

INGERSOLL TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

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TOWNSHIP VISION STATEMENT: *Ingersoll Township is a safe, attractive, rural community that balances farming and residential uses while protecting our natural environment and individual freedoms.*

OUR BEST WISHES TO EACH OF YOU AND YOURS AS WE ENJOY THE TRADITIONS OF THIS HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS SEASON!!!

TOWNSHIP HAPPENINGS: 1) We were able to put 2" overlay on seven roads, crack/seal on two roads and drainage on one road in the township this summer; 2) Working with LakeNet, out of Hemlock, to get expansion of fiber optic cable in underserved areas in the township and 3) Have contracted with Shumaker Technology Group to update our website.

HALL RENTAL: Beth Northrup, Hall Custodian 989-835-4445

RECYCLE PROGRAM: Please refer to the **2022 calendar** online for your recycling pickup schedule. **Your carts should be placed at the curb NO LATER THAN 6:30 am on your collection day.** Make sure you have placed your carts a minimum distance of four feet from all objects and back from edge of the road during snowplowing days.

WINTER TAX COLLECTION: Questions? Jim Terwillegar, Treasurer 989-835-8009 or email: jimterwillegar@yahoo.com

SUMMER AMOUNTS ARE NOT INCLUDED ON THE WINTER BILL. CALL TOWNSHIP TREASURER OR ACCESS THE MIDLAND COUNTY WEBSITE FOR THE AMOUNT OWED at www.co.midland.mi.us

Please read your tax bill, both front and back, for instructions regarding mailing in payments.

Below are the Winter Tax Collection Days, at Ingersoll Township Hall, 3026 S. Sasse Road.

- **Thursday, December 30, 2021** 9 am – 5 pm
- **Friday, December 31, 2021** 9 am – 5 pm
- **Monday, February 14, 2022** 9 am – 5 pm
- **Monday, February 28, 2022** 9 am – 5 pm
- **Other times by appointment. Cash--Exact Amount! Post marks are not accepted as payment date.**
- **Please enclose Self Addressed Stamped Envelope if you want a return receipt.**

TAX ASSESSOR INFORMATION: Frank Roenicke, Township Assessor 989-708-1162

Please **check** your **2021 Winter Tax Bill** to see if your primary residence exemption is correct. If you feel an error has been made, contact **Frank Roenicke** by **December 13, 2021**. **Property Transfers and Homestead Affidavits must be filed with Frank Roenicke at 8681 Wandering Way, Freeland, MI 48623.** He can be reached @ **989-708-1162** or fjroenicke@gmail.com. Mr. Roenicke will continue to be updating the Township's property records by performing a review of all real property in the spring.

LANDSPLITS: Frank Roenicke, Township Assessor 989-708-1162

BUILDING DEPARTMENT: Need permit or inspection, Midland Township 989-835-8866. Hours Monday 8 am – 4 pm; Tuesday – Thursday 8 am – 1 pm; closed on Fridays. Farm structures used for farming do not need a building permit, but they **do need a zoning permit** before construction is started. All building applications can be downloaded from Ingersoll Township's website.

BUILDING INSPECTOR: Gary Shaffner 989-835-8866

PLUMBING/MECHANICAL INSPECTOR: Greg Younk 989-513-6109. Plumbing and Mechanical permits can be downloaded from Ingersoll Township's website.

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR: Brian McDonald 989-835-8866. Electrical permits can be downloaded from Ingersoll Township's website.

CEMETERY SEXTON: Marc McMillan 989-695-2238

ELECTIONS: Mary Ellen Keel, Clerk 989-695-5200 Elections - Primary, August 2, 2022, General, November 8, 2022. Contact **Mary Ellen Keel, Clerk** for an absentee ballot.

BURNING PERMITS/FIRE RUNS: All residents in Ingersoll Township 1-866-922-BURN, or by Internet www.michigan.gov/burnpermit. State Law states that any open burning, when the ground is not snow covered, requires a burning permit. **NOTE: If you are going to burn, we recommend that after calling the number to see if you can burn, call 911 and give your name, phone number and location where you will be burning so they are aware of your burning.**

ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT: Kim Heisler, Supervisor 989-751-8397

SPECTRUM (Charter Communications): Questions 1-855-757-7328

TOWNSHIP LANDFILL: Closed November 27, 2021. Re-opens on Saturday, April 9, 2022.

REPUBLIC SERVICES: Questions regarding garbage pickup/recycle, call Republic Services Customer Service Department at 1-800-438-0966. If you should have a large item for pickup, please call Republic Services and schedule a pickup. Large items are defined as stoves, water tanks, washing machines, furniture, swing sets, patio furniture, chairs, couches, bed springs, water heaters, mattresses and other large waste materials. Freon bearing appliances such as refrigerators, air conditioners and freezers will be collected. **NO TIRES ACCEPTED. To obtain another Cart, call Mary Ellen Keel 989-695-5200.**

MIDLAND CITY LANDFILL: 4311 E. Ashman 989-837-6988. Landfill Hours: Monday – Friday 8 am – 4 pm. Saturdays (April - November) 8:30 am – Noon.

MIDLAND COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION: Questions 1-989-687-9060

2021/2022 TOWNSHIP BOARD MEMBERS: Kim Heisler, Supervisor 989-751-8397; Mary Ellen Keel, Clerk 989-695-5200; Jim Terwillegar, Treasurer 989-835-8009; Trustees, Andy Shaffner 989-233-0888 and Ron Garrett 989-928-1160.

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETINGS are held the **second Monday** of the month at **7 pm**.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS are held the **third Monday** of the month at **6:30 pm** unless noted differently at the Hall.