

Wireless Internet Access

WiFi Service - Procedure and Conditions for Use

Welcome to Bloomfield's Public Wireless Internet Service

1. Wireless is available for use during regular business hours.
2. Wireless devices may be used in the Community Center Area during normal operating hours from or during special programs.

I agree to abide by all conditions of this policy: and I also agree to pay the Town of Bloomfield all costs the Town may incur as a result of any failure to fully comply with all of these conditions.

WiFi Service - Instructions for Use

The Town of Bloomfield, CT operates a wireless service in community buildings. This service comes with "as-is", no support except the instructions listed below.

Instructions:

- User is responsible for their wireless device, its use, and its configuration. The Town of Bloomfield, CT offers no support for using the technology or using computers to non-municipal staff.
- User is responsible for the Wifi Disclaimer (see below) terms.
- Wireless devices network settings must be for automatic address assignment (DHCP).
- Wireless devices should be turned on with the Wifi network card running and the access points in range (within the building).
- Use of the wireless service shall only be for lawful purposes. The Town of Bloomfield reserves the right to revoke access to the wireless service if any infringements are discovered.
- Use of hacking tools to gain access to other users information and to circumvent controls in place will be subject to removal of the user from the service and will be prosecuted to the fullest extent by law.

Security Warning And Disclaimer

WARNING: This service is an open network provided for your convenience, and you use it at your own risk. It is available to the general public, and is NOT INHERENTLY SECURE. The providers cannot and do not guarantee the privacy of your data and communication while using the service.

There are potentially serious security issues with any computer connected to the Internet without the appropriate protection, ranging from viruses, worms and other programs that can damage the user's computer, to attacks on the computer by unauthorized or unwanted third parties. By using the service, you acknowledge and knowingly accept the potentially serious risks of accessing the Internet over this network. It is recommended that users take steps to protect their own computer system, such as installing current anti-virus software and maintaining appropriate firewall protection. For further information on how to protect yourself on this open network, consult a computer security professional. By using this service, you acknowledge and agree that YOUR USE OF THIS SERVICE IS SOLELY AT YOUR OWN RISK. By using the Service, you also agree to all terms set forth in the following Disclaimer.

Disclaimer

- I. Service provided "AS IS". This Service provides access to the Internet on an "as is" basis with all risks inherent in such access. The providers of the Service make no warranty that the Service or that any information, software, or other material accessible on the Service is free of viruses, worms, Trojans, or other harmful components. By connecting, the user acknowledges and accepts the risks associated with public access to the Internet and public use of an unsecured wireless network.
- II. Service provided "AS AVAILABLE". The Service is provided on an "as available" basis without warranties of any kind, either express or implied, that the Service will be uninterrupted or error-free, including but not limited to vagaries of weather, disruption of service, acts of God, warranties of title, noninfringement, NOR IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. No advice or information given by the providers, affiliates, or contractors of the service or their respective employees shall create such a warranty.
- III. Disclaimer Regarding Third Party Content. The Service offers access to numerous third party web pages, services and content available over the Internet. In overwhelming majority of instances, including, but not limited, to sites displayed within a directory of links, the Town of Bloomfield, CT has no control whatsoever over the content of such sites. In other instances, including, but not limited to, web pages hosted on the Service or provided to the Service site by third parties, the Town of Bloomfield, CT may set guidelines for what may appear on such web pages and may engage in certain screening, but generally exercises no control over the content of such web pages and is unable to police all such content. Third party content accessible through the Service from such sources is developed by people over whom the Service exercises no control. Accordingly, the Service assumes no responsibility for the content of any site linked to the Service web site or in any content hosted for a third party within the Service.
- IV. Indemnity. Under no circumstances shall the providers of the Service, or affiliates, agents, or contractors thereof, be liable for any direct, indirect, incidental, special, punitive or consequential damages that result in any way from user's

use of or inability to use the Service or to access the Internet or any part thereof, or user's reliance on or use of information, services or merchandise provided on or through the Service, or that result from mistakes, omissions, interruptions, deletion of files, errors, defects, delays in operation, or transmission, or any failure of performance. You agree to indemnify and hold harmless the providers of the Service, including affiliates, agents, and contractors thereof, from any claim, liability, loss, damage, cost, or expense (including without limitation reasonable attorney's fees) arising out of or related to your use of the Service, any materials downloaded or uploaded through the Service, any actions taken by you in connection with your use of the Service, any violation of any third party's rights or an violation of law or regulation, or any breach of this agreement.