# **Albion Township**

# **2025 Newsletter**

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Look at the Township Website for all Town Updates & Weather-related changes, including Recycling pick up delays.

<u>Annual meeting/Town Levy</u>: 2026 Annual meeting will be March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 8:15 pm with severe weather alternate date to be March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 8:15pm.

<u>Building Permits</u>: Building permits can be obtained from Wright County Planning & Zoning 763-682-7338.

<u>Burning Permits</u>: Can be obtain online https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/forestry/fire/questions.html

<u>Dust Control</u>: The Albion Township will be spraying certain roads that we have listed on the map located at the Town Hall bulletin board. If you live on a road that was selected to be sprayed.

Dust Control application will be available to all Albion Township Residents on a sign-up basis. The cost is \$110 for up to 300 feet per parcel, \$146 for up to 400 feet, \$183 for up to 500 feet additional material can be purchased for \$0.73 per foot. If you wish to take advantage of this service, please make a check payable to Albion Township and mail to 2235 Co Rd 6 NW, Annandale MN 55302, deadline to sign up is **May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025**. Please note that we will only match residents on Township maintained roads.

<u>Township Elections</u>: Township Election will be on March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026, voting hours are 10am – 8pm. Absentee ballots can be obtained from Wright County Auditor Treasurer 763-682-7578 or online at http://www.co.wright.mn.us

<u>Swing-Away Mailbox Supports</u>: If you wish to purchase, please call Albion Town Hall 320-963-5667, the cost is \$100 for support & installation.

<u>Paint/Hazardous Waste</u>: Wright County Compost/Recycling Facility accepts Household Hazardous Waste, Paint, Adhesives 763-682-7338 located at 505 Co Rd 37 NE, Buffalo MN 55313.

**Road Right Away:** The Township Road right-of-way is usually 66 feet (33 feet from the center of any road or highway) any crops planted in the right-of-way would be violation of Minnesota Statute §160.2715. If you have questions, please contact us.

# Recycling

For missed pickup's contact: Mumford Sanitation 320-543-3601 or mumfordsanitation@gmail.com

- Have recycling carts set out no later than 5:00am.
- Only what fits in the cart will be picked up and needs to be in a Mumford recycling cart only.
- The front side of the recycling cart needs to face the street.
- Clearance of 4 feet on all sides from other carts, buildings, parked cars, trees, mailbox, etc.
- Lids on the cart must be completely closed for the cart to be emptied.
- If stored outside, keep the lid of the cart securely closed to prevent recycling from blowing out of the cart and to keep rain and snow from accumulating inside the cart.
- Do not use rope or bungee straps to keep the lid closed.
- Each household is responsible for clearing snow and ice from around the carts.
- Carts cannot be placed on top of snowbank for collection.

Recycling is taken to the McLeod County recycling center, where it is sorted and distributed. The more we recycle the better for the environment and it can even reduce your garbage bill.

If you need a bin, please leave a message at the hall 320-963-5667, we will distribute them as we can get the carts.

Recycling calendars are mailed the beginning of April every year. The Township pays \$16,401 per year to have recycling service.

### All Recycling must be cleaned/rinsed.

### The following items are recyclable:

Aluminum beverage cans, metal food cans; glass bottles and jars (all colors); plastic containers and lids #1 through #7; cartons – milk, soup, broth, wine, juice boxes; egg cartons; newspaper & inserts; corrugated cardboard, boxboard (cereal, cracker, shoe boxes); mixed mail (magazines, office paper, envelopes); shredded paper in a paper bag.

#### The following are not recyclable:

Ceramic or porcelain; food soiled paper, pizza boxes; gift wrap paper; plastic bags; plastic hangers; mirror or plate glass; drinking glasses, used paper towels; metal car parts; motor oil/jugs; Styrofoam; window glass; plastic bags.

# **Cleanup Day**

5/3/25 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Located at 9020 30<sup>th</sup> Street NW, Annandale MN 55302, call Debbie with questions. Albion Township residents only. **The fees are charged at the discretion of the volunteers. Enter off gravel road – do not park on County Road 6.** 

#### **General Household items/Load Fee:**

(These items would include Carpeting, Wood, Glass, etc.)

Trash: \$30.00 per small load

\$40.00 per large load

Mattress/Box Spring \$45.00 each Couch/Furniture \$35.00 each \$70.00 each

#### Items below will NOT be charged a Load Fee:

<u>White Goods:</u> Appliances to include refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, dishwashers, stoves, microwaves, water heaters, water softeners, furnaces, dehumidifiers,

air conditioner units \$10.00 each

<u>Ammonia-Filled Refrigerators</u> not allowed.

TV's \$1 per inch

Stereos/VCR's/Computer Equipment: \$10.00 each

Tires:

Standard Tire Car/Truck with or without rim \$8.00 each Semi/Truck Sizes with rim or without rim \$15.00 each Tractor Tires \$30.00 each

Fluorescent Light Bulbs (extra \$10 charge if taped together) \$1.00 each

**Scrap Metal:** 

Steel/Iron/Aluminum/Pipe no Charge
Car Batteries no Charge
Lawn Mowers/Snow Blowers (all gas must be removed) no Charge

Arrangements could be made for larger items of scrap metal, please ask on Junk Amnesty Day

Oil Filter\$1.00 eachUsed Oilno Charge

## **Regular Monthly Meetings:**

The Township regular meetings are scheduled for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month, at 7:00 p.m.

\*\*Agenda cutoff time will be 5pm on Thursday prior to the meeting\*\*

Call or email the clerk to be on the agenda at 612-716-0465.

Recycle Pickup Every other Wednesday.

Junk Amnesty Day Saturday May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, 8:00am -11:00am

Dust Control Deadline May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

2026 Annual Meeting Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026

(Voting: 10am-8pm, followed by Meeting -8:15 p.m.)

Did you know that The Township Annual meeting is <u>YOUR meeting</u>? It is the night that you set the Annual Levy. In 2025, we had 28 residents for our Annual Meeting and 42 voters.

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