

MOORLAND TOWNSHIP

FREE DUMP CARDS FOR PROPERTY OWNERS

The Township offers, to its residents, a free yearly dump card to the Muskegon County Solid Waste Management.

To qualify for a free card, you must be a property owner in Moorland Township. Only one free dump card with two passes is permitted per year for each property.

You must request a card by either calling or coming in to the township office. You can also email the office for your card to be mailed to you.

This card includes two passes. Each pass is a maximum 1,080 pounds, or the amount of \$30.00 each pass. If you bring in less than the maximum poundage, you will still be using one of your passes.

The Muskegon County Solid Waste Management Facilities are located at 9366 Apple Avenue.

If you have questions as to what the Muskegon County Solid Waste Management System will accept please call, (231)724-6001. Website: <https://mcrecoverycenter.com>

NEW HALL RENTAL POLICY

The Moorland Board of Trustees accepted a new hall rental policy in February 2022. As a resident, you can now request to rent the township hall for your event.

It is a \$50 use fee (non-refundable) and a \$50 damage deposit (will be refunded if no issues.)

There is no alcohol, drugs or smoking allowed on the premise. Capacity for the Hall is 31 persons. Kitchen facilities are available.

Please go to Moorlandtwp.com, Permits and Forms tab, for more details, rules and the full Hall Rental Agreement Form.

SUPERVISOR NEWS

Thank you to all those residents that are working hard and keeping Moorland Township looking great.

Let's all do our part to clean up, trim up and mow. Let's spruce up our community. Remember the Township gives out two free dump passes each year to each property owner.

A big thank you to those who are taking the extra effort already.



TOWNSHIP OFFICE HOURS:

- Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday

9:00 am till 1:00 pm

Phone: (231) 853-2015

Website:

www.moorlandtwp.com

Township Ordinances are on the website.

Building Permits are obtained through Michigan Township Services, (231) 865-3310.

BOARD MEMBERS & STAFF

DAN NUTT,
SUPERVISOR

ROSE SPOELMAN,
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TREASURER

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ADMIN ASSISTANT &
DEP. CLERK/TREASURER

SENIOR MEALS & OTHER SENIOR ASSISTANCE

In 2020, the voters in Muskegon County passed a millage for taxes to be collected and allocated to each jurisdiction for people over 60. Each township/city distributes the allocated money to their own respective residents over 60 years of age.

Moorland Township has opted to offer a hot meal and other benefits to Moorland

Township seniors. Any resident over 60 years of age qualifies.

If income levels are met we may offer fuel gift cards, heating and prescription assistance. This is funded by your tax dollars, so please don't hesitate to take advantage of this program. If you have questions, please call the Township.

NEWSLETTER

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P.O. Box 368
Ravenna, MI 49451

Phone: (231) 853-2015
E-mail: mail@moorlandtwp.com

WEBSITE:

WWW.MOORLANDTWP.COM

ADDRESS SIGNS

Residents can purchase the green, reflective address signs from the Township for \$20.00 or \$25.00 if installed by fire department personnel. These signs are very helpful when locating properties for emergency calls.

PROPERTY TAXES

Summer property taxes are due at the Moorland Township Office by September 14, 2022. If you are unsure, please check with your mortgage institution, as to whether they will be paying your property taxes. Also, if you are 62 years or older, you can apply to have your summer taxes deferred until the winter taxes are due. You must submit the application before Sept. 15, 2022.

Any previous year's taxes must be paid at the County Treasurer's Office located at 173 Apple Avenue, Muskegon (231) 724-6261.



FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

The Fire Department is asking voters to vote on August 2. They are requesting 0.5 mill for fire equipment. Our Fire Department had a 60% increase in calls over the last year and it continues to increase. It is imperative to have properly working equipment to be able to service the community.

Also, the Fire Chief wants to remind everyone to replace the batteries in your home's smoke detectors and carbon monoxide testers. Muskegon County has a free program for smoke detectors for home owners. If you need one for your home, please contact the Fire Department at (231)853-2213.

ELECTION NEWS

There will be elections for Moorland Township residents in August 2 & November 8, 2022.

To see what will be on your ballot go to the Michigan Voter Information Center website.

<https://mVIC.sos.state.mi.us/PublicBallot>

In 2018, Michigan voters passed a ballot proposal allowing no reason absent voter ballots. Therefore, any registered voter can request a ballot to be mailed to them without the need to provide a reason. You can also ask to be put on the absent voter permanent list. Which means, that any election to be held in the township you will be sent a ballot application. You will need to sign the application stating you do wish to receive a ballot for that particular election and send it back to the township. Then we will be able to mail a ballot to you. You must provide the correct address to mail your ballot.

CONTACT US

Phone: (231) 853-2015

Email Addresses:

General Questions-
mail@moorlandtwp.com

Supervisor and Zoning Issues-
supervisor@moorlandtwp.com

Clerk and Election Issues-
clerk@moorlandtwp.com

Treasurer and Property Tax Issues-
treasurer@moorlandtwp.com

Fire Department Issues-
Leon.Wolverton@mcd911.net

TOWNSHIP BOARD

The Board meets the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm.

PLANNING COMMISSION

The Planning Commission is scheduled for the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm, subject to cancellation.

BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review will meet on July 19, 2022 for corrections only.