



Fruitland Township
White River Light Station Museum

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E-News

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September 7, 2018

2018 SUMMER TAXES

The 2018 summer tax collection deadline is approaching! Summer taxes are due by **September 14, 2018**. All payments must include the bottom portion of the tax bill in order to appropriately post payments to the correct parcel. Payments received without parcel numbers could result in processing delays.

Make all checks **PAYABLE TO: FRUITLAND TOWNSHIP**

Methods of Payment

- **Mail** a personal check, money order, or cashier's check to 4545 Nestrom Rd., Whitehall, MI 49461. We do **NOT** accept postdated checks.
- **Night Deposit Box** located at the Township Hall. Place your payment and the bottom portion of the tax bill in an envelope and drop in our deposit box. **No cash payments in the night deposit box!**
- **In person**, at the Fruitland Township Hall, Monday-Friday. See hours and holiday closing dates below.
- **Online**, at www.fruitlandtwp.org. There will be an additional fee for this option.
- **Partial payments** will be accepted. Each payment amount will be spread equally to all levied taxes.

Note

- **NSF (non-sufficient funds) checks** will result in the reversal of the original payment until a cash payment can be made and the NSF check fee will be charged at that time.
- If you request a receipt for payment, a self-addressed, stamped envelope must accompany payment.

Payment Dates

- Payments due to Fruitland Township, July 1, 2018 until September 14, 2018 without penalty. **Postmarked payments and payments in the Night Deposit Box on September 14, 2018 will be accepted without penalty.**
- Normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday. 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Fridays. Special tax collection hours Friday, September 14, 2018 open 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- **Payments made after September 14, 2018, will include a 1% penalty per month (as mandated by the State of Michigan) also an additional 3% if not paid by February 14, 2019.** Call (231) 766-3208 for calculation before mailing.

Melissa M. Beegle, Treasurer

ELECTION INSPECTOR TRAINING

Election inspectors are people who are paid to assist voters at the polls on Election Day. The Muskegon County Clerk's office is hosting a free 3-hour training which qualifies you to work any election in the State of Michigan for up to 2 years. Training is offered at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. or 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, October 3, 2018. For more information and to register go to www.co.muskegon.mi.us/clerk.

WHITE RIVER LIGHT STATION MUSEUM EVENT

✿ September 14, 2018 – 9:30 a.m. – Yoga

Ignorance is preferable to error; and he is less remote from the truth who believes nothing, than he who believes what is wrong. – Thomas Jefferson

Best,

Marcia Jeske
Supervisor

MUSKEGON COUNTY CLERK
Nancy A. Waters, Presents a
Community Election Inspector Training
Wednesday, October 3rd, 2018

Election inspectors are people who are paid to assist voters at the polls on Election Day. Join us for a FREE 3-hour training. If the training is completed you will receive a certificate which qualifies you to work any election in the state of Michigan for up to 2 years. Training is offered at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. or 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Requirements

- Complete and return Election Inspector Application to Muskegon County Clerk, 990 Terrace Street, 1st Floor by 4 p.m. Monday, September 24th
- Registered to vote in Michigan (High school students 16 and older are eligible)
- Legible handwriting
- Basic computer knowledge
- Bring photo ID to training

Muskegon Innovation Hub at
Grand Valley State University
200 Viridian Drive
Muskegon, MI 49442

Pick up your application at the
Muskegon County Clerk's office
or at

<http://www.co.muskegon.mi.us/clerk>

Return your application by mail/drop off
at the Muskegon County Clerk's office.
Located at 990 Terrace Street, Michael E.
Kobza Hall of Justice, 1st floor Muskegon,
MI 49442

Upcoming Election Dates

- Tuesday, November 6, 2018

**Election inspectors must commit to working on Election Day from 6 a.m.
until approximately 9:30 p.m. or as assigned by municipal clerk**

SEATING IS LIMITED! REGISTER TODAY!

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2018 BY 4 P.M.

MUST PRE-REGISTER @

<http://www.co.muskegon.mi.us/clerk>

State of Michigan Election Inspector Application

(Complete in your own handwriting and return to Muskegon County Clerk for the Community Election Inspector Training Mon, Sept. 24th)

personal information

Full Name _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Email Address _____

Home Address _____

Phone #'s Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Registered in City or Township of _____ Pct # _____ Ward # _____

County of _____

Political Party Affiliation (**REQUIRED**; must be a recognized state party & may not be Independent):

Republican Democratic Libertarian U.S. Taxpayers Green Natural Law Working Class

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or election crime? Yes No

education and experience information

Education Background (include highest grade completed or degree held) _____

Employment Background (include current or last place of employment and type or work performed)

Languages other than English that you speak (if any) _____

Please rate your computer experience (data look-up, database processing, creating .pdfs, etc.):

1 = not experienced, 5 = very experienced

1 2 3 4 5

Past experience as an election inspector, if any (include name of jurisdiction) _____

Do you have transportation? Yes No

Will you work at any polling place? Yes No If not, explain: _____

signature and certification

I CERTIFY THAT I am not a member or a known active advocate* of a political party other than the party identified above. I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT the foregoing statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Applicant

____/____/____
Date

* A "known active advocate" of another political party is defined to mean a person who 1) is a delegate to the convention or an officer of another party; 2) is affiliated with another party through an elected or appointed government position or; 3) has made documented public statements specifically supporting by name another political party or its candidates in the same calendar year as the election at which the person will serve as an inspector. "Documented public statements" means statements reported by the news media or written statements with a clear and unambiguous attribution to the applicant.

ANY FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS APPLICATION WILL DISQUALIFY THE APPLICANT.

Approved by State Director of Elections (August 2017)