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MEADOW LAKE ADVISOR

NEW TRASH REMOVAL COMPANY

Most of us recently received a new 2010 Assessment sheet on our property here in Harrison Township. Included in this mailing was a brochure on the Trash Removal proposal that was voted in at our last election. This new service will begin on May 1, 2010. This is just a reminder. From the brochure I ascertain that we can continue using garbage bags. They also say in the brochure that they will be distributing one 18-gallon recycling bin to each single-family household. I hope they will do this for us as well. Be sure to look over the flyer that all taxpayers should have received and comply with the regulations that they have stated for us, especially the Recycling section.

In case you did not receive one of these flyers, call Triangali at 1-877-WASTE19 (1-877-927-8319) and I'm sure they'd be happy to send one out to you. If you have other questions, you may contact a board member but it would probably be best just to call the company. We don't really know much more than you would besides what is stated in their brochure.

EMAIL

This is from your newsletter editor. In an effort to make your newsletter more accessible to you, I could actually do an emailing to persons who would want to receive their ML Advisor this way. I could also email to you a copy of the brochure from which I have in PDF format on my computer.

I do a couple of mailings for other organizations using a mail list. I do not violate the privacy of persons on these lists by using them for junk mailings, and I blind list everyone, so your email address will remain private. If interested, contact me at MarySeiber@mac.com.

COYOTES

There have been some recent sightings in our complex of these animals and even though there has been some data circulating on TV and newspapers, we wanted to make you aware of a few things. There was a dog bitten last week at his home just down Union Lake a short distance. Perhaps many of you read the recent article in the C&G Newspaper this week about another dog in our area that sustained quite a few injuries from a coyote.



This is another good reason to be careful with food outside, and even inside our garages. We read quite a bit of information on the Internet about this subject. If you have access to a computer, you might want to read through what is available. There is a lot of information such as, NEVER feed coyotes if you see them. Take precautions with your small children, pets, etc. Let's help each other plus our families and take proper pre-cautions.

If I owned a small dog, I would be very careful about watching it when it was outside. According to the leash rule in our bylaws we are supposed to do this anyway. It is not wise to leave food out for animals either. We do not wish to attract unwanted creatures to our complex. There is enough out there normally to attract them, without encouraging them. In California they have had this problem for many years. A friend of mine had her small pet killed by coyotes. This is a nationwide problem that has only recently invaded our area.

PARKING & SNOW REMOVAL

I know it is a little late in the season, but we have in Michigan been known to have a surprise snowstorm, even in April. Since we have some new people in our complex, I thought it wise to repeat this article for their, and ultimately our benefit.

If we have a heavy snowfall, it is important that all residents park their vehicles in the street AFTER the street has been plowed and salted. This way the parking lots can then get fully plowed and salted. Then, there will be plenty of parking spaces available to all residents.

We are all entitled to two (2) parking places per unit. One is your garage and the other is your assigned spot designated by A, B, C or D. Sidewalks and porches are done after the parking lots are finished. So far we have not had a really heavy snowfall, but we still have a few more weeks of winter.

HARRISON TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

Most of us are aware that Harrison Township has the beginnings of a public library. This library is run by volunteers, and is not yet connected to the larger Macomb County Library cooperative, but it does provide a very nice collection of books and other services. The library is located next to the Township offices in the building where we used to vote. If you have not visited the new library, it is impressive to see what our eager volunteers have accomplished. HTTPLib.org is a quick link to the website. It can also be found by clicking "Links" at the Harrison Township official website:

www.harrison-township.org

Hours are: Monday: 10 AM to 6 PM
Wednesday 12 Noon to 8 PM
Saturday 10 AM to 2 PM

Phone is 586-610-1261 Website HTPLib.org

Library Cards can be purchased for \$5.00

You may authorize other family members in your household to be on the same card. You may wonder why the \$5.00 charge? The library is run strictly by volunteers. It receives no tax money from the township.

YOUR CONDOMINIUM MONEY AT WORK

Snow removal and salting for February \$2797.50

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

1-800-796-9696 Waste Management Company.
Call them before leaving large items out for pick up.
Meadow Lake account number is 715-127047

After May the number for the Tringali Waste at 1-877-927-8319

(586) 469-5151 Macomb County Sheriff Department Dispatch. Operator. (For non-emergencies only)

And of course 911 for life or property threatening emergencies for fire, police or ambulance. Be ready to give address and directions to the operator, especially if using a cell phone.



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KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM

Kroger has entered into a partnership with our library, whereby some monies will go to the library if you register your Kroger plus card. See details on the website, or ask at the library which is located at

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next to Town Hall)