



# ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

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## Fall Clean-Up Day - cancelled

The Town Board has cancelled our Fall Cleanup Day.

The Wright County Compost & Recycling Facility does accept some items, including brush.

### **APPOINTMENTS ARE REQUIRED**

Please check the back of this newsletter for further information.

## Township Pit Area Remains Closed

The Town Board reluctantly had to close this area to the public. The Town Board may reconsider options to reopen it in 2021. Some residents have called and asked why the pit area was closed; there were numerous reasons.

The pit area is an area to store products for town roads such as gravel, salt & sand, brush from tree trimming from our road right-of-ways, etc..

Use of the pit area was a courtesy to Township residents and not a right as a tax payer. The pit was closed because of numerous reasons: verbal abuse to Township employees, dumping in the wrong locations, illegal dumping from non-residents, commercial companies and township residents. Items that have been dumped included tree stumps, bags left with leaves, lumber etc. We were also missing gravel/granite from our stockpile.

If you need a burning permit, please call our office, or you can also get them from the MN DNR website.

## November Election

To reduce congestion and long wait times that may occur at the upcoming election on November 3, it is highly recommend that you consider absentee voting in the upcoming election, if possible.

We are prepared for in-person voting for this election; however, we wanted to remind you that there are other options.

[mnvotes.org](http://mnvotes.org)

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Our Office is open, but is currently closed to the public..... please call during the following hours, leave a message, or email. Thanks!

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday  
7 a.m. – 11 a.m. & Noon – 3:30 p.m.

**We are sorry for any inconvenience that this has caused.  
Thank you for your patience! Stay strong... Stay safe!**