



CASNOVIA

Village Newsletter

September 2026

Edition Four Hundred and
Thirty-Seven

Village of Casnovia

141 N. Main Street

Casnovia, MI 49318

(616) 675-4780

CasnoviaVillage.com

Regular Office Hours:

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Tuesday – Thursday

Emergency Contacts

Police: 911

Fire: 911

Ambulance: 911

Village President: (616) 284-7359

Regular Council Meeting Monday

September 14, 2026

October 12, 2026

November 9, 2026

December 14, 2026

To maintain transparency, Village
Council agendas are made
available on the Village Website
prior to meetings.

Service Session: 6:00 PM

Regular Meeting: 6:30 PM

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Public Welcome

Meetings are held in the
Village Office

Updates and Announcements

Approval of Amended Ordinance 2026-

03 Appointment of Village Treasurer .

Approval to replace Village Trailer.

Approval of MRWA staff to provide
oversight and management (license
utilization) of the Village Wastewater.

Approval of Street Sweeping for
Waterloo and Main Street by Tri-Us
Services.

2026 Brush Pick Up Dates are October 5 and October 12.

Please note, the Village will collect
brush on scheduled pickup dates.

Brush excludes pruned or trimmed
trees over 3 inches thick, or
longer than 8 feet and yard waste.

2026 Fall Leaf Pickup Oct 26th, Nov 2nd and 9th (weather permitting).

How to Prepare Your Leaves

- Place leaves only in the designated
collection area for your street type.
- Do not mix brush, branches, yard waste, or
stumps with leaves. These materials can
clog the leaf vacuum. Leaf piles
containing these materials will not be
picked up.

Where to Place Leaves

Streets with curbs and sidewalks	Place leaves between the curb and sidewalk, no farther than 5 feet from the curb.
Streets without curbs	Place leaves at the edge of the road, no farther than 5 feet from the road edge.
East Division Street residents	Place leaves on top of the ditch edge by the road, not in the ditch.

Need assistance?

Village residents age 60 and older may call (616)
675-4780.

*Additional pickups may be scheduled if weather
permits.*

**After November 9, residents are
responsible for their own leaf disposal.**

**Thank you to Tim Kruithoff and Helen
Sands for use of their land for leaves.**



Residents celebrating in

September: Sheila Clark, Debbie
Beuschel, Irv Humphrey, Lori
Young, Sandra Morgan, Jerry
Palinski

Please contact the Village Office if you
would like to add or remove birthday
information.

Casnovia Old School Community Center Foundation News

The Old School gym is available to
rent for your parties and events. For
rental questions, please contact
Roxanne at (269) 206-6461.

Support us by volunteering to assist
with light maintenance, cleaning,
painting, and yardwork. Shopping
the shops and attending classes in the
Community Center are great ways to
support us too. If you wish to be
involved, please contact Jenny at
(615) 306-4494.

Show your support and stay
informed about activities by liking
and following us on Facebook at
Casnovia Old School Community
Center Foundation.

Hate Returning Cans? We Will Take Them.

Donate your 10 cent cans and bottles
to support ongoing programs , events
and facility needs. Drop off cans
anytime in the bins located by the
main entrance.

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Trash and Recycling:

Please do not leave trash and recycling bins by roadside. Please pull the trash and recycling bins back after being picked up by Granger Garbage bags sitting outside of garbage cart will not be picked up. Contact the Village Office if you need an extra cart.

Do not place anything other than recycling in the recycle bin. Other than recycling will cause the recycle truck to be turned away and the load will be dumped at the landfill. Please keep sidewalks clear of obstructions, including garbage and recycling bins.

Recycle dates:

- September 4th and 18th
- October 2nd, 16th and 30th
- November 13th and 27th

Notary Services:

The Village Treasurer is a Notary and is available during Village Office Hours 9a – 12p Tues – Thurs.

Mail Slot

A mail drop off slot is available in the Village Office door for residents to submit payments.

Village of Casnovia Zoning Board of Appeals.

The Village of Casnovia invites residents who are interested in serving on the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) to contact us at (616)675-4780 for more information or to express your interest.

Yard Waste: Please keep grass clippings, leaves, and other yard waste out of the road. It can clog catch basins and create water hazards on our streets. **Thanks for helping keep our roads safe and clean!**

Unleashed Pets:

All residents are required to follow the Village ordinance, which outlines important guidelines, including keeping pets leashed when off your property. Please contact Kent County Animal Control at (616)632-7300 option 1 for concerns regarding loose dogs.

If you are threatened by a loose dog, please call 911.

Wastewater System: Do not flush paper towels, Handi Wipes, or any type of baby wipes down toilets, as these items and any chemicals can create expensive repairs to the wastewater system.

Parking is never allowed on the Village right of way between the sidewalk and street.

Speed Limit and Safety:

Please make sure you follow the posted speed limit of 30 in the village. Approach DPW work areas with caution to keep our staff safe!

Eyeglass recycling: The Lions have placed a collection bin in the Village Office for the recycling of eyeglasses. This is organized to repurpose gently used eyewear to needy individuals. Please donate unused eyeglasses by placing them in the bin at the Village office entryway.

Candidates for November 3, 2026, General Election:

Village President –
Consuelo Rose Morris
Village Trustees –
Robert Bennitt
William E Loomis

Swearing in of elected officials will be at the January 2027 Council Meeting.

Casnovia Village Website:

<https://villageofcasnovia.org>.

You will find the Village council meeting minutes, monthly newsletters, events calendar, hall availability, 2026 Recycle Dates, regular and special meeting notifications and much more on the website.

The Village Hall is available for your parties/events. Check the Village website for rental availability

<https://villageofcasnovia.org> or call the Village Office at (616)675-4780.

The Village Hall rental agreement does state the facility has **No Alcohol use**, and music is to cease at 11pm for night rentals.

Streetlights:

Please report non-working streetlights to the Village Office at (616) 675-4780, or via email clerk@villageofcasnovia.org. Please include the nearest address to the light for reference.

Building Permits: Before you start those home projects. Depending on the project you may need to obtain a building permit. Call the office before starting any project.

HAPPY SEPTEMBER

