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Reference: Hydrant Flushing Dates

Charlevoix Township Water Department performs a township-wide fire hydrant flushing twice a year to help maintain our water distribution network and to maintain the water quality for our residents.

The fire hydrant flushing will be performed between the hours of 8 am and 5pm.

Southside

Monday May 4, to Friday May 8, 2026

Northside

Monday May 11, 2025, to Friday May 15, 2026

During this time a large amount of water will be filling ditches and sides of the road as our water department employees are flushing the hydrants and water mains. Please be advised this is normal while hydrant flushing is being performed and water should drain over the next several hours.

During this time, customers may notice episodes of decreased/increased water pressure or discoloration of their water. The water discoloration results from temporary disturbances of the normal water flow within our piping in our water distribution network. These short-term changes in flow can stir up naturally occurring minerals and sediment that settle within the water mains. Water pressure and quality will return to normal after each day of flushing. If your water has not returned to normal, please contact the Charlevoix Township Water Department at the number below.

The objective of the water main/hydrant flushing program is to remove these accumulated sediments from our pipes by flushing the water out of the fire hydrants. If your water becomes discolored, please run your water through a non-aerator faucet until the water is clear.

Thank You for your time and patience as we perform these routine services on our system.

Any question or concerns can be answered by calling the Charlevoix Township Water Department Emergency Phone at 231-497-8369