



Robert W. Hanvey, Supervisor
Tammy Beal, Clerk
Jim Murray, Treasurer
Les Andersen, Trustee
Greg Durbin, Trustee
Scott Lloyd, Trustee
Dan Lowe, Trustee

The Board of Trustees meets the second and fourth Thursday of each month at 7:30 pm. The Planning Commission meets the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm. The meeting schedule is on our website, www.mariontownship.com

TOWNSHIP ROADS

On July 28 at 7:30 pm, the township will be having a public meeting during the regular board meeting to discuss where the township will be spending money for public roads over the next five years. If you are a resident and wish to be heard, please attend this workshop meeting.

FROM TAMMY BEAL, MARION TOWNSHIP CLERK

Our 9th annual *Trunk or Treat* will be held inside on Monday, October 31 from 6-8 pm. If you are handing out treats, come at 5:15 to set up your table and have a hot dog & cider with the officials and staff.

Elections

The next elections are August 2 (State Primary) and November 8 (General Election.) You must be registered to vote by July 5 for the Primary and October 11 for the General. If you are not sure if you are registered, please contact the clerk's office. Polls will be open from 7 am-8 pm for all elections.

Heritage Days

Heritage Days 2016 was a huge success. We had a great turn out and beautiful weather. Highlights included steam engines, antique tractors, sawmill, animal exhibits, kid's games, peddler's market and so much more! The car show on Sunday, sponsored by Roy's Autoworks, had an all-time high number of registrations with 63. Thanks to our many volunteers who worked numerous hours to put on this event. We couldn't do it without you!

Recycle Bins

Recycle bins are located behind the township hall and are available 24/7. **All items are accepted with the exception of plastic bags, waxed cardboard, Styrofoam, and glass.** There is no need to separate your materials by type. The township pays by volume, not weight, so PLEASE CRUSH YOUR STUFF before depositing it in the bin.

Also available in the main entrance to the township offices, you will find recycle bins for household batteries and hearing aids, prescription eyewear, and cell phones. We also collect seasonal items such as used Christmas lights during the holidays.

The township has a Gleaners collection box in the lobby for non-perishable food item donations.

DPW DEPARTMENT

Coming Soon: MHOG Utility Department's New Online Payment Website

The MHOG Utility Department is excited to announce the launch of our new online access and payment website, with an expected September 12, 2016 activation date. We are changing our online payment process to better serve our customers with more payment options. You will soon be able to pay directly from your checking account online with an e-check or still pay with your credit card/debit card.

Unfortunately, one drawback of this new site is that customers will have to register again and any recurring payments set up on the old system will be cancelled and will need to be set up on the new site.

We are also pleased to offer another convenient payment method for our customers—Auto Payment using an ACH Auto Debit from a checking or savings account. Your quarterly utility bill will soon be able to be automatically paid as an electronic withdrawal from your bank account on the billing due date every three months. This is a very convenient way to pay without the worries of cancelled or expiring credit cards. It will be easy to sign up by completing an authorization form. This form will soon be available online or by calling us at 800-881-4109.

It is currently planned that these new services will be available the week of September 12, 2016. For future updates and information, visit us on the web at www.mhog.org or call 800-881-4109.

The Marion Township Public Works Department is responsible for municipal water/sewer locations, permits, and special assessments for sewer/water that are included on the tax bill. Questions can be directed to Cindy Hodge by calling during regular business hours or email publicworks@mariontownship.com

If you have a water leak or emergency, please call 888-481-0439. For sewer emergencies, call 517-546-7150, Mon.-Fri., 8 am-4 pm; after hours or holidays, call 911.

From Jim Murray, Marion Township Treasurer

We accept partial payments for your property taxes from July 1 through February 28.

We also accept partial payments for your delinquent personal property tax throughout the year.

Wednesday, September 14, is the last day to pay your 2016 summer tax bill without interest.

Checks are deposited on the day received.

Do not postdate checks—they will be returned.

All taxpayers are sent a tax bill. If you have a mortgage company, they will request a copy of your bill from us.

Summer Tax Deferment

The application for deferment of the 2016 summer taxes is available at the township. Deferments must be filed and dated from July 1, 2016 through September 14, 2016.

Dog Licenses

You may renew or purchase a dog license at our treasurer's office. Proof of rabies vaccination is required. Your dog license runs concurrent with the rabies vaccination.

We only accept cash or check for all payments

If you have any questions, please call or stop by the township office.

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