Legal Notices

City of Sherwood Noxious Weeds and Tree Branch Ordinance

Be it ordained by the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Sherwood, North Dakota.

Definitions

a. For the purposes of this Ordinance grass shall be interpreted to mean any of a large family (Gramineae) of the monocotyledonous, mostly herbaceous plants with jointed stems, slender sheathing leaves, and flowers borne in spikelets of bracts.

b. For the purposes of this Ordinance "noxious weeds" shall mean and include all weeds of the kind known as Canada Thistle, sow thistle, quack grass, dandelions, leafy spurge (Euphorbia esula or Ruphrobia virgata), field bindweed, Russian knapweed, (Centaura picris), hoary cress (Lapidium draba, Lepidium reobes, and Humenophysa pubescens), dodder, or any similar unwanted vegetation over six inches in height.

Notice to Abate Nuisance

The City shall cause annually a notice to be published in the Renville County Farmer, stating that grass and noxious weeds are growing on lands within the corporate limits of said City. Such notice shall not be required to describe the lands or to specify the name of the owner of such property. However, such notice shall constitute notice to all owner(s), lessee(s), agents(s) or tenant(s) having charge of any land or property upon which grass or noxious weeds are growing that the same must be placed into a state of compliance with this Ordinance within five days after such publication and maintained at a height of not more than six (6) inches.

Authority of City to Abate Nuisance

a. In the event of a claimed nuisance relating to weeds or grasses in excess of six (6) inches high existing five days after such publication, the City is authorized without further notice to enter upon the premises and to take whatever steps as might reasonably be required to abate the nuisance. No prior, individualized notice whatsoever of a claimed nuisance under this ordinance (relating to weeds or grasses in excess of six (6) inches high) need be provided at any time before the City enters upon the land and proceeds to abate the nuisance, however, nothing in this subsection shall be construed as prohibiting the City from informally requesting or directing the landowner or person in charge of the land to take the measures necessary to abate the claimed nuisance.

b. Actions taken by the City under and in accordance with this Article, if reasonable in nature and undertaken in good faith, shall not constitute a trespass or conversion.

Action Upon Non-Compliance

Upon the failure, neglect, or refusal of any owner or agent so notified to cut, destroy and/or remove noxious weeds growing, lying or located upon the owner's property or upon the one-half of any road or street lying next to the lands or boulevards abutting thereon, after receipt of the written notice provided in this ordinance or within five days after the date of such notice in the event the same is returned to the City because of inability to make delivery thereof, the person designated by the City is hereby authorized and empowered to pay for the cutting, destroying, and/or removal of such noxious weeds or to order their removal by the City.

Costs Assessed

The cost of said mowing shall be calculated by the City and shall be billed to the owner of record for the property in question. When the City has affected the removal of such noxious weeds or has paid for their removal, the actual cost thereof, if not paid by said owner prior thereto, shall be charged and assessed against the property upon which the noxious weeds were cut or destroyed. An assessment list showing the lots or tracts to be assessed with the cost against each lot or tract shall be prepared as are other special assessment lists, and shall be approved by the governing body and shall bear interest at seven percent. Such assessments shall be subject to the same procedure for certification to the county auditor, payment and collections as are other special assessments under state law.

Grass Clippings

Any person that, by any means, including mowing, causes grass clippings or noxious weeds to be placed in the public streets or other public areas of the City of Sherwood shall be guilty of a noncriminal offense punishable by a fine in a sum not exceeding $500.00.

Low Hanging Tree Branches-Nuisance- Penalty

1. Any tree branches extending over a public street or sidewalk within the limits of the City of Sherwood at a height of less than seven (7) feet from the surface of said street or sidewalk are hereby declared a nuisance.

2. The City Auditor, upon notification of the existence of such nuisance shall give written notice of such existence of such nuisance to the owner of the property concerned and to the occupants thereof, if not occupied by the owner, and the said owner shall have a period of ten (10) days to trim or remove said branches in order to abate the said nuisance.

3. If the owner or other person responsible shall fail, within the said ten-day period to abate the said described nuisance, the City Council is hereby empowered and authorized to pay for the cutting and removal of any such branches or to order their removal by the City.

4. When the City has affected the cutting and removal of such branches or has paid for their cutting and removal, the cost thereof, if not paid by said owner prior thereto, shall be charged against the property upon which the branches were cut and removed. An assessment list showing the lots or tracts to be assessed with the cost against each lot or tract shall be prepared as are other special assessment lists, and shall be approved by the governing body and shall bear interest at seven percent. Such assessment shall be subject to the same procedure for certification to the county auditor, payment and collection as are other special assessments under state law.

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-003
RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING SPECIALS FOR MOWING RATES

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sherwood, pursuant to Ordinance 2018-003 of the ordinances of the City of Sherwood provides that the City Council may establish mowing rates for use of city mowing within or from the City of Sherwood by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sherwood has reviewed the existing rates, the past costs of mowing production and projected costs of mowing production provided to the City's users;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Sherwood, Renville County, North Dakota as follows:

That the per lot/per incident rate for mowing within or from the City of Sherwood are hereby established at:

Mowing Rate Per Lot/Per Incident
$100.00

Be it further resolved that the effective date of this Resolution is October 8th, 2018, at which time the rates set forth herein supersede all prior rates. Any rates incurred by a resident will be added and assessed to the property as mowing specials. This will be done on a yearly basis.

Dated this 8th day of October, 2018.

CITY OF SHERWOOD

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Garrett Volk, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Kristy Titus, City Auditor

Sherwood City City Property Bid

The City of Sherwood will be accepting bids for the following property located within the City of Sherwood. Sealed bids will be received in the office of the City Auditor until the 8th of June, 2026, at 4:00 o'clock p.m. The bids will be opened at the regular City Council meeting on Monday, June 8th, 2026, at 6:30p.m., at The Sherwood City Hall.

The city reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. Bidders are able to increase their bid amount verbally, in person, the day of the bid opening.

Property Description: Block 3, Lots 3, 4, 5, Parcel #: 26-0001-05722, Sherwood, ND, OT.

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Sherwood City Auditor
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Sherwood, ND 58782

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The Annual Mohall Lansford Sherwood Public School Board Election will be held on Tuesday, June 9, 2026.

The following people have filed to have their names placed on the ballot:

Matt Undlin has filed for the Lansford City/Rural Area, Andrew Grondahl, Lexi R. Kvasnicka-Gates, and Danielle Holsten have filed for the Mohall Rural Area.

All positions are for 3-year terms.
The polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
The polling place will be the lobby of the Renville County Courthouse in Mohall.

The North Dakota Game and Fish Department announces the following summary of regulations and changes for the 2026-2027 Deer Hunting Proclamation.

Apply online at gf.nd.gov. The deadline for submitting online applications is June 3, 2026.

SEASON	OPENS	CLOSES	AREAS	RESTRICTIONS
DEER BOW	September 4 12:00 noon (CT)	January 3	Statewide	Residents - Any deer is legal. No unit restrictions. Nonresidents - Restricted to species of deer described on license. No unit restrictions. Orange clothing required of all bow hunters during regular gun season.
DEER GUN	November 6 12:00 noon (CT) 16 1/2 Day Season	November 22	All units	Restricted to type of deer and unit described on license. Type of deer includes species and whether antlerless or antlered (at least one visible antler). Note exception for white-tailed deer hunters in units 4B, 4C, 4D and 4E. Orange clothing required.
MUZZLELOADER	November 27 12:00 noon (CT)	December 13	Statewide	Restricted to white-tailed deer only and type of deer described on license. No unit restrictions. Orange clothing required.
YOUTH DEER	September 18 12:00 noon (CT)	September 27	Statewide	11-, 12- and 13-year-olds – Any antlerless deer is legal. No unit restrictions.*14- and 15-year-olds – Any deer is legal. No unit restrictions.* * Hunting units 4A-4F, a special license is required to hunt mule deer. These licenses are valid only in the unit specified on the license. Orange clothing required.
SPECIAL DEER-BOW HERD REDUCTION	September 4 12:00 noon (CT)	January 3	See Proclamation	Restricted to any-antlerless deer as described on license.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES FROM LAST YEAR

- The 2026 North Dakota deer hunting season is set with 39,100 licenses available, 3,200 less than last year.
- A total of 750 muzzleloader licenses will be available in 2026, 56 less than last year.
- A total of 240 nonresident any deer archery licenses available, 60 less than last year.

A complete 2026 deer hunting proclamation is available from the North Dakota Game & Fish Department, 100 North Bismarck Expressway, Bismarck, ND 58501-5095, (701) 328-6300 or online at gf.nd.gov.

MLS Trapshooting Hosts Maverick Invite at The Renville County Gun Club

On Saturday, May 16, the MLS Spring High School Trapshoot Invite was held at the Renville County Gun Club. 93 high school Trapshooters from these area schools participated: Berthold High School, South Prairie High School, DesLacs Burlington High School, Minot High School, Rugby High School, Nedrose High School, and MLS including Westhope, Kenmare, Bowbells, Lignite High Schools participated.

Winners in the Female grades 6-8 were: Landry Gathman, Berthold, First place with a score of 78. Emmy Novak, South Prairie won Second Place with a score of 73.

Winners in the Male grades 6-8 were: Gage Aberle, South Prairie, First place with a score of 89.

Quade Everson, Minot High, Second place with a score of 85.

Winners in the Female grades 9-12 were: Logan Hanneman, South Prairie, First place with a score of 91.

Ella Novak, South Prairie, Second place with a score of 86.

Winners in the Male grades 9-12 were: Kole Herman, MLS -Kenmare, First place with a score of 96.

Owen Inman, Berthold, Second place with a score of 95. Owen won a shootoff with Seth Kuhnhenn for second place.

High Over All Female winner was Kynlee Holter of DLB with a score of 95.

High Over All Male winner was Kash Beckedahl, South Prairie with a score of 97.

Kynlee Holter

Owen Inman

Gage Aberle

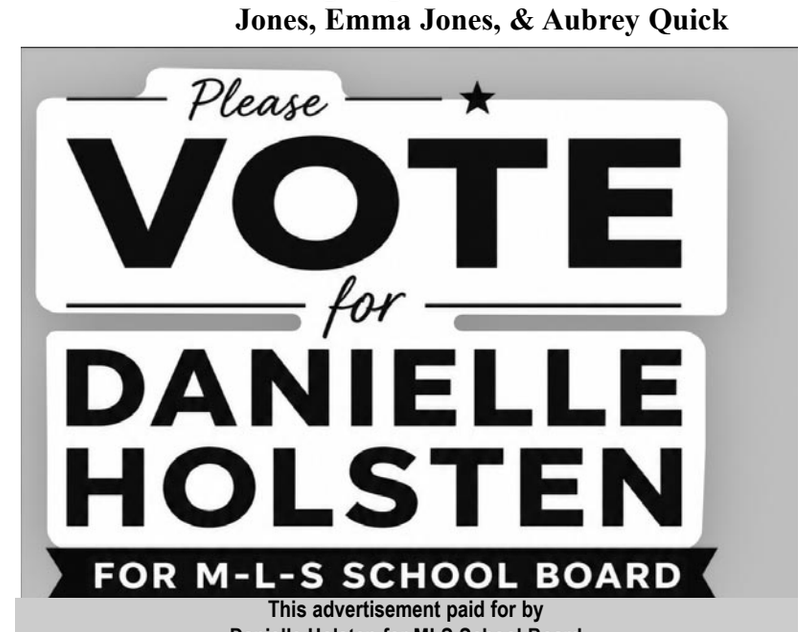
The Glenburn High School Girls Fastpitch Softball Team Heads to Jamestown Wednesday for the State Tournament

GHS team: Back row: Asst. Coach Jonathan Schmechel, Mila Jones, Ava Stevens, Callie Marten, Emma Jones, Aubrey Quick, and Coach Forrest Carlson. Front row: Finnley Andel, Zoey Rice, Sophie Cunningham, Julia Young, Elizabeth Schmechel, Quinn Stevens, Maddie Berger

All-Region Team: GHS players: Back row: Mila Jones, Emma Jones, Aubrey Quick

All-Region girls from Glenburn: Mila Jones, Emma Jones, & Aubrey Quick

Sisters: Mila Jones & Emma Jones pose with their Regional medals.



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