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Tyrone Township Newsletter *www.tyronetownship.us*



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Supervisor: Mike Cunningham Treasurer: Marna Bunting-Smith Clerk: Keith Kremer

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Township Personnel

Deputy Treasurer: Joanne Milarch Planning & Zoning: Vanessa Bader Assessor: Bruce Little

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Election Coordinator: Mary Kuzner

Deputy Clerk: Terri Medor ZBA Coordinator: Lori Thielen Accounting: Maureen Strayer Receptionist: Tammy Dorsch

We are happy to welcome the new Township Board of Trustees, Tyrone Township's new Treasurer Marna Bunting-Smith, and our new employees; Maureen Strayer, Tammy Dorsch and Vanessa Bader.

Thank you Colleen Ameel, David Kurtz, Don Peitz, Jim Kolhoff and Steve Hasbrouck for your time and dedication to Tyrone Township.

Tyrone Township Office Hours

General Office Hours: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM Mon. thru Thurs. except holidays.

Services include: Voter Registration and Absentee Ballots, Tax & Sewer Payments, Dog Licenses, Passports, Burn Permits, Notary Services and general information.

Planning and Zoning Administration: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM Mon. thru Wed.

Services include: Land Use Permits, Site Inspections, Planning Department Applications, Zoning Board of Appeals Applications, and all other general ordinance and planning activities.

Assessing Department: Tues. 1:00-5:00 PM & Wed. 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Services include: Assessor's Records, Site Inspections, Assessment Appeals and Review, and other general assessing information.

Please note: Not all departments have full time employees. We advise you to make an appointment or call ahead. The person you need to see may have other commitments at the time you plan on stopping in.

3rd Annual Santa and Mrs. Claus Event

Tyrone Township hosts Santa and Mrs. Claus to support Gleaners Food Bank and Livingston Area Pet Pantry. Come join us and bring your camera on December 1, 2012, from 1:00- 2:30 pm, at Tyrone Township Hall, 10408 Center Road.

Santa and Mrs. Claus will be on hand for you and your family to meet and take your holiday photos. Please bring non-perishable food and pet items you wish to donate. These items assist those in need during the holiday season.



SIGN UP ON OUR WEBSITE FOR EMAILED TOWNSHIP NOTIFICATIONS

WWW.TYRONETOWNSHIP.US

The Township Board recommends that you sign up for email alerts in order to stay current with Township activities and events. Look for the email button on the Township web site.

Attention Tax PayerS

All tax payments must be received in the Tyrone Township Office no later than 5:00 P.M. February 28th, 2013. The Township no longer accepts postmarked envelopes as proof of on-time payments.

We Need Your Involvement!

Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals each have 1 position that need to be filled. If you are interested, go to our web site at www.tyronetownship.us and follow the link to the application process, or call 810-629-8631 to have an

2013/2014 Budgeting

Over the next several months beginning in December 2012, the Board of Trustees will be reviewing and approving budgets for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2014. We encourage you to attend the township meetings in order to better understand the township finances and other activities.

Dog License Renewals

Dog licenses must be renewed in the same month as the rabies shot was given. I year and 3 year licenses are available depending on the expiration of rabies. If your dog's rabies shot is good for three years, you may purchase a license that is valid for three years. Proof of rabies is required for license renewal.

BURN PERMITS

Burn permits are required for any open fire. Burning of leaves and yard clipping are only allowed from April 1st to May 31st and September 15th to November 15th. When you have an open fire, you are responsible for making sure that you comply with the Open Burning ordinance (fire size, wind conditions, fire location, water supply etc.) You may get a copy of the Open Burning ordinance at www.tyronetownship.us.

From time to time an extended ban on open burning may be in effect. Please check with your fire department for more information. If you burn without a permit or do not follow the burning guidelines and the fire department is dispatched to the burn site, you automatically will be charged the fees that the township pays for the fire run. Burn permits, which are five dollars (\$5.00) and good for the entire calendar year, can be obtained at the township hall.