

City of Alpena

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Garage Sales and Sign Placement

The City of Alpena would like to remind all residents that City Ordinance 74-63 allows only two (2) garage sales within a 12 month period and not lasting longer than three (3) days in length. Items for sale are of used household goods and other items associated with the owner's house. They may be displayed in the yard, garage, patio, parking area, or other like place in, around, or near the residence. Items shall not be located within the public right-of-way. Signs advertising sale location can **only** be located on the property of the sale. City ordinances do not allow attachment of signs to utility poles, trees, or placement of any sign in the public right-of-way, such as the lawn area between the curb and sidewalk.

Some signs are already appearing within the City right-of-way, on utility poles, and trees. These signs will be removed by the Building Department and may be picked up at City Hall, with a fee of \$5.00 per sign.

If residents have any questions they can contact the building department at 354-1700.

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