



City of Mount Pleasant, Michigan
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



PRESS RELEASE

Lieutenant, Michael W. Dunham
Mt. Pleasant Fire Department

Location:

Friends of the Broadway (Broadway Theatre)
216 E. Broadway St.
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Broadway Theatre now safe for use following carbon monoxide leak

Mt. Pleasant, Mich. – On Monday, Dec. 14, final repairs were made to the heating system at the Broadway Theatre. The Mt. Pleasant Fire Department conducted two separate inspections and recorded no presence of carbon monoxide.

This follows the Dec. 2 incident when multiple people reported similar flu-like symptoms at McLaren Central Michigan. The Mt. Pleasant Fire Department responded to a call regarding a possible carbon monoxide release at the Broadway Theatre.

Upon entering the building, samples of the atmosphere recorded 80 parts per million (ppm) of carbon monoxide. According to policy, readings over 70 ppm are considered to be a dangerous level. The building was evacuated and DTE energy assisted in isolating the source of the carbon monoxide. A furnace that was not functioning properly was identified and immediately shut down. The theatre has since worked diligently to make the necessary repairs to reopen the building to the public.

For further questions, please contact Lt. Michael Dunham of the Mt. Pleasant Fire Department at (989) 779-5123 or mdunham@mt-pleasant.org.

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