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CITY COMPOST SITE TO OPEN APRIL 13TH

STURGIS – The City of Sturgis will be opening the Compost Site as an essential service starting Monday, April 13th. The site will maintain its normal April schedule, but with altered rules for the site to maintain proper social distancing in response to COVID-19. The compost site is free to all City residents; non-City residents must call 269-659-7254 to arrange for purchase of a pass. As in the past, Sturgis Township residents obtain a pass from the Township.

The compost site attendant will be limiting those into the compost site to 10 users at a time. Users will be asked to maintain appropriate social distancing of at least 6 feet while at the compost site. The site will be open for its typical April hours, Monday and Thursday: 12:00 noon to 7:30 pm; Saturday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, and Sunday: 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

The compost site is free of charge to City residents and they can utilize the site without a pass sticker during the closure of City facilities. Attendants will be confirming City residence at the entrance.

Sturgis Township residents can receive a pass from the Township via mail by contacting the Clerk either via email at clerk@sturgistownship.org or via phone message at 651-3676.

Sturgis Township residents should be sure to include their name and address either when sending an email or leaving a voicemail message.

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All other non-City residents can purchase a compost site pass for a non-refundable fee of \$35.00. During the closure of City facilities, they can call 269-659-7254 to arrange to purchase a pass. A compost site pass is valid for the entire year (compost site opening until late November).

The City compost site is located on the south side of Fawn River Road between S.

Lakeview Avenue and S. Nottawa Street. The compost site only accepts leaves, grass clippings and brush. Materials must be removed from bags and other containers.

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