 9:30 Arthritis Exer. 10:30 Arthritis Exer. Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 NO Mahjong 1:00 BINGO BUCKS 2:00 Chair Yoga BINGO	6 9:00 Biking Bunch 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carve 12:30 NO Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle 1:00 MOVIE DAY CINEMA Movie Time	7 9:00 Coffee with Shaun 9:30 NO Drums Alive 10:30 NO Arthritis Exer. 10:15 Chair Yoga 11:00 Healthy Snacks (must pre-register) 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball	8 8:30 Quilting Knitting/Crocheting & Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball

Election

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11 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 12:30 Book Club 1:00 Euchre 5:00 Gentle Flow Yoga  Book Club	12 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:15 Euchre Tournament 12:30 Mahjong 2:00 Chair Yoga 	13 9:00 Biking Bunch 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 NO Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle 2:00 Grief Support	14 NO Classes/Activities 1:00PM - 3:00PM LADIES DAY TEA Ticket required for entry. No ticket sales at the door. 	15 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting/Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball
18 9:30 GDL Cooking with Ming <i>(must pre-register)</i> 9:30 Art Group Studio 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 1:00 Bracelet Making <i>(must pre-register)</i> 1:00 Euchre 2:00 Chorus Concert 5:00 Gentle Flow Yoga	19 9:30 Arthritis Exercise 10:30 Arthritis Exercise Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Happy Stampers 1:00 Diabetes Nutrition <i>(must pre-register)</i> 2:00 Chair Yoga	20 9:00 Biking Bunch 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 NO Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle	21 9:30 NO Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 NO Arthritis Exer. 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Balance 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball	22 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting/Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball
25 CLOSED  MEMORIAL DAY	26 9:30 NO Arthritis Exer. 10:30 NO Arthritis Exer. Line Dance: 11:00 Beginner 12:00 Intermediate 12:30 Mahjong 1:00 Dementia Support 2:00 Chair Yoga	27 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 NO Cardio/Aerobics 11:00 Ivy Rehab Strength & Bal. 12:00 Wood Carving 12:30 Drums Alive 1:00 Pinochle 2:00 Grief Support	28 9:30 Drums Alive 10:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Arthritis Exercise 12:00 Advanced Therapy Strength & Bal. 1:00 Euchre 1:00 Beginner Pickleball 3:30 Community Food Tiger Game Field Trip	29 8:30 Quilting/Knitting Crocheting/Crafting 9:30 Gentle Flow Yoga 11:00 Tai Chi 12:15 Intermediate Pickleball

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2	MONTHLY ACTIVITY LOG															Cumulative Duplicated Senior Participants:			
3	Senior Center Name: Loose Senior Center									Month: March 1 through March 31, 2026						Cumulative Number of Unduplicated Senior			
4	Socialization Activities			Education Activities			Health Activities			Nutrition Activities			Transportation Activities			Social Services			
5	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title	Activity Frequency	# of Senior Persons	Activity Title
6	Bingo	1	26	Balance Assessment	1	16	Arthritis Exercise 10:30	8	120				Read and Ride-MTA	4	0	Alzheimers Support	1	4	
7	Bus Trip	1	16	Book Club	1	13	Arthritis Exercise 9:30	8	92	Food Pantry	4	59				Ask a Lawyer	1	5	
8	Euchre	7	106	Crochet/Knitting	4	21	Beginner Pickleball	4	23	Lunch	19	152				Medicare/Medicaid/MiCafe	4	8	
9	Euchre Tournament	1	16	Jewelry Class	1	4	Beginner Line Dancing	2	13	Community Soup	1	47				Grief Support	2	8	
10	WI	1	2	Happy Stampers	1	3	Blood Pressure	2	0							Puzzles	19	70	
11	Mahjong	4	34	Oddities & Rarities-GDL	1	26	Cardio/Aerobic	7	78										
12	Newsletter	19	51	Loose Chorus	4	35	Chair Yoga	8	109							Loan Closet	19	15	
13	Office Visit	19	151	Painting	3	18	Gentle Flow Yoga	11	201							Book Nook	8	88	
14	Out of County Membership	19	1	Quilting	4	14	Foot Doctor	0	0							Income Tax Preparation	4	70	
15	Pinoche	2	18	Wood Carving	2	14	Intermediate Line Dance	2	11										
16	Tax Form pick up	19	4	Be a volunteer	1	10	Massage	2	10										
17	Movie	1	18	Desert Angels Crafting	1	4	Strength & Balance-IVY	4	56										
18	Coffee	18	70				Pickleball	4	45										
19	Celtic evening	1	50				Strength & Balance	4	55										
20	Pinoche	2	18				Drums Alive	4	37										
21							Tai Chi	4	18										
22	Board Game Night	2	4																
23																			
24																			
25																			
26	Total Socialization	118	581	Total Education	24	178	Total Health	74	868	Total Nutrition	24	258	Total Transportation	4	0	Total Social Services	58	278	Total Outreach

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6	Bingo	1	20	Wreck OF Edmund Fitzgerald	1	33	Arthritis Exercise 10:30	4	46	Commodities	1	1	Read and Ride-MTA	4	0	Alzheimers Support	1	4	
7	Bus Trip	1	41	Book Club	1	13	Arthritis Exercise 9:30	2	8	Food Pantry		85				Ask a Lawyer	1	5	
8	Euchre	9	120	Crochet/Knitting	3	19	Beginner Pickleball	4	65	Lunch		141				Medicare/Medicaid/MiCafe	3	1	
9	Euchre Tournament	1	23	Jewelry Class	2	5	Beginner Line Dancing	4	16	Community Soup	1	33				Grief Support	2	11	
10	Will	8	4	Happy Stampers	1	1	Blood Pressure	2	3							Puzzles	21	65	
11	Mahjong	4	26	Elder Abuse & Fraud	1	5	Cardio/Aerobic	5	17							Secretary of State	1	19	
12	Newsletter	21	41	Loose Chorus	3	32	Chair Yoga	8	126							Loan Closet	21	14	
13	Office Visit	21	167	Painting	4	11	Gentle Flow Yoga	10	234							Book Nook	21	72	
14	Out of County Membership	21	5	Quilting	3	3	Foot Doctor	1	19							Income Tax Preparation	2	23	
15	Pinochle	4	26	Wood Carving	4	18	Intermediate Line Dance	4	16							Veteran Support		1	
16	Tax Form pick up	21	2	Lunch & Learn	1	11	Massage	4	6							Coffee & Convo w/Director	1	13	
17	Movie	1	17	Desert Angels Crafting	3	9	Strength & Balance-IVY	4	68										
18	Coffee	21	90	Fly Fishing	1	2	Pickleball	3	39										
19	K9 Dog Show	1	63				Strength & Balance	5	60										
20							Drums Alive	3	52										
21	Garden Club	21	26				Tai Chi	2	7										
22	Junk in the Trunk Registration	21	8																
23	Travel Document Meeting	1	3																
24																			
25																			
26	Total Socialization	178	685	Total Education	28	162	Total Health	65	784	Total Nutrition	2	260	Total Transportation	4	0	Total Social Services	74	228	Total Outreach

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6	Bingo	1	21	Cooking w/ Ming	1	11	Arthritis Exercise 10:30	4	98	Commodities	22	1				Alzheimers Support	1	4	
7				Book Club	1	15	Arthritis Exercise 9:30	4	49	Food Pantry		38				Ask a Lawyer	1	7	
8	Euchre	9	145	Crochet/Knitting	4	14	Beginner Pickleball	4	35	Lunch	21	172				Medicare/Medicaid/MiCafe	4	8	
9	Euchre Tournament	1	18	Jewelry Class	2	8	Beginner Line Dancing	4	24	Community Soup	1	31				Grief Support	2	9	
10	Wii	8	5	Happy Stampers	1	3	Blood Pressure	2	4							Puzzles	22	34	
11	Mahjong	5	59	CPR Training	1	11	Cardio/Aerobic	5	59							Shredding Event	1	38	
12	Newsletter	22	51	Composting Class-GDL	1	13	Chair Yoga	8	180							Loan Closet	22	18	
13	Office Visit	22	138	Painting	5	16	Gentle Flow Yoga	12	252							Book Nook	22	78	
14	Out of County Membership	22		Quilting	4	7	Biking Bunch	4	31							Cooling Center	4	2	
15	Pinochle	4	34	Wood Carving	4	15	Intermediate Line Dance	4	17							Veteran Support	1	5	
16	Farewell Dotti Cele.	1	14	Estate Planning	1	14	Massage	4	5										
17	Movie	1	16	Desert Angels Crafting	4	9	Strength & Balance-IVY	4	63										
18	Coffee	21	74	Learn a Craft	1	10	Pickleball	4	25										
19	Coffee & Convo	1	1	Mahjong Lessons	2	14	Strength & Balance	4	80										
20	Travel Presentation	1	18				Drums Alive	4	67										
21	Garden Club	22	55				Tai Chi	4	21										
22	Junk in the Trunk	1	10				Foot Doctor Podiatrist	1	14										
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26	Total Socialization	142	655	Total Education	32	158	Total Health	76	982	Total Nutrition	44	242	Total Transportation	0	0	Total Social Services	80	200	Total Outre



11 AM - July 21, 2026 (Tuesday)



Outlook

FW: code report

From Scott Sutter <police@lindenmi.us>
Date Tue 7/28/2026 2:01 PM
To Kristyn Kanyak <clerk@lindenmi.us>

Kristyn, here is my email to her.

From: Scott Sutter
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2026 1:31 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: code report

Mrs. Larner, please be advised that in the code report you will see the 900 block of N. Bridge, car blocking sidewalk. These are the ones from you calling 911.

Scott D. Sutter
Chief of Police
Linden Police Department
132 E. Broad St.
Linden, MI 48451
810-735-5454

Public Comment Card Follow up- July 27, 2026

From Tessa Sweeney <tsweeney@lindenmi.us>

Date Mon 8/3/2026 2:50 PM

To [REDACTED]

Cc Ellen Glass <manager@lindenmi.us>; Kristyn Kanyak <clerk@lindenmi.us>

Monica,

Thank you for submitting your comments regarding the Loose Senior Center. After reviewing the matters raised concerning programming, instructor availability, audiovisual equipment, use of the Annex, elections, participation, and Southern Lakes Parks and Recreation programming, see the following response. These matters have been addressed through the Director of Senior Services and Community Engagement's regular reports to the City Council, as well as through City Manager updates.

It is important to note that the use of the Loose Senior Center as the City's voting location was established through formal action of the Linden City Council. On December 8, 2025, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 24-25, approving the relocation of the City's Early Voting site to the Loose Senior Center, and Resolution No. 25-25, approving the relocation of the City's Election Day polling location to the Loose Senior Center. These resolutions were approved following the evaluation of available facilities and determination that the Loose Senior Center was the most suitable location based on accessibility, security, facility layout, logistics, and compliance with Bureau of Elections requirements. Staff has coordinated senior center scheduling to minimize disruptions during Early Voting and on Election Day while continuing to support regular programming and services.

The March 16, 2026 report advised the City Council that the Hall A projector and DVD player were no longer operational and that replacement options were being evaluated. It also outlined the methods used to communicate programming information, including bulletin boards, the in-house television, Facebook, the City's website, and the monthly newsletter.

The April 22, 2026 report explained that cancellations of Arthritis Exercise classes resulted from instructor availability, scheduled time off, and other obligations. Alternative exercise opportunities were offered whenever possible, and staff assisted with classes to maintain continuity.

The May 6, 2026 report informed the City Council that Arthritis Exercise and Drums Alive had been affected by instructor family emergencies and obligations with their organizations. It also confirmed that the staff was obtaining quotes for replacement audiovisual equipment.

The July 20, 2026 report provided additional updates regarding audiovisual equipment replacement, recruitment of a yoga instructor, the return of Arthritis Exercise on July 14, and continued efforts to maintain and expand programming. It also reported that, as of July 20, the center had already served 1,615 Genesee County seniors, exceeding the previous full-year total of 1,601 participants.

Regarding your statement that no programming was offered on May 5 due to voting, the attendance records do not support that conclusion. Records document Food Pantry services,

Arthritis Exercise, Beginning and Intermediate Line Dance, Chair Yoga, the Book Nook, Coffee and Conversation with the Director, the Medical Loan Closet, Bingo, Garden Club, coffee service, newsletter pickup, and office visits. Overall, those records reflect 93 program and service sign-ins representing 82 participants, in addition to guest participation. While voting required coordination of room use and scheduling, the center remained open and actively provided programming and services throughout the day.

The City Manager also informed the City Council and as shown in the Loose monthly newsletter that programming would continue during the July 25 through August 2 Early Voting period and during the first week of August. The only exceptions were Drums Alive and Arthritis Exercise, which were cancelled by the instructor due to personal and professional obligations—not because voting displaced the classes. Lunch accommodations were also advertised during the Early Voting period. Lunch service was ultimately cancelled because there were insufficient registrations.

Election Day is August 4. The use of the Loose Senior Center as a polling location does not change its function as a senior center, nor does it mean that regular programming is suspended. Programming continues whenever possible through coordinated scheduling while the City fulfills its election responsibilities. Staff continues to coordinate facility scheduling and operations to support both the City's election responsibilities and the ongoing delivery of senior programming and services.

The Southern Lakes Parks and Recreation pop-up fitness classes referenced in your comments were SLPR programs requiring advance registration through Southern Lakes Parks and Recreation.

The July 20 report also noted that participants attending Movie Day provided positive feedback regarding the Annex's sound quality, visibility, and seating for that program.

Regarding the photograph of the parking lot taken at approximately 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 21, the image reflects only a single point in time and does not provide a complete representation of the center's overall attendance or utilization. Participation records provide a more accurate measure of overall utilization than a single photograph taken.

Thank you

Tessa Sweeney

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Public Comment Follow Up from July 27, 2026

From Kristyn Kanyak <clerk@lindenmi.us>

Date Wed 8/5/2026 4:33 PM

To Monica R Larner 

Good afternoon,

I wanted to follow up regarding your public comment about the search engine on our City website. I know you had previously inquired about this. I went back to review and was hoping you could further explain what you meant when you stated it doesn't show most of the things you are looking for, so I can better understand. Please provide me an example of what you are trying to search.

Thank you,

Kristyn Kanyak, MiPMC

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LINDEN PARKS & REC EVENT SCHEDULE

April 23 – Fly Tying, Loose Center

May 14 – Ben Franklin Kite Making & Flying, Linden County Park

May 25 – Memorial Day Kayaking, Millpond, 12:00 pm

June 18 – Little Explorers, Eagles Wooden Park

August 6 – Little Explorers, Eagles Wooden Park

August 20 – Bats in our Backyard, Eagles Wooden Park

Sept 24 – Senior Kayaking, Millpond

New Date

Knit-a-thon & Gilmore Girls, Kimble-Sharp Gazebo

Events begin at 6:00 PM unless otherwise noted



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AUGUST 4th & 18th

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