



Fruitland Township E-News

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January 15, 2015

Township Holiday Closing

The Fruitland Township offices will be closed Monday, January 19, 2015 to commemorate Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

White Lake Community Business Expo 2015

The White Lake Area Chamber of Commerce will host its 3rd Annual White Lake Community Business Expo. The date will be Saturday, March 14, 2015, and will be held in conjunction with the Rotary Pancake Breakfast. This event will be held in the Whitehall High School gymnasium and will be free to the public. I urge everyone to put this event on your calendars and plan to attend.

2014 Winter Taxes

Just a reminder, the last day to pay your 2014 winter property taxes in person without penalty is February 17, 2015. If you are unable to pay in person at the Fruitland Township Hall, the Treasurer's Office will accept U.S. mail postmarks dated on or before February 17, 2015.

Also, we will accept any tax payments that are put into the Township Hall night drop box after 4:00 p.m. on Friday, February 13 until Tuesday, February 17, 2015.

Payments made after February 17, 2015 will include a 3% penalty.

Muskegon County Road Commission Open House

The Muskegon County Road Commission will hold an open house at the Fruitland Township Hall on Tuesday, January 20, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. The purpose of the open house is to allow Fruitland Township residents to hear and ask questions about the road millage. This millage will be on the February 24, 2015 ballot.



MUSKEGON-OCEANA AFFORDABLE HOUSING INITIATIVES

A subsidiary of Muskegon Oceana CAP

1170 W. Southern Avenue

Muskegon, MI 49441

Phone: 231-725-9499, Fax: 231-225-0455

2015 Class Schedule

Jan. – Mar.

THE SAVVY HOMEBUYER

A **two-part series** that discusses: assessing buyer readiness, selecting a home, working with real estate professionals, home inspections, purchase agreements, mortgages, closing documents, spending plans and credit, fair housing, predatory lending, foreclosure, and maintenance of your home and finances.

Daytime classes are on an as needed basis.

Day	Date	Time	Session	Location
Thursday	01/15/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part I	MOCAP
Thursday	01/22/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part II	MOCAP
Thursday	02/12/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part I	MOCAP
Thursday	02/19/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part II	MOCAP
Thursday	03/12/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part I	MOCAP
Thursday	03/19/2015	6:00 - 9:00	Part II	MOCAP

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Due to class planning & materials, registration will close at 5:00 p.m. the Tuesday prior to the Part I class date.

LOCATIONS

MOCAP is located at 1170 W. Southern, near Barclay & Southern, across from NIMS Elementary School

FINANCIAL CAPABILITY

A six week series designed to provide families with the financial tools it takes to utilize their resources to the fullest and make an informed home buying choice. You must complete Homebuyers' Education Parts I & II to register for this series. Sessions include: Money Management Skills, Developing a Spending Plan, Borrowing Basics, Consumer Protection & Rights, Banking Basics-Bank Services, Debt Reduction & Saving, Insurance & Long Term Planning, Healthy Homes & Homeownership.



Mason Drain

Mason Drain district residents are invited to the Fruitland Township Hall on Tuesday, January 27th at 6:30 p.m. This meeting will be to inform residents of the preliminary design for maintenance and repair work on the Mason Drain. The public is invited to attend.

Saxe Drain

The Saxe Drain Board of Determination will meet on Tuesday, February 10th at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Fruitland Township Hall. The public is invited to attend.

Township Meetings

Tuesday, January 20th – Township Board Meeting at 5:00 p.m.

Monday, February 9th – Township Board Work Session at 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday, February 17th – Township Board Meeting at 5:00 p.m.

Monday, March 2nd – Parks and Recreation Commission at 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 4th – Planning Commission at 6:00 p.m.

Monday, March 9th – Township Board Work Session at 10:00 a.m.

Monday, March 16th – Township Board Meeting at 5:00 p.m.

As always, supervisor@fruitlandtp.org
Sam E. St.Amour
Supervisor