

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF DEWITT CHARTER TOWNSHIP
CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION

Notice is hereby given that DeWitt Charter Township, upon first reading, has approved Ordinance 2019-01-04 as shown below:

DEWITT CHARTER TOWNSHIP
CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-01-04

PREAMBLE

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 94, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE 94.1 THROUGH 94.7 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF DEWITT, RELATING TO CERTAIN CRIMES AS BEING SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION AS DISORDERLY CONDUCT; RELATING TO PURCHASE, CONSUMPTION, OR POSSESSION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR BY MINOR; ATTEMPT; VIOLATION; PENALTIES; FURNISHING FRAUDULENT IDENTIFICATION TO MINOR; PROBATION; PRIOR JUDGMENT; SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT; CHEMICAL BREATH ANALYSIS; CUSTODIAN, OR GUARDIAN; EXCEPTIONS; RECRUITMENT FOR UNDERCOVER OPERATION PROHIBITED; DEFINITIONS.; TO ESTABLISH PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION; USE OF PRELIMINARY CHEMICAL BREATH ANALYSIS; AND TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF.

The DeWitt Charter Township is amending the current Ordinance 94 to more accurately align with recent changes to the State of Michigan laws governing minors in possession of alcohol. The last update of this Ordinance occurred in 2005. This update includes extensive language revisions including, but not limited to, a minor's first MIP offense being changed to a civil infraction from a misdemeanor, medical amnesty for a minor who voluntarily seeks medical assistance for themselves or others, and the requirement for a court order for breath analysis for a minor that does not consent.

Second Reading and opportunity for comment before the Township Board on Ordinance 2019-01-04 shall be at 7:00 PM, on Monday, February 11, 2019, at the DeWitt Charter Township Hall, 1401 W. Herbison Road, DeWitt, MI 48820.

Copies of Ordinance 2019-01-04 are available at:

- 1) DeWitt Charter Township Website @ www.dewitttownship.org
- 2) DeWitt Charter Township Clerk's Office, 1401 W. Herbison Road, DeWitt, MI 48820
- 3) SCCMUA, 3671 W. Herbison Road, DeWitt, MI 48820
- 4) DeWitt District Library, 13101 Schavey Road, DeWitt, MI 48820
- 5) DeWitt Township Community Center, 16101 Brook Road, Lansing, MI 48906

Questions relative to Ordinance 2019-01-04 should be directed to the Manager's Office of DeWitt Charter Township, at the above address, or by phone to (517) 668-0270 between the hours of 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

DeWitt Charter Township will provide to individuals with disabilities, reasonable auxiliary aids and service which are needed to fully participate in any Township meeting providing a 72 hour notice is received by phone or in writing. Contact DeWitt Charter Township, as shown above, to request the necessary assistance.

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