



# Arthur Township, Clare County Michigan

## News and Notes

Arthur Township Hall  
3031 S. Athey Avenue  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 386-5305

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### SAVE THE DATE

#### BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2020

Second Monday of each month  
7:00 p.m.

#### PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

December 9, 2020 7:00 p.m.

#### BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING

December 15, 2020 6:00 p.m.  
Contact: Bill Strouse  
(989) 289-5845

#### TAX COLLECTION AT TOWNSHIP HALL

Last day to submit winter tax  
payments:

**March 1, 2021**

Office hours:

**December 30, 2020**  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**March 1, 2021**

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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#### Elections:

Arthur Township had nearly an 80% turnout for the November 3, 2020 General Election! The Arthur Township Board would like to first thank the voters for passing the requested road millage renewal. This will prove to be a great benefit in moving forward with much needed roadwork. Secondly, we would like to give a warm welcome to the newly elected Trustees, Joy Kleinhardt and Jerry Willford.

#### Winter Tax Bills:

Winter tax payments must be received by the Township Treasurer on or before March 1, 2021. Mailed payments are preferred. No postdates will be accepted. To make an in-person payment outside of the scheduled office hours, please contact Anna Sharp, Treasurer to schedule an appointment (989) 429-4202. Tax payments will be turned over to the County Treasurer on March 2, 2021, any payments not received on or before March 1, 2021 will be considered delinquent.

#### Garbage Pick-up:

American Waste 2021 garbage rate is \$155.12. American Waste has provided one bin per resident. Additional bins can be purchased for \$49 and will be billed directly to the resident. Please contact Anna Sharp, (989) 429-4202, to make any special arrangements for additional bins or custom size request. The garbage/solid waste services guidelines are posted to the Township website. You may also obtain the information by contacting the Township Clerk.

#### Zoning Permits:

Zoning permits are required for building a house, garage, pole barn, decks, mobile, modular homes, also **any** additions of 200 sq. ft. or more. The permit fee is \$30. A Township permit is required before a County building permit can be issued. A copy of the Zoning Ordinance is available for download from the township website. A hard copy is available upon request at a cost of \$15.

#### Silent Auction:

We have three (3) benches from the hall up for auction. They are slightly weathered from being outdoors over the past couple of years. Two (2) are approximately 8 feet in length, one (1) is approximately 7 feet long. Submit your sealed bid to the attention of the Township Clerk, delivered to the Township Hall by January 2, 2021. The bids will be opened and reviewed by the Clerk on January 9, 2021. The bids will be tabulated, and the winners contacted to arrange for pickup.



Bench #1 – 8 foot

Bench #2 – 8 foot

Bench #3 – 7 foot

Mark the envelope: **Bench Bid Enclosed**

Include in your bid:

Bidder name and contact phone number

Bench # bidding on and bid price

## Township Officials:

Your Township Board Members are here to represent your views as residents and taxpayers. Contact them if you have any ideas, questions, comments, or issues that pertain to our Township, County, or State.

**Supervisor:**

Matthew Bednerek  
3031 S. Athey Ave.  
Clare MI 48617  
(989) 317-5383  
arthurtwpsupervisor@gmail.com

**Clerk:**

Janice LaRose  
7668 E. Gladwin Rd.  
Harrison, MI 48625  
(989) 386-5305  
arthurtwpclerk@gmail.com

**Treasurer:**

Anna Sharp  
7037 E. Jefferson Rd.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 429-4202  
arthurtwptreasurer@gmail.com

**Trustee:**

Joy Kleinhardt  
3031 S. Athey Ave.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 329-1942

**Trustee:**

Jerry Willford  
3031 S. Athey Ave.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 329-2435

**Zoning Administrator:**

Javian Coats  
2546 S. Bailey Lake Ave.  
Gladwin, MI 48624  
(989) 965-2573

**Assessor:**

Bill Strouse  
8164 E. Washington Rd.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 289-5485

**Sexton:**

Jeffrey Smith  
3031 S. Athey Ave.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 339-6726