

FALL INTO STEP

MAINTENANCE TIPS TO KEEP YOUR PROPERTY SAFE & UP TO VILLAGE CODE



IN AN EFFORT TO KEEP BENSENVILLE SAFE & BEAUTIFUL, THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT WANTS TO REMIND YOU...

1 Don't Burn Leaves / Yard Waste

In addition to being illegal, leaf & yard waste burning leads to air pollution & is a health / fire hazard.

2 Sump & Downspout Discharge

Sump pump & downspout discharges shall be at least 3 feet from any property line & shall not discharge into the public right of way.

3 Clean Gutters & Downspouts

If the gutters are too full, water can actually damage the roofing, fascia, & foundation

4 No Leaves / Snow in Street

Leaves can block storm water drains resulting in water backups. Do not shovel snow onto the public roadway out front as this will create a hazardous surface when traffic passes over it.

5 Recreational / Commercial Vehicles

Parking commercial vehicles on residential property is prohibited. Recreational vehicles may not be parked on the front driveway or front yard.

6 Get Your Chimney Inspected

Chimneys, fireplaces, & vents shall be inspected at least once a year for soundness, freedom from deposits, & correct clearances.

7 Clear Snow Around Fire Hydrant

We recommend voluntarily clearing a 3 foot circle around the fire hydrant so firefighters have complete access in an emergency.

8 Vehicles on Approved Surface

All parking & driveway areas shall be paved with asphalt, concrete or approved paver & kept in good repair. Parking on the grass or gravel is not permitted. Parking of Inoperable or UNLICENSED vehicles are not permitted on any surface. **Vehicles blocking or obstructing sidewalks are prohibited.**

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