

*Welcome
to the
Charter Township
of Harrison*



The information presented in this packet has been compiled to provide a convenient list of local contacts for the residents of Harrison Township.

We hope you find it helpful.

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WELCOME TO HARRISON TOWNSHIP

**38151 L’Anse Creuse Road
Harrison Township, MI 48045**

Phone: 466-1400

Visit us at our web site www.harrison-township.org

Hours of Operation 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON
ELECTED OFFICIALS
TERM 2020-2024**

SUPERVISOR:	Kenneth J. Verkest	466-1445 <u>kverkest@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
CLERK:	Adam Wit	466-1406 <u>awit@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
TREASURER:	Lawrence Tomenello	466-1440 <u>ltomenello@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
TRUSTEES:	Brian Batkins	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1553 <u>bbatkins@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
	David Bratto	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1551 <u>dbratto@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
	Dean Olgiati	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1552 <u>dolgiati@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>
	Paula Rose	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1550 <u>prose@harrisontownshipmi.gov</u>

The Township Supervisor, Clerk and Treasurer are available to serve you on a full-time basis and may be reached at the Harrison Township Administrative Building at the above listed extensions. The Trustees are part-time and do not have onsite offices and may be contacted at the above corresponding voice mailbox number or in-home phone/fax number. Trustees also have mailboxes in the Clerk’s Office that welcome correspondence.

The area code is 586 unless otherwise noted.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Harrison Township is a charter township government by resolution adopted November 13, 1978 and operates under the Charter Township Act, Act 359 of 1947. Your Board of Trustees includes three officers – the supervisor, clerk and treasurer, and four trustees. Together they constitute the township board, the township’s legislative body. Each member has one vote and when it comes to voting on a question, each vote is of equal weight.

Your township board members are elected to serve four-year-terms. They are nominated at the August state primary election and elected in the November general presidential election.

The Charter Township of Harrison Board of Trustees meets the second and fourth Monday of the month for their Regular Board meetings. The meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. with a 6:30 Board Forum at Rosso Memorial Hall, 38255 L’Anse Creuse. These meetings are open to the public. To be placed on the meeting agenda, you must contact the Township Clerk’s office for submittal deadlines. Public notices are published in the Macomb Daily Newspaper and or Advisor. The Agenda and Synopsis of the Minutes are posted in the Administrative Office and at Rosso Hall, and full text minutes are available online at the Township’s website and upon request at the Clerk’s Office. Public Comments are welcomed at the end of each Board of Trustees meeting on any topic up to five minutes. Our Board of Trustees meetings are televised on Cable Channel’s 6 or 10 and streamed on Charter Township of Harrison YouTube Channel. Zoning Board of Appeals and Planning Commission Meetings are also televised.

If you are a citizen of the United States, are at least eighteen (18) years of age and have lived in Harrison Township no less than thirty (30) days, you are eligible to register as an Elector of The Charter Township of Harrison. This procedure can be performed at a Secretary of State’s office when you change your driver’s license or at the Clerk’s Office. Please be mindful that your driver’s license and voter’s registration must have the same address. Your Clerk’s Office strongly encourages **you** to vote in all elections.

**HARRISON TOWNSHIP’S ADMINISTRATIVE
DEPARTMENTS**

Harrison Township’s Administrative Offices are located at 38151 L’Anse Creuse Road.
All departments are open to the public from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**The Clerk’s Office offers passport processing by appointment Monday–Friday from 8:00-11:30 a.m. and 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. as well as notary services for a fee of \$4.00

DEPARTMENTS:

- SUPERVISOR: 466-1445**
- CLERK: 466-1406**
- TREASURER: 466-1440**
- ACCOUNTING: 466-1435**
- ASSESSING: 466-1410**
- BUILDING: 466-1431**
- PLANNING/ZONING BD OF APPEALS: 466-1461**
- ORDINANCE OFFICER: 466-1423**
- *WATER & SEWER: 466-1425**
after hours/or emergency 468-4155

SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

The Senior Activity Center is located at 26980 Ballard. Tucker Park is home to the activity center where senior citizens participate in numerous fun filled activities as well as lunch together daily. Our senior center is often referred to as the Tucker Senior Center. The activity center is open Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. For more information, please contact the Senior Center at 466-1497.

TUCKER SENIOR CENTER	466-1497
DIAL A RIDE	466-1497
FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE	612-4454
(WEEKENDS MAY – NOVEMBER)	

SENIOR CITIZEN SERVICES DEPARTMENT	
(MACOMB COUNTY)	469-6313

PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The Parks and Recreation Department was eliminated in January 2003 because of financial restraints.

The Township has three (3) Township owned parks. These parks are open to everyone. If you should have any questions relative to any Township owned park, please contact the Supervisor's Office at 466-1445.

<u>Township Parks:</u>	Tucker Park- 27000 Ballard St.
	Waterfront Park- 34890 Jefferson
	Aloysius Trombley Park- S. River Rd & Elmite

TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONS & COMMITTEES

Beautification Commission	7 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Building Board of Appeals	3 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Building Authority	5 Member Body (3 & 4YearTerms)
Board of Canvassers	4 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Board of Review	3 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Cable TV Committee	5 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Civil Service Commission	3 Member Body (6 Year Terms)
Economic Development Corp	9 Member Body (6 Year Terms)
Election Commission	3 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Employee Pension Board	5 Member Body (2 & 3 Year Terms)
Environmental Committee	9 Member Body (3 Year Terms)
Firefighter’s Pension Board	5 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Historical Commission	6 Member Body
Housing Board of Appeals	5 Member Body (1 – 3 Year Terms)
Library Board	6 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Noxious Weed Commissioners	2 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Parks & Recreation Committee	Committee is comprised of resident volunteers
Planning Commission	7 Member Body (3 Year Terms)
SEMCOG	2 Members (4 Year Terms)
Zoning Board of Appeals	5 Member Body (3 Year Terms)

The Board of Trustees appoints commission and committee members. Meetings for commissions and committees are held at Rosso Hall located at 38255 L’Anse Creuse Road in the Meeting Room, and/or as specified either on the yearly calendar adopted by the Board of Trustees, or in the meeting notice.

If there are any questions relative to a commission or committee, please contact the Clerk’s Office at 466-1406.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON STATISTICS

<u>COUNTY</u>	Macomb
<u>AREA</u>	13.9 square miles
<u>LOCATION</u>	16 miles northeast of downtown Detroit
<u>GOVERNMENT</u>	Charter Township
<u>POPULATION</u>	24,587 (based on 2010 census)
<u>HOUSING</u>	Median Home cost is \$105,340.00
<u>UTILITIES</u>	Detroit Edison, Consumers Energy, SBC, Detroit Water & Sewerage, Comcast, Wide-Open West, and AT&T
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY</u>	EMERGENCY (911) Macomb County Sheriff’s 469-5151 Harrison Township Fire Dept. 466-1450
<u>MEDICAL SERVICES</u>	Ascension St. John Hospital 25990 Crocker Urgent Care 466-5466 Outpatient Physical Therapy 466-5234 Laboratory Services 466-5268
<u>AMBULANCES SERVICE</u>	Please dial 911 for emergency All Harrison Township Firefighters are paramedics and trained to provide Advanced Life Support
<u>FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS</u>	Comerica, Huntington and Flagstar
<u>LIBRARY</u>	Beaufait Addition 329-1261 Days/Hours: Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 8 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

<u>POST OFFICE</u>	Mt. Clemens Post Office 155 S. Main St. Mount Clemens, MI 48046-9998	783-2879
<u>SECRETARY OF STATE</u>	Clinton Twp. Office 37015 S. Gratiot (16 Mile Rd/Gratiot)	888-767-6424
<u>SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE</u>	Chesterfield Office 26200 21 Mile Road (south side of 21 mile located between Gratiot and I94) Chesterfield Twp., MI 48051	800-772-1213
<u>MICHIGAN MEDICARE & MEDICAID ASSISTANCE PROGRAM</u>		800-803-7174
<u>MICHIGAN STATE DEVELOPMENT HOUSING AUTHORITY (MSHDA)</u>		517-373-8370
<u>SOCIAL SERVICES</u>	Macomb Office 19700 Hall Road, Ste. A Clinton Twp., MI 48038	412-6100
<u>41-B DISTRICT COURT-HARRISON</u>	22380 Starks Drive Clinton Twp., MI 48036	469-9300
<u>LOCAL RECYCLING</u>	Simple Recycling (Curb side clothing recycling)	866-835-5068
	County Environmental Hazardous Waste (586) 469-5236 (opens one day a month) Hot Line (recording) (586) 466-7923	
	Great Lakes International Recycling 30615 Groesbeck, Roseville (586) 779-1310 (paper, plastics, etc.)	

RECYCLING CONT.

Unidig Inc.
21600 Quinn Rd., Clinton Twp.
M-F 7:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Sat.7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
(586) 791-4010 sod/grass, dirt, brick, concrete, etc.

NEWSPAPERS

The Macomb Daily and the Journal

CABLE PROVIDERS

Comcast 888-COMCAST
Wide Open West (WOW) 800-848-2278
AT&T 877-722-3755

SANITATION
COMPANY

GFL (Green for Life) 772-8900
(May 4, 2015 Township trash hauler)

CHURCH
DIRECTORY

St. Hubert Catholic Church 463-5877
St. Peter Catholic Church 468-4578
Harrison at Metro Church 463-5806
Knox Presbyterian Church 469-8500
Bethlehem Lutheran Church 791-3030

ORGANIZATIONS

Fraternal Order of Eagles 468-5901
Knights of Columbus 463-5877
North Star Sail Club 463-2192

SELFRIDGE
NATIONAL
AIR BASE

Public Affairs 239-5576
Main Gate 239-4339

LAKE ST. CLAIR
METRO PARK

Main Number 463-4581

DNR BOAT
LAUNCH SITES

Clinton River Cutoff
Harley Ensign Memorial 463-4165
Lake St. Clair Metropark 463-4581
Selfridge Public Access Site 469-1335

MARINAS

Beacon Cove Marina	465-2539
Belle Maer Harbor	465-4534
Boca Grande Marina	463-2622
Bryer Cottage Marina	878-0879
Duffy's Landing	468-1630
Fox Marine	465-1465
Hideaway Harbor	465-4910
Island Cove	469-3625
Lakeside Marina	463-2126
Land's End Marina	465-5558
MacRay Harbor	463-9660
Markley Marine Inc.	469-6000
Marshall Marine	463-1818
Metro Marine Repair	468-0078
Roy's Boat Harbor	463-1479
SeaWatch Marina	468-3334
Ship Chandler Marina	465-1231
Waypointe Marina	307-3445

L'ANSE CREUSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools service the Residents of Harrison Township. L'Anse Creuse School District also includes four (4) other neighboring communities, parts of Clinton, Macomb, Chesterfield and a small section of St. Clair Shores. Harrison Township is home to one (1) high school, two (2) middle schools and four (4) elementary schools. The L'Anse Creuse School Administration Office is located at: 24076 F.V. Pankow Blvd., Clinton Township, MI 48036.

L'ANSE CREUSE SCHOOL ADMIN OFFICE	783-6300
L'ANSE CREUSE HIGH SCHOOL	783-6400
L'ANSE CREUSE MIDDLE SCHOOL CENTRAL	783-6430
L'ANSE CREUSE MIDDLE SCHOOL SOUTH	493-5620
EMMA V. LOBBESTAEL ELEMENTARY	783-6450
MARIE C. GRAHAM ELEMENTARY	783-6460
SOUTH RIVER ELEMENTARY	493-5620
DONALD J. YACKS ELEMENTARY	493-5630
PANKOW CENTER	783-6570

The L’Anse Creuse Public Schools Board of Education members are elected. Regular meetings will be held the third and fourth Monday of each month. The first meeting will be the Committee of the Whole Meeting at 2:30 p.m., and the second meeting of the month will be the Regular Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m. (unless noted otherwise). Both Meetings will be held in the Harry L. Wheeler Community Center and Administrative Offices. Please contact the L’Anse Creuse Public Schools Board of Education Administration Building for meeting dates and any questions that you may have regarding school related issue.

MACOMB COUNTY NUMBERS

The City of Mt. Clemens, which borders Harrison Township is the county seat and houses the Macomb County Building. The following County Agencies are available to all Macomb County residents. A Macomb County Directory may be obtained by calling 469-5120.

MACOMB COUNTY SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT (911)	469-5151
MACOMB COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER	469-5115
MACOMB COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ROADS	463-8671
MACOMB COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS	469-5325
MACOMB COUNTY CLERK’S OFFICE	469-5120
MACOMB COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	469-5326
MACOMB COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH	469-5520
MACOMB COUNTY COUNSEL ON AGING	469-6313
MACOMB COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE	469-5749

MACOMB COUNTY TREASURER 469-5190

MACOMB COUNTY MEALS ON WHEELS 469-5228

MACOMB COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Immunization clinic, VD and TB outpatient clinics are available at a minimal or no charge to Macomb County residents. The Health Department is located in the County Service Center, Elizabeth at Groesbeck. Clinic hours may be obtained by calling 469-5235.

**GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION
FOR HARRISON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS**

Local Level: Board of Trustees: (4 Year Terms)
Charter Township of Harrison
Kenneth J. Verkest, Supervisor 466-1445
Adam Wit, MMC, MiPMC, Clerk 466-1406
Lawrence Tomenello, CPFIM, Treasurer 466-1443
Brian Batkins, Trustee
David Bratto, Trustee
Dean Olgiati, Trustee
Paula Rose, Trustee

County Level: County Commissioner District 10: (2 Year Term)
Barbara Zinner 469-5125

State Level: Legislative:
House of Representative 62nd District: (2 Year Term)
Alicia St. Germaine 517 373-0555
NHouse Office Building 9-996
P.O. Box 30014
Lansing, MI 48909-7514
AliciaStGermaine@house.mi.gov

State Senator 12th District: (4 Year Term)
Kevin Hertel 517-373-0555
P.O. Box 30036 855-347-8012
Lansing, MI 48909
SenKHertel@senate.michigan.gov

Attorney General: 517-335-7622
Dana Nessel
www.senate.michigan.gov/ag

Secretary of State: 517-373-2512
Jocelyn Benson
www.michigan.gov/sos

Governor & Lieutenant Governor:
Gretchen Whitmer 517-335-7858
Garlin Gilchrist 517-373-6800
www.michigan.gov/gov

**GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION
FOR HARRISON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS**

National Level: **Congressional:**
Representative in Congress for 10th District:

Local Office: US Representative – John James
30500 Van Dyke Ave., Ste 306
Warren, MI 48093

Washington Office: U.S. House of Representatives 202-225-4961
1319 Longworth House Office Bldg
Washington D.C. 20515

Only accepts e-mail thru his website:
James.house.gov

United States Senators:

Gary Peters 202-224-6221

Only accepts e-mail thru his website:
peters.senate.gov

Debbie Stabenow 202-224-4822

Only accepts e-mail thru her website:
stabenow.senate.gov