

CLEAN-UP | PAINT-UP | FIX-UP

The Farmington Enterprise

FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN

May 5, 1965

SECTION B

Check List for Clean Up Drive

The South Farmington Township Civic Association and other local organizations are actively participating in the annual Clean-Up, Paint-Up, Fix-Up Campaign. We urge you to clip out and use this check list in doing your part in the community clean-up effort. Rate

	Good	Fair	Poor
1. Mail box (upright, painted)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Yard free of debris	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Condition of drive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Scrap or junk cars	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Condition of walls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Garbage disposal provided	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Burners, Garbage cans screened by shrubbery, fence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Neatness of lawn	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Neatness of back yard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Plantings around house	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Paint on house (inside-out)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Trees pruned	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Roadway to house	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Condition of neighborhood	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. General appearance of our property	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

You are urged to not only join in the clean-up campaign in May but to keep this check list around as a reminder of the jobs to keep working on throughout the year if you can not check good in back of all the items listed above.

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Suggestions For A Good Clean Up

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2. Fences should be painted and repaired.

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4. The exteriors of homes and auxiliary buildings should be painted and repaired.

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6. Eaves-troughs, mail boxes and rubbish and garbage containers should be painted and repaired or replaced.

7. Adjacent vacant lots should be polished and unsightly growth or trash removed.

Clean-Up Proclamation for Farmington City, Township

WHEREAS: the Township and City of Farmington are very interested in making this the most beautiful community in Southeastern Michigan all citizens are being urged to stop littering and keep up their properties and

WHEREAS: one of the chief purposes of a clean-up, paint-up, fix-up campaign annually in the community is to stress to all residents the importance of getting off to a good start and then making the clean up program a continuous effort the year around and

WHEREAS: beautification efforts in Farmington City and Township have improved considerably in recent years there is still much to be done to make our total community one we can be proud of as a very cleanly community and

NOW THEREFORE: we, Curtis H. Hall, Farmington Township Supervisor, and Wilbur V. Brotherton, Mayor of the City of Farmington, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 1965, as

CLEAN-UP, FIX-UP, PAINT-UP MONTH and hereby urge every citizen to fully cooperate by participating in the program planned for Farmington City and Township this year and join with the various organizations and business people who are working to make this a very successful program.

WILBUR V. BROTHERTON, Mayor CURTIS H. HALL, Supervisor
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GARDENING

By Betty Frankel

BROAD-LEAF evergreens grow in either sun or shade and reaches about three feet in height. The brilliant yellow flowers in early spring are an added dividend.

Mountain laurel, Kalmia latifolia, is one of the most familiar of our native evergreens. It has glossy green leaves and clusters of small pink flowers. It prefers acid, sandy soil. It will tolerate sun if the roots are mulched, but it will grow even in dense shade. It is suitable for mass plantings, for foundation plantings or as an underplanting in a wooded area.

Peris japonica, or Japanese Andromeda, is a shrub of much grace and beauty. It has clusters of glossy leaves and flowers bunches of pink flowers. It prefers acid, sandy soil. It will grow even in dense shade. It is suitable for mass plantings, for foundation plantings or as an underplanting in a wooded area.

Rhododendrons are the most spectacular of the broadleaf evergreens. They grow in shade and have large, dramatic, colorful leaves.

Carolina rhododendron is a hardy species that is generally less than five feet tall. The flowers are a lovely pale rose color.

Catawba rhododendron and its hybrids are somewhat less hardy and need more sheltered situations.

The Rosebay rhododendron is very hardy and grows very tall. Because of this it is not suited for foundation planting, but is excellent for mass planting in wooded areas.

To have success with rhododendrons they should be planted so they have a north or northeast exposure. This protects them from sun damage in late winter. Good drainage is important and if the soil is naturally soggy it is helpful to plant on a slight slope. The soil should be acid, it can be acidified by the addition of peat moss, special chemicals, and special type fertilizers.

The Korean rhododendron (muconocaulon) also called the Korean azalea is unusual in that it is a deciduous evergreen. It will thrive in rather dry soils and can be grown in neutral or even slightly alkaline soils.

It is one of the first shrubs to bloom in the Spring and has many lavender-pink flowers.

Ilex, or true holly, is a choice evergreen plant. Ilex cornuta has small glossy leaves pointed at each end. It grows four feet tall and three feet across and combines beautifully with a planting of needled evergreens.

It can also be used to form a hedge. Ilex pungens is the inkberry holly that bears a multitude of glossy black berries throughout the winter. Acid or neutral soil is needed for these.

Grape holly, or Mahonia, is a true garden aristocrat. The spiny, leathery leaves are deep green in summer and often have a bronze cast in winter.

The new foliage is also a beautiful bronze color. It is very hardy and will withstand almost any exposure. It will



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