

Summer

Leighton Township

4451 12th Street Suite A, Wayland, MI
49348

Website: Leightontownship.org
Phone: 891-8238 Fax: 891-2143
Office Hours are Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday: 9am-4pm
We are closed on Mondays and Fridays.

2021



It is with great excitement that I am announcing an expansion to the Library Building! The entire Library Board has been working with The Architectural Group, and FCC Construction, Inc. to prepare several enhancements to the current Leighton Township Library Building.

An additional 2,850 square feet will be added to include a new activity room, as well as additional space to expand the collection. The existing library space will receive new carpet, paint, two quiet study rooms, and a café area. Our goal is to serve you, our community! These enhancements are the result of providing many programs, and the requests of patrons to provide more materials in our building. Over the 2019-2020 fiscal year, 248 programs were planned with 3,701 in attendance! Our total circulation of items was 79,614. Our library is used, our library is loved, and our library is a community space!

New Library Board members are Steve Martin and Renee Baareman.

A new logo was created by Erin Peeple of the Leighton Township Library Staff. The bell that sits in front of our building was moved here from its original location at the Moline Public Library. A bell symbolizes peace and freedom, and as a communication symbol it calls a community together. This symbol blends the past history with the future of the library.

Come visit us at the library. There is much in store for you and your family! Summer Reading for ages 0-19 is from June 12- July 31, 2021.

Warm regards,
Karen McKinnon,
Library Director



Office Hours

Tuesday 9am-4pm
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Thursday 9am-4pm

The Leighton Township Offices have resumed normal hours! The offices are open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Please feel free to stop in or call to make an appointment if you need to meet with a specific person, as staff are in the office on limited days. Passports will no longer be processed here at the Township Offices. Please contact your local post office to make an appointment for passport services. Thank you and we apologize for any inconvenience.

YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Leighton Township Board

Board meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00pm

Supervisor—Steve Wolbrink

Office—616 891-8238

Cell—616 893-8384

E-mail: Supervisor@Leightontownship.org

Clerk— Rachel Fennema

Office—616 891-8238

E-mail: clerk@Leightontownship.org

Treasurer — Jacquelynn Bultsma

Office—616 891-8238

E-mail: Treasurer@Leightontownship.org

Trustee – Brian Bonnema,

Home—616 293-2106

Trustee – John Hooker,

Home—269 792-2525

Assessor—Laura Stob

Office—891-8238

Email: Laurastob@Yahoo.com

Zoning Permits & Building Inspector

For all zoning & building questions

call: **PCI** - 616-877-2000

Planning Commission

Scheduled the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00pm, but occasionally cancels.

Harry DeHaan, Chairman

Zoning Board of Appeals

Meets as needed.

Ron Schrottenboer Chairman

Township Deputies

Bernard Austhof

269 673-0500 Ext. 4278

Matt Langlois

269 673-0500 Ext. 4438

Fire Chief —Matt Weston

Cell—616 272-8081

Sexton—Johnny and Jill Hooker
Home 269 792-2525

Green Lake Sewer —Jacquelynn
Bultsma Office 616 891-8238

Dorr/Leighton Wastewater—

Fern O'Beshaw 616 891-8238

E-mail: dl@leightontownship.org

Leighton Township Library

616 877-4143

Michael Mulligan-President

Karen McKinnon— Director

Allegan County Offices

Road Commission –269 673-2184

County Clerk – 269 673-0450

County Treasurer – 269 673-0260

Drain Commissioner – 269 673-0440

Health Department – 269 673-5411

Resource Recovery – 269 673-5411

Sheriff Department Emergency –911

General Information –269 673-0500

Animal Control – 269 673-0519

Allegan County Commissioner

Mark De Young - 616 681-9413

Burn Permits

Can be obtained by calling the Allegan County Burn Permit Line at 269 686-5222. Follow prompts. Permits to burn brush must be obtained on the day the material is to be burned. Be prepared with your name, address, and phone number.

State Legislative Officials

72nd District Rep.— Steven Johnson

Phone: 517 373-0840

Email: SteveJohnson@house.mi.gov

26th District Senator— Aric Nesbitt

Phone: 517 373-0793

Summer 2021 Tax Payments

Summer tax bills are out, please note that all payments must be received in our office by **Tuesday, September 14, 2021 by 5pm. We cannot accept postmarks!** Payments may be sent to 4451 12th Street, Suite A, Wayland, MI 49348. A Drop Box is available for payments 24 hours a day near the flagpole on the outside of the township building. If you would like to schedule a specific time please call 616.891.8238 or email me at

treasurer@leightontownship.org.

For a receipt by mail, enclose both the top and bottom portions of the bill with a self-addressed, stamped envelope. We strongly encourage payment by check or money order in lieu of cash. I will be in the office on September 14, from 9am until 5pm.

Thank you,

Treasurer Jacquelynn Bultsma

PS: A change in ownership: If you receive a bill for a property that you no longer own, kindly pass it on to the new owner, if possible, or return it to us so we may redirect it. Thank you

Jan 4, 18	July 6*, 19
Feb 1, 15	Aug 2, 16, 30
March 1, 15, 29	Sept 13, 27
April 12, 26	Oct 11, 25
May 10, 24	Nov 8, 22
June 7, 21	Dec 6, 20

*One day later due to holiday

Service is bi-weekly on Mondays. Please remember to place your recycle bin out the night before your scheduled pickup.

Visit allegancounty.org and select Recycling for more information about recycling offered through the Allegan Resource Recovery.

Recycle
Schedule

