**SAUBLE TOWNSHIP BI-ANNUAL NEWSLETTER**

**SUMMER 2020**

**BOARD MEMBERS: Supervisor:** George Danek Ph: 231-729-3222 **Trustee:** Marry Ann Nugent Ph: 231-266-8384

 **Clerk:** Gail Raad Ph: 231-266-8384 **Trustee:** Dee Robart Ph: 231-266-8384

 **Treasurer:** Abbey Sisson Ph: 231-510-1474

**OFFICE HOURS: Office hours are set up as outlined below. Please call ahead to confirm that the person you**

 **need is available. Setting up an appointment assures that they will be at the office.**

**Supervisor:** George Danek – Please call to make an appointment, Ph: 231-729-3222

**Clerk:** Gail Raad – Please call to make an appointment, Ph: 231-266-8384 or e-mail saubletownship@yahoo.com

**Treasurer:** Abbey Sisson – Office Hours Tuesdays 9-2 or by appointment. Ph: 231-510-1474 or email saubletreasurer@gmail.com

**Trustee:** Mary Ann Nugent – Please call to make an appointment Ph: 231-266-8384

**Trustee:** Dee Robart – Please call to make an appointment Ph: 231-266-8384

**Constable:** Paul Raad – Please call to make an appointment Ph: 231-266-8384

**Land Use Administrator:** Bill Rodgers – Please call to make an appointment, Ph: 616-890-7635

 **>SUMMER TAXES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE FROM JULY 1ST 2020 TO SEPTEMBER 14TH 2020<**

 **The Treasurer will be in the office on dates and times listed below:**

Every Tuesday from 9am till 2pm.

Monday September 14th 2020 from 9am till 5pm.

Tuesday December 29th 2020 from 9am till 5pm.

**2020 MEETING DATES (2nd Monday of the month, 7:00 p.m.)**

**All meetings will be by Teleconference until further notice. Call in number is 978-990-5202 PC 6224489**

 **January 13 April 13 July 13 October 12**

**February 10 May 11 August 10 November 9**

**March 16 June 8 September 14 December 14**

**PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING DATES (all meetings start at 6:00 p.m.)**

 **April 13 July 13 October 12**

**May 11 August 10 November 9**

**June 8 September 14**

**BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING:**

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| **Date** | **Time** | **Purpose** |
| **Tuesday July 21 2020** | **1:00 pm - 3:30 pm** | **Correct Clerical Errors and Mutual Mistakes of Fact; Homestead Changes** |
| **Tuesday Dec 15 2020** | **11:00 am - 12:00 pm** | **Correct Clerical Errors and Mutual Mistakes of Fact; Homestead Changes** |

**EVENTS**

Trunk ‘n Treat – Saturday, October 31st at 5 pm (Volunteers needed). This is tentative as of now due to covid-19. We will be making our final decision at our September meeting.

Large Item Cleanup – Saturday, October 17th 9am – 12pm Skinner Park. This is tentative as of now due to covid-19. We will be making our final decision at our September meeting.

Sauble Township is a Zoned Community!

If you have planned any construction projects (homes, cottages, or cabins, garages, decks, patios, sheds, fences, etc.), please check with our Sauble Township Land Use Administrator for a Land Use Permit first.  The Land Use Administrator can provide you information on zoning ordinances, setbacks, square footage, and any other zoning ordinance questions you may have.  Your project may need a Lake County Building Permit as well.

**SUPERVISOR’S CORNER**

During this unprecedented time of uncertainty and current challenges, we must not forget that as Americans the experiences that have brought us to our present day include, among others, the Revolutionary War, the Civil War, World War I compounded along with the 1918 World-Wide Flu epidemic, the Great Depression of the 1930's, World War II and the Korean War just to name a few.

As our Michigan-raised President Gerald R. Ford is quoted as saying, "History and experience tells us that moral progress cannot come in comfortable and in complacent times, but out of trial and out of confusion.”

Compounding our confusion of present day America is a once in a century pandemic that has already killed more than one hundred thousand of our citizens in just the last three months along with the greatest unemployment and financial crisis since the Great Depression.

But as Americans and citizens of this great state of Michigan, we will get through the horror of our current dilemma. And for those of you who might have lost a loved one or friend during this time of uncertainty, eventually their memory will bring a smile to your face that will ease the current pain in your heart during this most unfortunate time in our history. Time eventually does heal all wounds.

Hang tight Americans. Hang tight you wonderful citizens of Michigan.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our voters and taxpayers for their support in what we are trying to accomplish in our community. I can’t say it enough, THANK YOU!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my Board and all the volunteers for a job well done.

I hope to see you at our meetings in the future with more ideas as to how we can serve you.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to help with any of our projects, please feel free to call me any time at 231-729-3222, or e-mail me at saubletownship@yahoo.com.

Thank you and God bless,

George Danek