

November 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:

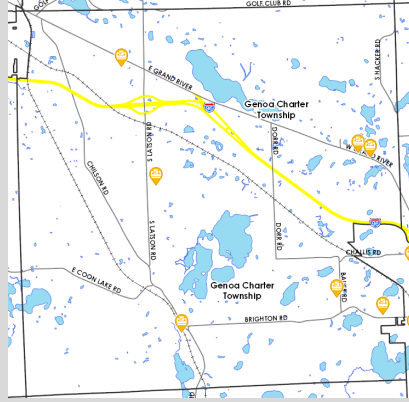
- Friday, Nov. 1
- Saturday, Nov. 2
- Sunday, Nov. 3

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.

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.



2024 Summer Tax Information

The 2024 Summer taxes were due on September 14, 2024. Summer taxes can still be paid at the Township with additional interest now due. If you're not sure if your summer taxes have been paid please check the Township website at www.genoa.org or contact the Treasurer's office at 810-227-5225.

The 2024 Winter taxes will be mailed out to all property owners on Friday, November 29, 2024, and are payable thru February 28, 2025. Please contact the Treasurer's office if you do not receive your bill.

Fall Yard Waste Drop-Off

Our final Fall Yard Waste Collection day has been scheduled for Saturday, November 23rd at the Genoa Charter Township Hall from 8-11 a.m.:

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.

StoryWalk at Genoa Township Park

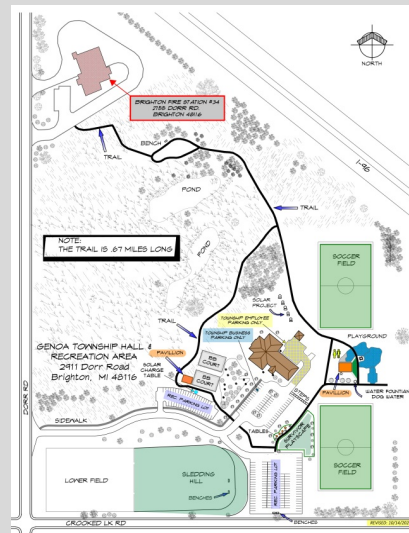
The StoryWalk project will be coming soon to the Genoa Township Park. The StoryWalk is an interactive reading trail that combines children's literacy and family fun time together in nature. Along the Park walking trail, stations will be installed which will display pages from a book. The book will be changed periodically. A map and more information will be available once the project is installed.

The StoryWalk project came about after the Livingston Great Start Collaborative was awarded a literacy grant to improve access to literary materials for children up to 5 years old. The Township is thankful for the generous support from local Cub Scout Pack 347 and exercise group "F3" (www.f3nation.com) to help install the signs. F3 currently hosts free early morning men's workouts at the Township Hall and is helping install the signs as a way to give back to the community. Please check the Township website and social media accounts for updates on when the StoryWalk will open.

New Park and Trails Map

Township resident Chris Gravelle has once again donated his time and talent to update the Township Park and Trails map. Mr. Gravelle is a longtime Township resident who frequently visits the park. He originally created the map in 2012 and recently took it upon himself to update the original map. Genoa Township wishes to thank Mr. Gravelle for his

outstanding representation of the Township Hall Park and we are pleased to share the new map at the link below:



Township Calendar

Township Hall Upcoming Holidays and Events

- **Saturday, Nov. 1-Sunday Nov. 3:** Early Voting in the Boardroom from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for all precincts.
- **Tuesday, November 5:** Election Day. Polls will be open at all precincts from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- **Monday, November 11:** Veterans Day. The Township offices are closed.
- **Thursday, November 28:** Happy Thanksgiving! The Township offices are closed.
- **Friday, November 29:** The Township offices are closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Trash and Recycling

- **Monday, November 11:** Veterans Day. Garbage and recycling collection ARE NOT affected.
- **Thursday, November 28:** Thanksgiving Day. No garbage and recycling collection.
- **Friday, November 29:** Thanksgiving. Garbage/recycling service resumes with Thursday's collection. Friday's collection will be completed Saturday.

Township Board and Commission Meeting Dates

- **Tuesday, November 12:** Planning Commission regular meeting at 6:30 p.m.

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

- 410 S. Hughes Road Rezoning: Request to rezone 9.76 acres from Public Recreation (PRF) to Suburban Residential (SR). The property is located on the west side of S. Hughes Road, south of Golf Club Road.
- Misty Meadows Drive Phase 2, Latson Road: Request for private road review to construct phase 2 of Misty Meadows Drive located on the west side of S. Latson Road, south of Crooked Lake Road.

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

- **Monday, November 18: Township Board** meeting at 6:30 p.m.

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

- **Tuesday, November 19: 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](#).

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.

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