

Jefferson Township Newsletter

Winter 2021

2022

Dates to Remember:



Election Days

May 3rd

August 2nd

November 8th

Check our website or the building for updated information.

Saturday, May 14th



Plan for this annual event from 8:00am-2:00pm! The township provides the opportunity to dispose of unwanted items at the building for all township residents, free of charge! Please look for details about acceptable items closer to the event on our website & posted on the building.



Office Information

The township does not currently hold regular office hours. Please call 269-445-3941 to be connected to the personnel needed or email them directly. If you do not reach your party immediately, please allow 24 hours for a response.



Meet your Board of Trustees

Dean Hass, Supervisor

Jenny Brunner, Clerk

Debra Glaze, Treasurer

Della Bundle, Trustee

Jeff Gillam, Trustee

Trustee meetings are held the 2nd Thursday of every month at 6:30 pm, at the township hall.



Building Inspector AND Zoning Administrator, Wayne Hardin

Wayne has returned as our Zoning Administrator. Please direct all zoning inquiries to him.

Remember, we are a ZONED COMMUNITY. Permits for building, electrical, mechanical, plumbing, and zoning plans are required!



Property Tax Inquiries & Payments

For the *fastest* response, please email Treasurer Debra Glaze at treasurer@jeffersontownshiponline.org. You may also call her at 269-445-3941 x 1. Payments may be dropped in the secured box on the back of the township building or mailed to Debra Glaze, Jefferson Township Treasurer, PO Box 188, Cassopolis, MI 49031. **An information update form is included in this mailing to ensure the treasurer has current contact information for all residents.**

Township Ordinance Book update

The township ordinance book revision, by the Planning & Zoning Commission, is in the final stage! The updated version will be available on our website upon approval processes.

Township Neighborhood Group

Previously, the township had a group providing connection for residents including safety watch, bake sales and community time during the annual clean-up day, holiday parties, and other resources. If you are interested in re-establishing this group, please email building@jeffersontownshiponline.org or call 269-445-3941 x 8 and leave your contact information.

***Please see the back of this letter for contact information for all township officials & personnel.**



Township roads update

Reconstruction work was completed in 2020 on Hess Rd. and on Yankee St. in 2021. The county road commission is responsible for ongoing repairs on our township roads.

American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

Our ARPA grant for \$267,000 has been approved! We will receive half this year and half next year. All the uses aren't fully determined by the state yet, but it can be used for broadband and emergency services. We will be participating in the pilot project with the county for MEC broadband installation in a portion of our township.

Admired & retired!



The township and community

thank **Lotte Kirstein & Leroy McNeary** for their many years of devoted service as Treasurer and Clerk. Lotte is doing well in Florida!



The township hall has re-opened for event rentals!

Hall Fee: Township residents: \$100 per daily event rental.
Non-residents: \$125 per daily event rental.

Garage Fee: \$100 per daily rental June-September.

Damage deposit: \$100 required. Deposit is refunded after return of the building key and inspection of the premises.

Payment by cash, check, or money order.

Maximum capacity is 75-100 people.

Rental agreement can be found on our website at www.jeffersontownshiponline.org under FORMS. Contact us for reservations or to obtain a USPS mailed agreement at 269-445-3941 x 8 or email building@jeffersontownshiponline.org.

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