

*Welcome
to the
Charter Township
of Harrison*



The information presented in this packet has been compiled to provide a convenient list of local contacts for the residents of Harrison Township.

We hope you find it helpful.

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WELCOME TO HARRISON TOWNSHIP

**38151 L’Anse Creuse Road
Harrison Township, MI 48045**

Phone: 466-1400

Visit us at our web site www.harrison-township.org

Hours of Operation 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON
ELECTED OFFICIALS
TERM 2016-2020**

SUPERVISOR:	Kenneth J. Verkest	466-1445 <u>kverkest@harrison-township.org</u>
CLERK:	Adam Wit	466-1406 <u>awit@harrison-township.org</u>
TREASURER:	Darrin S. York	466-1440 <u>dyork@harrison-township.org</u>
TRUSTEES:	Brian Batkins	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1553 <u>bbatkins@harrison-township.org</u>
	Bill Servial	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1550 <u>bservial@harrison-township.org</u>
	Bill Bitonti	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1551 <u>bbitonti@harrison-township.org</u>
	Lawrence Tomenello	Voice Mail 466-1400 x 1552 <u>ltomenello@harrison-township.org</u>

The Township Supervisor, Clerk and Treasurer are available to serve you on a full-time basis and may be reached at the Harrison Township Administrative Building at the above listed extensions. The Trustees are part-time and do not have onsite offices and may be contacted at the above corresponding voice mailbox number or in-home phone/fax number. Trustees also have mailboxes in the Clerk’s Office that welcome correspondence.

The area code is 586 unless otherwise noted.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Harrison Township is a charter township government by resolution adopted November 13, 1978 and operates under the Charter Township Act, Act 359 of 1947. Your Board of Trustees includes three officers – the supervisor, clerk and treasurer, and four trustees. Together they constitute the township board, the township’s legislative body. Each member has one vote and when it comes to voting on a question, each vote is of equal weight.

Your township board members are elected to serve four-year-terms. They are nominated at the August state primary election and elected in the November general presidential election.

The Charter Township of Harrison Board of Trustees meets the second and fourth Monday of the month for their Regular Board meetings. The meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. with a 6:30 Board Forum at Rosso Memorial Hall, 38255 L’Anse Creuse. These meetings are open to the public. To be placed on the meeting agenda, you must contact the Township Clerk’s office for submittal deadlines. Public notices are published in the Macomb Daily Newspaper and or Advisor. The Agenda and Synopsis of the Minutes are posted in the Administrative Office and at Rosso Hall, and full text minutes are available online at the Township’s website and upon request at the Clerk’s Office. Public Comments are welcomed at the end of each Board of Trustees meeting on any topic up to five minutes. Our Board of Trustees meetings are televised on Cable Channel’s 6 or 10. Zoning Board of Appeals and Planning Commission Meetings are also televised.

If you are a citizen of the United States, are at least eighteen (18) years of age and have lived in Harrison Township no less than thirty (30) days, you are eligible to register as an Elector of The Charter Township of Harrison. This procedure can be performed at a Secretary of State’s office when you change your driver’s license or at the Clerk’s Office. Please be mindful that your driver’s license and voter’s registration must have the same address. Your Clerk’s Office strongly encourages **you** to vote in all elections.

**HARRISON TOWNSHIP’S ADMINISTRATIVE
DEPARTMENTS**

Harrison Township’s Administrative Offices are located at 38151 L’Anse
Creuse Road. **All departments are open to the public from 8:00 a.m.
until 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.**

**The Clerk’s Office offers passport processing Monday –Friday 8:00 a.m.
to 4:00 p.m. as well as notary services for a fee.

DEPARTMENTS:

- SUPERVISOR: 466-1445**
- CLERK: 466-1406**
- TREASURER: 466-1440**
- ACCOUNTING: 466-1435**
- ASSESSING: 466-1410**
- BUILDING: 466-1431**
- PLANNING/ZONING BD OF APPEALS: 466-1461**
- ORDINANCE OFFICER: 466-1423**
- *WATER & SEWER: 466-1425 *(after
hours/or emergency)
468-4155**

FIRE AND POLICE PROTECTION

Both the Fire and Sheriff's Departments utilize the 911 emergency telephone services.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Visit the Harrison Township Fire Department's web page at:
<http://www.harrisontownshipfire.org>

The Harrison Township Fire Department has two (2) stations: Station #1 located at 27061 Crocker Blvd and Station #2 located at 39460 Jefferson.

Non-emergency Fire Department Number: 466-1450

FIRE STATION #1: 27061 Crocker Blvd. 466-1452

FIRE STATION #2: 39460 Jefferson 466-1450

POLICE PROTECTION

Internet:<http://www.macombsheriff.com>

Harrison Township contracts with the Macomb County Sheriff's Department for police protection. Currently our contract is for ten (10) deputies. There are no mini stations in Harrison Township. All sheriff business is handled at the Sheriff's Office located at 43565 Elizabeth Road, Mount Clemens, MI 48043.

Dispatch Line Macomb County Sheriff's Number: 469-5151

Non-emergency Macomb County Sheriff's Number: 469-5502

SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

The Senior Activity Center is located at 26980 Ballard. Tucker Park is home to the activity center where senior citizens participate in numerous fun filled activities as well as lunch together daily. Our senior center is often referred to as the Tucker Senior Center. The activity center is open Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. For more information, please contact the Senior Center at 466-1498.

TUCKER SENIOR CENTER	466-1498
DIAL A RIDE	466-1497
FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE (May – November)	612-4454

SENIOR CITIZEN SERVICES DEPARTMENT (MACOMB COUNTY)	469-6313
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PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The Parks and Recreation Department was eliminated in January 2003 because of financial restraints.

The Township has three (3) Township owned parks. These parks are open to everyone. If you should have any questions relative to any Township owned park, please contact the Supervisor’s Office at 466-1445.

<u>Township Parks:</u>	Tucker Park- 27000 Ballard St.
	Waterfront Park- 34890 Jefferson
	Aloysius Trombley Park- S. River Rd & Elmite

TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONS & COMMITTEES

Beautification Commission	7 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Building Board of Appeals	3 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Building Authority	5 Member Body (3 & 4YearTerms)
Board of Canvassers	4 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Board of Review	3 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Cable TV Committee	5 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Civil Service Commission	3 Member Body (6 Year Terms)
Economic Development Corp	9 Member Body (6 Year Terms)
Election Commission	3 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Employee Pension Board	5 Member Body (2 & 3 Year Terms)
Environmental Committee	9 Member Body (3 Year Terms)
Firefighter’s Pension Board	5 Member Body (4 Year Terms)
Historical Commission	6 Member Body
Housing Board of Appeals	5 Member Body (1 – 3 Year Terms)
Library Board	6 Member Body (3 Year Terms)
Noxious Weed Commissioners	2 Member Body (2 Year Terms)
Parks & Recreation Committee	Committee is comprised of resident volunteers
Planning Commission	7 Member Body (3 Year Terms)
SEMCOG	2 Members (4 Year Terms)
Zoning Board of Appeals	5 Member Body (3 Year Terms)

The Board of Trustees appoints commission and committee members. Meetings for commissions and committees are held at Rosso Hall located at 38255 L’Anse Creuse Road in the Meeting Room, and/or as specified either on the yearly calendar adopted by the Board of Trustees, or in the meeting notice.

If there are any questions relative to a commission or committee, please contact the Clerk’s Office at 466-1406.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON STATISTICS

<u>COUNTY</u>	Macomb
<u>AREA</u>	13.9 square miles
<u>LOCATION</u>	16 miles northeast of downtown Detroit
<u>GOVERNMENT</u>	Charter Township
<u>POPULATION</u>	24,587 (based on 2010 census)
<u>HOUSING</u>	Median Home cost is \$105,340.00
<u>UTILITIES</u>	Detroit Edison, Consumers Energy, SBC, Detroit Water & Sewerage, Comcast, Wide-Open West, and AT&T
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY</u>	EMERGENCY (911) Macomb County Sheriff's 469-5151 Harrison Township Fire Dept. 466-1450
<u>MEDICAL SERVICES</u>	St. Johns Medical Center 25990 Crocker Urgent Care 466-5466 Outpatient Physical Therapy 466-5234 Laboratory Services 466-5268
<u>AMBULANCES SERVICE</u>	All Harrison Township Firefighters are paramedics and trained to provide Advanced Life Support. Please dial 911 for emergency
<u>FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS</u>	Comerica, Huntington and Flagstar
<u>LIBRARY</u>	Library (Monday 10-6, Tuesday 12-8, Wednesday 12-8, Thursday 11-5, Friday 11-5 & Saturday 11-5) Beaufait Addition 329-1261

POST OFFICE Mt. Clemens Post Office 783-2879
155 S. Main St.
Mount Clemens, MI 48046-9998

SECRETARY OF STATE Clinton Twp. Office (37015 S. Gratiot)
(16 Mile Rd/Gratiot) 888-767-6424

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE Chesterfield Office 800-772-1213
26200 21 Mile Road (south side of 21 mile
located between Gratiot and I94)
Chesterfield Twp., MI 48051

MICHIGAN MEDICARE & MEDICAID ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 800-803-7174

MICHIGAN STATE DEVELOPMENT HOUSING AUTHORITY (MSHDA) (517) 373-8370

SOCIAL SERVICES Macomb Office 412-6100
27690 19700 Hall Rd., Ste. A
Clinton Twp., MI 48038

41-B DISTRICT COURT-HARRISON 22380 Starks Drive
Clinton Twp., MI 48036 469-9300

LOCAL RECYCLING

Simple Recycling 866-835-5068
(Curb side clothing recycling)

County Environmental Hazardous Waste
(586) 469-5236 (opens one day a month)
Hot Line (recording) (586) 466-7923

Great Lakes International Recycling
30615 Groesbeck, Roseville
(586) 779-1310 (paper, plastics, etc....)

Unidig Inc.
21600 Quinn Rd., Clinton Twp.
M-F 7:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Sat.7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
(586) 791-4010 sod/grass, dirt, brick, concrete, etc

<u>NEWSPAPERS</u>	The Macomb Daily and the Journal	
<u>CABLE PROVIDERS</u>	Comcast	888-COMCAST
	Wide Open West (WOW)	800-848-2278
	AT&T	877-722-3755
<u>SANITATION COMPANY</u>	GFL (Green For Life)	772-8900
	(May 4, 2015 Township trash hauler)	
<u>CHURCH DIRECTORY</u>	St. Hubert Catholic Church	463-5877
	St. Peter Catholic Church	468-4578
	Harrison at Metro Church	463-5806
	Knox Presbyterian Church	469-8500
	Bethlehem Lutheran Church	791-3030
<u>ORGANIZATIONS</u>	Fraternal Order of Eagles	468-5901
	Knights of Columbus	463-5877
	North Star Sail Club	463-2192
<u>SELFRIDGE NATIONAL AIR BASE</u>	Public Affairs	239-5576
	Main Gate	239-4339
<u>LAKE ST. CLAIR METRO PARK</u>	Main Number	463-4581
<u>DNR BOAT LAUNCH SITES</u>	Clinton River Cutoff	
	Harley Ensign Memorial	463-4165
	Lake St. Clair Metropark	463-4581
	Selfridge Public Access Site	469-1335
<u>MARINAS</u>	Beacon Cove Marina	465-2539
	Belle Maer Harbor	465-4534
	Boca Grande Marina	463-2622
	Bryer Cottage Marina	878-0879
	Duffy's Landing	468-1630
	Fox Marine	465-1465
	Hideaway Harbor	465-4910
	Island Cove	469-3625

<u>MARINAS CON'T.</u>	Lakeside Marina	463-2126
	Land's End Marina	465-5558
	MacRay Harbor	463-9660
	Markley Marine Inc.	469-6000
	Marshall Marine	463-1818
	Metro Marine Repair	468-0078
	Roy's Boat Harbor	463-1479
	SeaWatch Marina	468-3334
	Ship Chandler Marina	465-1231
	Waypointe Marina	307-3445

L'ANSE CREUSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools service the Residents of Harrison Township. L'Anse Creuse School District also includes four (4) other neighboring communities, parts of Clinton, Macomb, Chesterfield and a small section of St. Clair Shores. Harrison Township is home to one (1) high school, two (2) middle schools and four (4) elementary schools. The L'Anse Creuse School Administration Office is located at: 24076 F.V. Pankow Blvd., Clinton Township, MI 48036.

L'ANSE CREUSE SCHOOL ADMIN OFFICE	783-6300
L'ANSE CREUSE HIGH SCHOOL	783-6400
L'ANSE CREUSE MIDDLE SCHOOL CENTRAL	783-6430
L'ANSE CREUSE MIDDLE SCHOOL SOUTH	493-5620
EMMA V. LOBBESTAELE ELEMENTARY	783-6450
MARIE C. GRAHAM ELEMENTARY	783-6460
SOUTH RIVER ELEMENTARY	493-5620
DONALD J. YACKS ELEMENTARY	493-5630
PANKOW CENTER	783-6570

The L'Anse Creuse Public Schools Board of Education members are elected. Regular meetings of the school board meet once a month in the Administration Building, 36727 Jefferson Avenue, Harrison Township; unless otherwise posted. Please contact the L'Anse Creuse Public Schools Board of Education Administration Building at 783-6300 for meeting dates and any questions that you may have regarding school related issue.

MACOMB COUNTY NUMBERS

The City of Mt. Clemens, which borders Harrison Township is the county seat and houses the Macomb County Building. The following County Agencies are available to all Macomb County residents. A Macomb County Directory may be obtained by calling 469-5120.

MACOMB COUNTY SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT (911)	469-5151
MACOMB COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER	469-5115
MACOMB COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ROADS	463-8671
MACOMB COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS	469-5325
MACOMB COUNTY CLERK’S OFFICE	469-5120
MACOMB COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	469-5326
MACOMB COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH	469-5520
MACOMB COUNTY COUNSEL ON AGING	469-6313
MACOMB COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE	469-5749
MACOMB COUNTY TREASURER	469-5190
MACOMB COUNTY MEALS ON WHEELS	469-5228

MACOMB COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Immunization clinic, VD and TB outpatient clinics are available at a minimal or no charge to Macomb County residents. The Health Department is located in the County Service Center, Elizabeth at Groesbeck. Clinic hours may be obtained by calling 469-5235.

**GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION
FOR HARRISON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS**

Local Level: **Board of Trustees: (4 Year Terms)**
Charter Township of Harrison
Kenneth J. Verkest, Supervisor 466-1445
Adam Wit, Clerk 466-1406
Darrin York, Treasurer 466-1443
Brian Batkins, Trustee
Bill Bitonti, Trustee
Bill Servial, Trustee
Lawrence Tomenello, Trustee

County Level: **County Commissioner District 10: (2 Year Term)**
Robert Leonetti 469-5125

State Level: **Legislative:**
House of Representative 24th District:
(2 Year Term)
Steve Marino
S-788 House Office Bldg. (o) (517) 373-0113
P.O. Box 30014 888- 347-8024
Lansing, MI 48909-7514 (f) (517) 373-5912
smarino@house.mi.gov

State Senator 8th District: (4 Year Term)
Jack Brandenburg (o) (517) 373-7670
605 Farnum Bldg. (f) (517) 373-5958

Attorney General: (517) 373-1110
Bill Schuette
www.senate.michigan.gov/ag

Secretary of State: (517) 373-2512
Ruth Johnson
www.michigan.gov/sos

Governor & Lieutenant Governor:
Rick Snyder (517) 373-3400
Brian Calley (517) 373-6800
www.michigan.gov/gov

**GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION
FOR HARRISON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS**

National Level: **Congressional:**
Representative in Congress for 10th District:

Local Office: US Representative - Paul Mitchel
48701 Van Dyke (o) 997-5010
Shelby Twp., MI 48317 (f) 997-5013

Washington Office: U.S. House of Representatives
228 Cannon House Office Building (o) (202) 225-2106
Washington D.C. 20515 (f) (202) 225-1169

Only accepts e-mail thru her website:
www.house.gov/candicemiller

United States Senators:
Carl Levin (202) 224-6221
Senator@levin.senate.gov
Debbie Stabenow (202) 224-4822
Senator@stabenow.senate.gov

**Republican
Headquarters:** Republican Headquarters 731-6217

**Democratic
Headquarters:** Democratic Headquarters 463-5335
230 North Avenue
Suite 12
Mt. Clemens, MI 48043