

Climax Township

2022 Summer Newsletter

Township Officials/Office Hours

Please note new email addresses

- Supervisor: Trent Piper by appointment
call 746.5572
E-mail supervisor@climaxtownship.org
- Treasurer: Steven Walman Fridays 9:30
a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
E-mail: treasurer@climaxtownship.org
- Clerk: Marcia Lewis Mon. & Wed 9-4 &
Tues 9-noon
E-mail: clerk@climaxtownship.org
- Deputy Clerk: William "Bill" Lewis
E-mail: deputyclerk@climaxtownship.org
- Assessor: Chad Razmus
call 269.655.1144
E-mail: Chad.apgllc@gmail.com
- Trustee: Cheryl Bates
- Trustee: Richard Thierjung
- Deputy Treasurer: Linda Beebe Tues. 10-2
E-mail: deputytreasurer@climaxtownship.org
- Planning Commission Chair:
Dickson Brubaker

Household Hazardous Waste: Residents of Climax Township that reside outside of the Village of Climax can take your items for disposal to 1301 Lamont Avenue in Kalamazoo. **Pay the fee they charge, get a receipt, and submit the receipt to the Township Clerk. We will reimburse the full amount you paid until we reach our \$800 threshold for the fiscal year ending March 31. The Village of Climax has their own contract for HHW.**

Climax Township Hall
110 N. Main/P.O. Box 369
Phone: 746-4103 / Fax: 746-4114
Regular meetings are 7:00 pm the
second Tuesday of each month.

Supervisor: We had a successful Summer Spruce-Up on June 18 with the 30 yard dumpster completely full. The Board assisted with unloading which gave us an opportunity to meet any new residents and say Hi to residents we knew.

Please note our NEW email addresses on the left that utilizes our domain name of

ClimaxTownship.org

On a dark and stormy night if you have an emergency, can emergency personnel easily locate your home? A reflective address sign could be just what you need. We make up the signs here at the Township office and all proceeds go to the funding of our township fire department. The cost is only \$15 and that's worth your peace of mind.

Climax Township Scotts Street Light District

Report street light issues to:
www.consumersenergy.com or call 1-800-477-5050

Assessor: Chad Razmus-Appraisals Plus Group Inc.

Chad does not have office hours, however he can be reached at 269.665.1144 or e-mail at Chad.apgllc@gmail.com. The state requires site reviews be done for 20% of the parcels in the township each year. You will receive a letter to schedule the review of your property. If you are not home on that day they will leave a yellow postcard.

CLERK: Michigan Voter Information Center is at www.michigan.gov/vote

The State Primary Election is Aug. 2, 2022

The State General Election is Nov. 8, 2022

Burn Permits... To avoid a charge you **must** call **746-4664** for a burning permit. Leave your name, phone number, address, and what you would like to burn. There is no cost for the permit and you will not get a call back for your permit, we just need your information.

The Board also participated in the Memorial Day Parade and were impressed with the activities and the turnout. We can't wait to see next years

ROAD COMMITTEE: Meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall the first Monday of Jan. thru-May and October. Road maintenance this fiscal year:

47th St-S Ave to TS Ave-gravel

TS Ave.-47th to 48th-gravel

S 43rd-Q Ave to P Ave-chip seal

S 44th- T Ave to S Ave-chip seal trial

ON Ave-3850' west of 42nd St-double chip seal, fog seal

RS Ave- 39th St to 1,195' east of 41st-chip seal trial

PLANNING COMMISSION: 2022 regular meetings are July 25, and November 1 at the Climax Township Hall, at 7:00 p.m.

TREASURER:This newsletter will arrive with your summer tax bills that are **due by September 14, 2022**. We send tax bills to everyone even if you have them paid by your mortgage company. Look on the upper left corner of the tax stub at the bottom third of the tax bill where it says "Mortgage Co." if there is a company printed there they are asking for the tax bill to process payment. We send the tax bill to you so you know how much your taxes are that the mortgage company is paying.

Payments received after September 14, 2022 will have a 1% interest added each and every month thereafter. Mail payments to:

Climax Township Treasurer

P.O. Box 369

Climax, MI 49034

Or put your payment in the drop box in front of the Township Hall. No Cash in the drop box please. Include a **stamped, self-addressed envelope** and we will mail you a receipt for payment of taxes. Taxes can be paid in person at the Township Hall on Tuesdays 10-2, and Friday mornings from 9:30-11:30.

Our website is **www.ClimaxTownship.org** and we are adding information.

Have an interesting photo you have taken within the Township? Once we have enough photos we can incorporate them into a scrolling banner. We are looking for architectural, scenic and historical pictures taken within the township to add to that banner. Just email them to clerk@climaxtownship.org in a JPEG format. We can include your name, date taken, or photo location within the township if you wish. All pictures will be screened prior to inclusion to the website.

CEMETERIES: The GroundsKeeper is the Sexton for both Township owned cemeteries, Gilson and Harrison Cemeteries. New lots are only available in the Gilson Cemetery.

Resident or Twp. property owner-Full Lot (4 sites)	\$750
Resident or Twp. property owner-1/2 Lot (2 sites)	\$375
All others-Full Lot (4 sites)	\$1,500
All others-1/2 Lot (2 sites)	\$750

Please contact Sextant at 269.207.3507 or Clerk at 746-4103 to purchase the burial rights on a lot.