

October 2024



## Genoa Township News & Updates

### Greetings

Welcome to this month's edition of Genoa Township news via email. Here's what's coming up in the Township:

### Dorr Road Bridge Closing

**THE DORR ROAD BRIDGE OVER I-96 IS CLOSED UNTIL NOVEMBER 8TH. THERE IS NO DIRECT ACCESS TO THE TOWNSHIP HALL FROM THE NORTH. PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY.**

**ALTERNATE ROUTES INCLUDE CHALLIS ROAD OR CROOKED LAKE ROAD. PLEASE CLICK HERE FOR ALTERNATE ROUTE DIRECTIONS FROM YOUR LOCATION: [DETOUR DIRECTIONS TO THE TOWNSHIP HALL](#)**

### November 5 General Election

Voters from all Genoa Township precincts can take part in early voting from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Boardroom at the Township Hall on the following dates:

- Saturday, Oct. 26
- Sunday, Oct. 27
- Monday, Oct. 28
- Tuesday, Oct. 29
- Wednesday, Oct. 30
- Thursday, Oct. 31
- Friday, Nov. 1
- Saturday, Nov. 2
- Sunday, Nov. 3

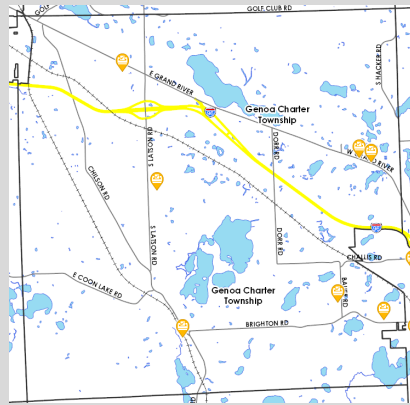
On Tuesday, Nov. 5, voters will go to their regular precincts to cast a ballot in the General Election.

Absentee applications are available in the Township office or at [Michigan.gov/vote](https://Michigan.gov/vote).

To find your voting location click the following link: [Polling Location Lookup](#) or click on the

map below.

Questions? Call the Township Clerk's Office at (810) 227-5225.



## Fall Yard Waste Drop-Off

Our Fall Yard Waste Collection program has been scheduled for the following dates at the Genoa Charter Township Hall from 8-11 a.m.:

- Saturday, October 19th
- Saturday, November 23rd

Residents may bring their yard waste to the Township Hall Parking lot during the designated times on these dates. Branches and similar materials must be in 3-foot-long bundles.

**Please no plastic bags.**

More information can be found on our [Refuse & Recycling](#) page.

## Curbside Yard Waste Collection

Waste Management will pick up yard waste every other week from residents who subscribe and pay for the service. The flat rate is \$80 for the season.

The paid yard waste service began the week of April 10. Residents south of I-96 are picked up on Wednesdays. Residents north of I-96 are picked up on Thursdays.

Call WM at (810) 201-5576 if you are interested in yard waste collection. Enter your zip code when asked for an account number.

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## Brighton Area Fire seeking Paid On-Call Firefighters

The Brighton Area Fire Authority is seeking residents living in Genoa Township, Brighton Township and the City of Brighton who are willing to serve their community as a Paid-On-Call Firefighter.

- No experience necessary, just the motivation to learn and serve
- All required training is provided and compensated
- Academy classes are held on evening/weekends
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To apply, interested applicants can go to [www.brightonareafire.com](http://www.brightonareafire.com) or in person at 615 W. Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116

## Township Calendar

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### **Township Hall Upcoming Holidays and Events**

- **Monday, October 14:** Columbus Day. The Township offices are closed.
- **Thursday, October 30:** Happy Halloween! Trick or Treating hours are from 6-8 p.m. Please put a porch light on if handing out treats.
- **Saturday, Oct. 26-Sunday Nov. 3:** Early Voting in the Boardroom from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for all precincts.

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### **Trash and Recycling**

- **Monday, October 14:** Columbus Day. Garbage and recycling collection is not affected.

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### **Township Board and Commission Meeting Dates**

- **Monday, October 7: Township Board** meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Click [here](#) for Township Board agendas, packets and meeting minutes.

- **Monday, October 15: Planning Commission** regular meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Applications for potential Planning Commission review at this meeting include the following:

- Legacy Hills– Residential Planned Unit Development (PUD), 127.57 acres of vacant land located at the northwest corner of Challis and Bauer Roads, Brighton: Request for PUD rezoning from Agricultural to Low-Density Residential Planned Unit Development (LDR/RPUD), conceptual PUD Plan and related materials for a proposed 58 unit clustered single family residential development.
- Michigan Landscape Professionals, 3080 Toddiem Drive, Howell: Request for special land use approval for a contractor's office with outdoor storage.
- Drip Car Wash, 3200 E. Grand River Avenue, Howell: Request for site plan approval of improvements to the existing car wash development, including 3 pay lanes, 17 vacuum stations, and related site improvements including waste receptacle and landscaping.
- Soapy Bucket Car Wash, 1415 Lawson Drive, Howell: Request for a site plan amendment to add 75 feet of property, relocate and expand vacuum stations, relocate dumpster, and revise landscaping plan.

Click [here](#) for Planning Commission agendas, packets and meeting minutes.

- **Monday, October 21: Township Board** meeting at 6:30 p.m.

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- **Tuesday, October 22: Zoning Board of Appeals** meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Click [here](#) for Zoning Board of Appeals agendas, packets and meeting minutes.

You can find a complete list of Township meeting dates for 2024 [here](#).

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All public meetings take place in the Boardroom at the Township Hall, 2911 Dorr Road, Brighton, 48116, unless otherwise noted. Agendas, packets and minutes are posted to the individual page of the Board or Commission at [genoa.org](http://genoa.org).

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