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CLEON TOWNSHIP 2024 SUMMER NEWSLETTER



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New Cleon Township Fire Station & Offices



Cleon Township is pleased to announce that the construction of the new offices is over half done and expect to be in the new building in the fall. After many different obstacles, things are moving at a slower pace than first anticipated, but Cleon Township will have a fresh new Fire Station, meeting room and offices. Stop in and take a look at what the new building looks like.

Copemish Heritage Days

Mark your calendars for August 2,3, & 4, 2024 for Copemish Heritage Days. The Copemish Heritage Days Volunteer Group is anticipating another great year for the Village of Copemish.

On Friday night, Duke and the Studebakers will play again from 7:00 PM-10:00 PM with a street dance, food trucks and American Legion beer tent. Also, refreshments, ice cream, popcorn. Fireworks will be at dusk.

Saturday will have the usual activities in the park including a kids fishing pond, bounce house inflatables, Cognition, Tattoo artist and magic, food trucks, fire truck rides, free carriage rides, non profit displays, pony rides, along with raffle drawings, among other activities. At 2:30 PM, "Magic Bob" will present a magic show and the raffle drawings will be at 3:30 PM.

Sunday, St Raphael's Church will host a pancake breakfast, the Copemish Historical Society will host their annual 5K Run/Walk and the Pomona Church will host church services in the Copemish Village Park. For a flyer of 2024 Copemish heritage Days, stop by the Cleon Township Hall or check the website Copemishheritagedays.wordpress.com.

Clean Up Day 2024

Cleon Township marked 34 years of Clean Up Days on Saturday, June 1, 2024 for Cleon Township and Village of Copemish residents. Thank you to the volunteers that helped make the day another success. Mark you calendars for June 7, 2025.



YOUR TOWSHIP BOARD

Supervisor: Dave Myers

Clerk: Amy Herrst

Treasurer: Linda Cudney

Trustee: Gary Porter

Trustee: Abe Canfield

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:

Clerk Hours

Thursday. 5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Treasurer Hours

Thurs 6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Zoning Administrator

Call 231 357-1423

MEETINGS:

Township Board: 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM

Planning Commission: 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:30 PM

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND
THESE MEETINGS

OTHER STAFF:

Assessor: Bill Muha

Land Division: Bill Muha

Zoning Adm: Barb Stanton

Deputy Treasurer: Barb Stanton

Deputy Clerk: Michelle Tinoco

Fire Chief: Mark Griner

Asst. Chief: Dave Saunders

Sexton: John Larsen

Cleon Township is an equal opportunity employer and provider.

WEBSITE:

www.cleontownship.com

The Clerks Corner



Please remember to exercise your right to vote in the August 6th Primary Election and the November 5 General Election. You

may vote 3 main ways:

- 1.) Absentee Ballot- sent out via mail to people on the Permanent Ballot AV list.
- 2.) Early voting 9 days prior to the election. Vote at Maple Grove Comm. Center 9219 Aura St. Kaleva.
- 3.) Election Day in person-Cleon Township Hall 16505 Imhoff Drive, Copemish.

Please call the clerk, Amy Herrst with any questions at 231 378-2616.

From The Treasurer... Summer taxes are due July 1 thru September 16 without penalty. After September 16, a 1% per month or part thereof will be added to the unpaid base amount until March 1, 2024. You may pay your summer taxes by mail, drop box in the door, or I am at the Township offices on Thursday evenings from 6-8 PM and Fridays from 10:00 AM-4:00 PM. You may leave a message anytime on the answering machine at 231 378-2616 and I will return your call.

For those of you who have a mortgage company or bank paying your taxes (escrow), you will see a pink sticker on your tax bill that says a copy of the bill was sent to your Mortgage Company but the original is being sent to you. For those who pay their taxes by mail, keep the bottom part of your tax bill as a receipt or if you would like a receipt mailed, please send a addressed stamped envelope.

From the Assessor

Michigan assessing requires routine property visits to verify and update property record information. To do

this, the Assessor will conduct inspections and will include an outside measurement of the buildings on the property and taking up to date photos. This is to maintain the integrity of the property tax system. If you do not want an inspection when you are not home, please contact me at assessorcleontwp@gmail.com and your request will be honored

July Board of Review will be Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at 6:00 PM.

CODE RED

Manistee County has a free service to all residents. It is CODE RED, an alert system that allows anyone to sign up for that will cover any type of emergency situation. The emergency alert system allows agencies, like the Sheriffs Department or Emergency Management to share information in situations like wild fires, evacuations, severe storms, shootings, or during a search for someone. Sign up is voluntary and you may get alerts through a phone app, texts, phone calls and emails.

You may sign up at OnSolve.com/ CRmobile, through the Manistee County Sheriffs website or contact the Emergency Management Coordinator Alvin Rischel at 231 723-9970 or arischel@manistee911.org.

A Reminder about Burning

You are required to get a burning permit prior to burning brush/debris in Michigan. You may go to the internet to www.mich.gov/burnpermit or you may call 1-866-922-2876, and an automated voice will ask what County you are calling about and give you an answer.



Manistee County Clean Sweep, Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Mark your calendars for August 17, 2024 from 9:00 AM—1:00 PM. The collection site will be at the Manistee County Road Commission Building at 8946 Chippewa Highway, Bear Lake, MI.

This is a good time to get rid of automotive products, paint products, electronics, cleaners, pharmaceuticals, small appliances and other items. If more than 200 pounds of waste, pre registration is required. For more information, please call the Manistee Conservation District at 231 889-9666. Pick up a brochure at the Township Offices or call and we will be happy to mail one to you. There will be a Scrap Tire Collection Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 9:00 AM-Noon at Bay Area Recycling for Charities in Kaleva for a fee of \$2.00 per tire.