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Regular**

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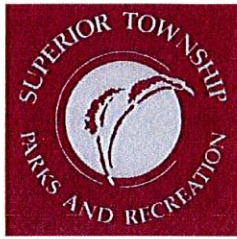
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OLD TOWNSHIP HALL



(Corner of Cherry Hill & Prospect)

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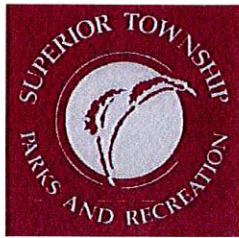
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Martha Kern-Boprie	Patrick Pigott
Terry Lee Lansing	Alex Williams
Sandi Lopez	Bernedia Word



**PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING
OLD TOWNSHIP HALL
JUNE 25, 2018 @ 6:30 P.M.
AGENDA**

- 1) CALL TO ORDER**
- 2) ROLL CALL**
- 3) FLAG SALUTE**
- 4) AGENDA APPROVAL**
- 5) PRIOR MEETING MINUTES APPROVAL**
 - A) May 29, 2018
- 6) CITIZEN PARTICIPATION**
- 7) REPORTS**
 - A) Chairperson
 - B) Administrator
 - C) Board Liaison
 - D) Board Meeting Attendee
 - E) Park Steward
 - F) Safety
- 8) COMMUNICATIONS**
 - A) Educational Info: Year of the Tick
 - B) Citizens Letter Requesting Porta-john @ Oakbrook Park
 - C) Superior Land Preservation Society Newsletter
 - D) Letter of Support for Washtenaw County Parks Skate Park Grant Application
 - E) Park Rental Form –Oakbrook Park
- 9) OLD BUSINESS**
- 10) NEW BUSINESS**
 - A) Resolution Proclaiming July as Parks & Recreation Month
 - B) New Park Maintenance Truck Bids from State of Michigan MiDEAL
 - C) Special Events Sign-up
- 11) BILLS FOR PAYMENT**
 - A) May 30, 2018 – June 25, 2018
- 12) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**
 - A) May 2018 Revenue & Expenditure Report
 - B) 2017 Final Revenue & Expenditure Report
- 13) PLEAS AND PETITIONS**
- 14) ADJOURNMENT**

Next Meeting Date: Monday, July 23, 2018 @ 6:30pm

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Superior Charter Township Park Commission
Regular Meeting
May 29, 2018

Proposed Minutes

- I. Call to Order
The meeting was called to order at 6:34 pm by Chair Marion Morris.

- II. Roll Call
Park Commissioners present: Marion Morris, Paula Jefferson, Terry Lee Lansing, Nahid Sanii-Yahyai, Bernedia Word, Sandi Lopez, Martha Kern-Boprie

Park Commissioners absent: none

Others present: Trustee Alex Williams, Juan Bradford, Park Administrator; David Buterbaugh, Maintenance Supervisor; Patrick Pigott, Recreation Coordinator

- III. Flag Salute
Chair Morris led those assembled in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

- IV. Agenda Approval
It was moved by Nahid Sanii-Yahyai and supported by Sandi Lopez to approve the agenda as drafted. The motion carried.

- V. Prior Meeting Minutes Approval
A. April 23, 2018
It was moved by Sandi Lopez and supported by Nahid Sanii-Yahyai to approve the minutes of 4/23/18 as drafted. The motion carried.

- VI. Citizen Participation – none

- VII. Reports
A. Chairperson
Chair Marion Morris informed the Park Commission that detailed plans for the layout of Superior Day activities would take place after the formal commission meeting ends tonight.

B. Administrator
Juan Bradford submitted a written report. Nahid Sanii-Yahyai commented that the Bird Watching Event on April 28 was good and effective, but the weather was very cold. Seven people attended this event, and she thought more might have come if the weather was warmer. Juan responded that bird watching is best in the spring before June. Birding experts were already committed for May at the time our event was planned. Juan also added to his report that the Come Out and Play program already has 32 children registered. There is space for 50 children each day. He has hired most of the staff for this program.

C. Board Liaison
Trustee Alex Williams reported that the Washtenaw County Road Commission (WCRC) did not show up, again, for the Township Board Meeting on May 21. Supervisor Schwartz' report included concerns about a Salem Township developer pushing to install a sewer line down Gotfredson Road to the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority (YCUA) treatment plant. Superior Township has the right to refuse granting an easement for this purpose.

The Township Board approved the transient entertainment permit for the Dixboro Farmers Market. Delinquent tax amounts less than \$5.00 were written-off rather than invest in collection. The township will install low power LED streetlights on MacArthur Blvd between Clark and Stamford this year. The Mutual Aid Agreement for fire protection was expanded to cover more area. A bid from Rotondo Brothers for concrete to replace sidewalks was awarded. The Scotta system for sewer lift stations was updated. A compressor maintenance agreement for the Utility Department building was approved. The annual Root Control contract for the Utility Department was approved. Michigan Township Association (MTA) dues were approved. The first reading of the Utility Department ordinance update was approved. The board approved setting \$20,000 aside for a conservation purchase of 80 acres near Berry and Ford Roads.

Road projects: Washtenaw County will improve Prospect and Ridge Roads, and will work on Ford Road between M153 and Plymouth Road. Superior Township will retain a contractor to improve private roads in Tanglewood Subdivision. Warren Road from Gotfredson to Napier, and Vreeland Road from Hickman to Gale will be improved. Panama Court will be paved. Harvest Lane will be paved if sewer work does not impede it. Township wide removal of dead trees is planned. Total road expense by Superior Township will be a bit less this year than in the past four years.

- D. Board Meeting Attendee
Bernedia Word attended the Township Board Meeting. She had no additions to Trustee Williams' report.
- E. Park Steward
Rick Collman submitted a written report. Dave Buterbaugh mentioned that a resident called to complain about ticks in Schroeter Park. There are a lot of ticks present. Mostly "dog ticks".
- F. Safety
On 5/24/18 someone backed a car into the Park Truck. There are dents in the Park truck doors and bed. The truck is still drivable. No one was injured.

It was moved by Nahid Sanii-Yahyai and supported by Terry Lee Lansing to receive the reports. The motion carried.

- VIII. Communications
 - A. Educational Info: Stewards of the Environment
 - B. Schroeter Park Prescribed Burn Pictures
 - C. Cherry Hill Nature Preserve (CHNP) Prescribed Burn Pictures

It was moved by Nahid Sanii-Yahyai and supported by Terry Lee Lansing to receive the communications. The motion carried.

IX. Old Business

X. New Business

XI. Bills for Payment

It was moved by Bernedia Word and supported by Paula Jefferson to approve payment of the bills for a total of \$26,710.16. The motion carried.

XII. Financial Statements

- A. April 2018 Revenue & Expenditure Report

It was moved by Sandi Lopez and supported by Paula Jefferson to receive the April 2018 Revenue and Expenditure Report. The motion carried.

XIII. Pleas and Petitions

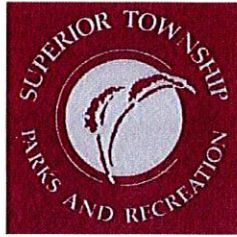
Nahid Sani-Yahyai asked for an update on Park Commissioner attendees for the Dixboro Farmers Market in June. Nahid will attend this market.

Marion Morris informed commissioners that Jack Smiley alerted her of several recent break-ins to Superior Township homes. Marion also reported she rescued an Eastern Box Turtle today.

XIV. Adjournment

It was moved by Nahid Sani-Yahyai and supported by Terry Lee Lansing to adjourn at 7:18 pm. The motion carried.

Submitted by,
Martha Kern-Boprie, Park Commissioner and Secretary



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ADMINISTRATOR REPORT JUNE 25, 2018

- Board of Trustees Meeting Attendee
Next Meeting: July 16, 2018 – Commissioner Kern-Boprie
- Dixboro Market Attendee
Next Market: June 29, 2018 – Commissioner Sanii-Yahyai
- Thank you to all the commissioners, staff, and volunteers that helped out with Superior Day. Township Treasurer McKinney and P&R Commission Chair Morris did a great job pulling together all of this year's vendors and have already begun preparing the budget for 2019.
- The Summer Playground Program has completed its first week and we are at capacity with a waiting list! It is a huge benefit to the Superior Township families and youth, and to our department to be able to collaborate with Washtenaw County Parks & Recreation and all of the other partners that make his program possible.
- June 18 – 24 was National Pollinators Week. I hung a poster in the vestibule of Township Hall describing the different pollinators across the US and their characteristics.
- July is National Parks & Recreation Month. The Township Board of Trustees passed a resolution at its June meeting proclaiming July as Parks & Recreation Month in Superior Township. You will see it on this evenings agenda requesting this commission do the same.
- The families that attend the Oakbrook Sports programs on Wednesday evenings wrote a letter requesting a Porta-john be placed at Oakbrook Park. We were able to get a Port-john at the park for them and it will remain until the end of the summer.
- I will be on vacation the week of July 2 -5 travelling around the U.P. I will be checking email and phone messages so if you need anything please feel free to contact me.
Enjoy your Independence Day!!!

Respectfully submitted,


Juan Bradford

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Juan Bradford

From: Rick Collman <rick@thecollmans.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 29, 2018 4:00 PM
To: Juan Bradford
Cc: Dave Buterbaugh; Marion Morris
Subject: Re: Superior Township Contact Page
Attachments: Ticks.jpg

5/29/18	Schroeter	1.1	Clear	90	Hot	<p>Walked through the uncut grass, into the woods, through the Weatherbee Preserve, and back through the mown grass. Examined boots, socks, and legs but found no ticks. I have had a couple on me already season, but they were of the Wood Tick ("Dog tick") variety.</p> <p>Attached is a graphic from the CDC on different kinds of ticks.</p>
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On Tue, May 29, 2018 at 12:10 PM, Juan Bradford <jbradford@superior-twp.org> wrote:

Hello Richard,

Thank you for the information regarding the ticks at Schroeter Park. We have been seeing a lot of common dog ticks this spring.

Can you please email me a picture of any of the ticks if you have one, I would like to identify the type.

You may send it directly to me at jbradford@superior-twp.org

Thank you again!

Juan

<p>Juan Bradford Parks & Recreation Administrator Superior Charter Township</p> <p>(734) 480-5502 Work (734) 484-4883 fax jbradford@superior-twp.org</p> <p>575 E. Clark Road Superior Township, MI 48198</p>

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The Year of the Tick

Why This Year's Tick Season Might Be the Worst in Years and How to Protect Yourself

A tick(ing) time bomb is set to explode this season, in fields, forests and yards across the country, as we head into what is expected to be an [extremely heavy tick season](#). And with ticks, come the dangers of tick-borne disease, namely [Lyme disease](#).

Health and insect experts are calling it a perfect storm of conditions coming together to create a tick population explosion - lack of acorns and the mild winter. Specifically, the mild winter has allowed ticks, much like other insects to thrive and emerge earlier than usual. As for the acorns, oak trees produced an extremely large acorn crop in 2010, which led to a boom in the white-footed mouse population last year.

As a result, [the blacklegged \(deer\) tick](#) population also increased because ticks had an abundance of mice to feed on when they hatched. However, this spring those same ticks will be looking for their next blood meal and since mice will be in short-supply, the ticks will turn to the next best thing - humans!

Where The Ticks Are

Most residents of the Northeast United States are familiar with ticks and the risks they pose, but a new [study published in the February issue of the American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene](#) has pinpointed the states where people have the highest risk of contracting Lyme disease.

In addition to the states from Maine to Virginia, the researchers also identified states in the upper Midwest such as Wisconsin, Minnesota and a small part of Illinois as high-risk regions. Additionally, there are several "emerging risk" regions including the Illinois-Indiana border, the New York-Vermont border, southwestern Michigan and eastern North Dakota. Recent news reports are showing a migration of blacklegged ticks into Ohio as well.

Lyme Disease Cases

In 2010, the latest data available, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) counted more than 22,000 cases of reported Lyme disease. Of those, 94 percent were reported from 12 states: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Jersey, New Hampshire, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Wisconsin. According to the CDC, Lyme disease is the most commonly reported vector-borne illness in the U.S.

Tick Prevention for You (and Your Pets)

Ticks are small and can be easy to miss, especially if they've latched themselves onto a hairy pet or a spot on a human that's hard to reach or see, such as the top of the head or back.

Ticks are more prevalent in tall grass and wooded areas inhabited by large animals, such as deer. If hiking through the woods, remember to walk in the center of trails to avoid ticks. While most people may be aware of deer ticks, which carry Lyme disease and are found in the Northeast region of the country, it's important to remember that different species of ticks are found across the U.S. and that they carry a variety of other diseases.

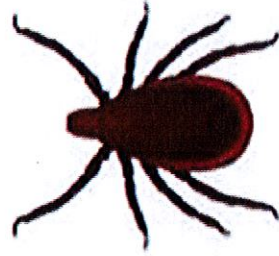
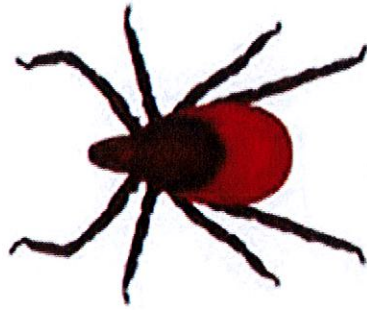
Before heading out, dress in long sleeves and pants and consider tucking pant legs into socks, especially if you will be walking in tall grass or wooded areas. Also, use a tick repellent containing DEET, following the manufacturer's instructions. For prolonged outdoor activities such as camping, look for clothing and camping gear that is treated with permethrin.

Upon returning home from a walk through the woods, time in the garden or camping, it's important to perform a thorough tick check - from head to toe. If you find a tick on your body, remove it with a slow, steady pull so as not to break off the mouthparts and leave them in the skin. Then wash hands and bite site thoroughly with soap and water. Flush ticks down the toilet or wrap them tightly in tissue before disposing in a closed receptacle. If you suspect a tick bite, seek medical attention as soon as possible.

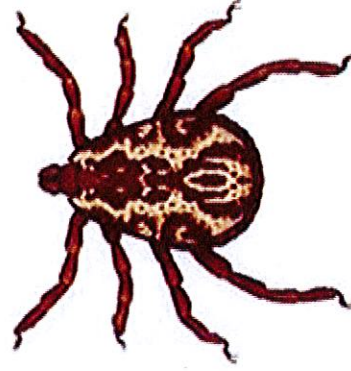
Tick Drawings from CDC

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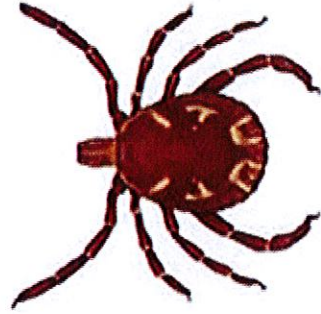
Adult Female, Adult Male, Nymph, Larva



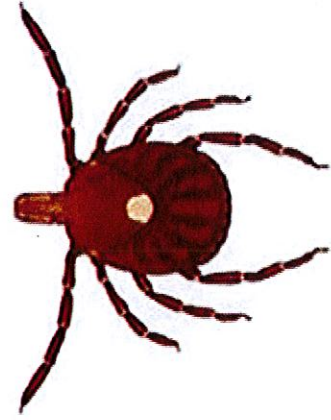
Black-Legged Tick, Deer Tick
(Ixodes Scapularis)



American Dog Tick, Wood Tick
(Dermacentor)



Lone Star Tick
(Amblyomma americanum)



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June 11, 2,018

To The Parks and Recreation Commission,

I want to thank Superior Township for supporting Oakbrook Sports that is presently happening on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 8 pm through the beginning of August. Thank you for the \$100 which has allowed us to buy a new net for the girls/boys soccer activities.

I am writing you to express a strong need for a bathroom at Oakbrook Park. Dave and Mary, who used to live back up against the Park, moved out of the neighborhood. Thankfully, we have had friends who live close, but it is difficult w/ the little (big ones) to get to the bathroom at the 'house of a friend'. The 1 family who was opening their house, just had a Baby, so we weren't able to use their house last week. We had another Family open their house up for use of their 'bathroom', but we cannot use that house every week.

So, we are in desperate need of a bathroom for the park. 2 hours is a very long time for a little one to not use the bathroom.... and very long for many of the adults.

We know that Superior hosts activities each month at the Park. We wonder how you deal w/ the need for a bathroom as the time is even longer ...9 - 4?? Please seriously consider putting a port a pot or something, so we can enjoy being at the Park w/o being devastated by the need to use the bathroom, but not having anywhere to go for families and friends.

Thank you for considering a bathroom for Oakbrook Park.

Susanne and Joe Yocum
1742 Sheffield Dr.
Ypsilanti, MI. 48198

Brian Burak
9566 Glenhill Dr.
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Andrew Avery
8423 Berkshire
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Beth Claug
Adam Chaugant
1650 Savannah Ct
Superior Twp, MI

Pete-Cari
7950 Halber Dr
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Mark Berry
8560 Stamford
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Youssef El Romy
8349 Lakeview Ct
Ypsi, MI 48198

Julia & John Henry
290 W Clark Rd
Ypsi, MI
48198

Jann Hughes
8389 Berkshire Dr.
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Andrey Masarik
1911 Hunters Creek Dr.
Superior Twp, MI
48198

Cynthia Kayrouze
8349 Lakeview Ct
Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Michelle + Pedro Justano
8426 Berkshire
Ypsilanti MI 48198

Katie & Adam Ploumaritas
1937 Savannah Ln
Ypsilanti 48198

ANDREW + BRIDGET
WALTERS
1704 SHEFFIELD DR
YPSILANTI MI, 48198

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CHNP, over time.

John Copley

When I first walked the area now known as the Cherry Hill Nature Preserve (CHNP), there were no trails other than deer trails, and in the woods there were a couple of places that had been used for dumps, probably by the farmers who had used this part of the Township for crops, cattle, and orchards.

When this 160-acre property became available and was presented to the SMLC it was accepted as worthy of preservation. Once purchased and conveyed to the Township, the process of cleaning up the dumps and creating trails for public use began. Volunteers, Boy Scouts and church groups helped collect tires, trash and household appliances—even a car, which, I recall, was a 1958 Oldsmobile, blue and white, every inch of which had bullet holes. An enterprising young man named "Joe" dismantled it by hand and dragged the pieces up to the entrance to be hauled away because he didn't like seeing it there in the woods. I would have bestowed a medal of some sort upon him in a solemn ceremony but saw him only once and never got his last name.

And, recall that in those days, it cost \$3 to recycle each tire!! We passed a hat and recycled a truck load of them!! Eventually the beauty of the woods was restored and the need for trails became more pressing.

I began by walking the woods trying to find topography or other natural features that might be of interest to visitors, exploring different features and wildflower areas, and eventually trail routes were established. Unfortunately, I laid out the trails during times when it was comfortable to walk the woods, meaning that low areas, or areas that might be wet in the spring were not taken into consideration.

Once it became clear that some action was necessary to address these areas, Eagle Scout projects provided bridges across the spring run-off streams, but areas that were low and subject to flooding in the spring needed attention too. When people came to walk in the woods, they would naturally avoid places where

the trails crossed wet or muddy spots by walking at the edges of the trails, enlarging them and damaging wildflowers and other natural features. It became obvious that boardwalks were needed to help protect these wet areas and keep visitors from getting muddy while walking in the park. We began by constructing the first section of boardwalk from the first bridge near the entrance to the park to the wetland.

We installed a viewing platform at the Eastern edge of the wetland, and the next phase began along the southern edge heading west, in an effort to protect the wildflowers there and to restore the trails that had been widened by visitors avoiding muddy areas. The boardwalk project will continue along the southern edge of the wetland and when completed will include another viewing platform.

Boardwalks are very expensive, but when well-made they can last a very long time, protect the woods, and enhance visitor's enjoyment of the park by bypassing muddy trails and limiting damage to natural features. Installed in phases, the next couple of years will likely see the completion of the boardwalk project in the wetland area. There are other spots along the woodland trail that may need small portions of boardwalk protection, but those remain as future projects.

Contributions to SLPS by our many members have made these improvements possible. We all hope that you will come to Cherry Hill Nature Preserve this spring to see just how wonderful it is. (The picture here was taken early this chilly Spring by newsletter editor Dan Moerman; come by each week for a month or two and see things change.)

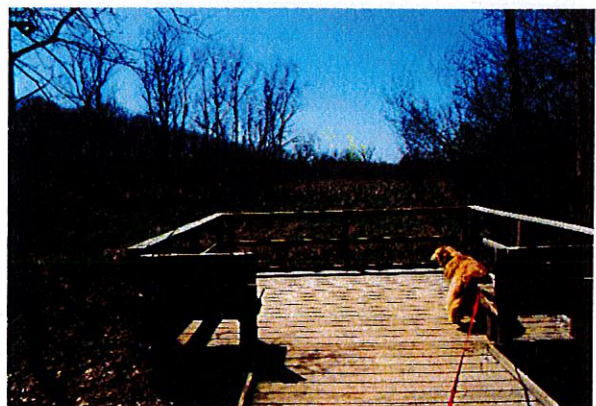


Figure 1 The viewing area, with Peche.

A Tale of Two Townships

Kay Williams

In 1940 Superior and Canton townships were rural farm communities, alike in many ways. Pockets of settlements in each – Dixboro in Superior and Cherry Hill in Canton – and farm houses, an occasional gas station or convenience store dotted the landscape; the major roads with homes, usually small, housed the small population. (Superior – 1,321 – Canton – 2,111) I grew up in Canton, lived there from 1945 to 1967 when we moved to Superior. I attended a two-room school (Hough) which had its own school board. The high school students went in to Plymouth which charged the Hough School Board tuition. All the little school districts in Canton and Superior had to pay tuition to the city school boards for educating the high school students. In 1952 the Plymouth School Board insisted that the little school districts consolidate with Plymouth and refused to educate the high-schoolers until they did. They wanted the taxes. This happened all over the state until finally in the early 1960's the State closed all the little districts.

Our house in Canton was on Ford Road where I-275 now crosses Ford which is one reason we moved. In the 1950's when we went to Ann Arbor, we drove through Canton, Superior, and Ann Arbor Townships. It was a lovely drive. Canton was very flat with large, well-tended farms. At the County line the land became hilly with a few houses, the charming village of Dixboro, and the open land east of Ann Arbor made for a pleasant journey. Sometimes we went to Ypsilanti and the land along Prospect was open and much like it is today. But as a child and young adult I never considered the municipal boundaries. Even though I lived in Canton, I considered myself Plymouth because that's where I went to school.

World War II changed things in Superior. The Willow Run bomber plant was built in Ypsilanti and Van Buren Townships with housing for the workers built in the south east corner of Superior Township. Sewer and water lines were extended, and schools were erected. When the war was over, the housing was used by returning veterans going to college on the G.I. Bill. The population in Superior was 7,181 in 1950. The temporary housing was torn down in the 1950's, but because the utility lines were in and there was need for housing in growing Ypsilanti, the subdivisions of Washington Square, Oakbrook and Washtenaw Autumn were built in Section 36. The rest of Superior Township added a small number of homes on both large and small individual lots and

Dixboro expanded into a larger village. The 1970 population had dropped to 5,562.

Canton is a different story. In the 1950's most of the large farms in Canton were purchased by developers and held waiting for sewer and water to come. The farmers continued to farm, paying little or no rent to the developers. Two factors influenced the dramatic change in Canton - Cross-District Busing and I-275. In the 1970's a school segregation court case was filed in Detroit and several cross-districting plans were considered and each had, as the western boundary, the eastern edge of Plymouth Schools. Families who did not want their children bused to Detroit moved west to Plymouth and Canton. Canton population exploded; sometimes 2,000 new homes were built in a single year. In 1970 the population was 48,616.

In the 1970's I-275 was built giving Canton residents the ability to travel anywhere in the Detroit metropolitan area within an hour. As the population increased, so did commercial development to service the new residents. As more affluent families moved into Canton, the demand for services grew and lot sizes increased. However, some new and existing Canton residents wanted to keep Canton rural. A 4% mill tax to purchase development rights from the farmers was on the ballot twice in the 1970's. It failed twice; the second time by a larger margin than the first. The Township Board then adopted "community building" goals to develop in an orderly manner. The establishment of a landfill in Canton provided substantial financial benefits resulting in funding for parks, roads, facilities such as Summit on the Park, and recycling. Canton residents are proud of the many civic opportunities available to them.

Superior likes their rural township. Only the six sections on the south end of the Township have small-lot subdivisions. The other sections have some large lot subdivisions, but except for Dixboro, the rest of Superior has a lot of open space. In 2006, 64% of the voters of Superior voted a millage to pay for legal fees to prevent a developer from turning farmland into housing (see the map on the next page.)

Superior citizens support the Township Board policies that protect open space by the purchase of development rights and allowing mitigation of wetlands from other municipalities to be built in Superior.

Today most of the residents of each township like the community they call home. Superior folks shop in Canton; Canton folks walk Superior nature trails.

A few words from one of our members, Mary Emmett, owner of Plymouth Orchards, in Superior Township

It's with great fondness that we look back at our arrival in Superior Township. Our first stop in 1971 was a purchase of 6 acres on Napier Rd. where we built a home and at the same time fell in love with the old apple trees that came with the property. It was four years later when we decided we wanted to do something of an "agricultural" endeavor and, serendipitously, the 60-acre farm just around the corner became available. Carrying our love of those old apple trees with us, we decided that an orchard was a great idea and purchased the Marshall farm which was, at that time, a closed dairy operation.



Figure 3 Mary grows fruit

Within 5 years and an additional purchase of 40 acres, we had over 12,000 dwarf trees planted and visions of a small cider mill and U-pick operation. As time unfolded and the population in the area grew, the demand for what we offered followed suit. It seems that some sort of expansion and business modification has been occurring to meet this increased demand on a continuous basis for the past 35 years. Most recently, Plymouth Orchards has taken on a new philosophy and direction. Over the past four years we have gradually transitioned into an Organically Certified farm and have begun to offer other types of products as well as apples. We

now cultivate raspberries, asparagus, hay and some small grains, all certified organic. After 30 years of conventional farming practices, we made the commitment to nurture our soil back to health and to return as much of the non-producing land back to its natural state. It certainly has not been without its challenges and a rather steep learning curve but there is a wonderful sense of accomplishment when the Praying Mantis and Lady Bug populations return and become our allies in the fields helping with insect pest management. Our latest "green" addition has been the installation of solar panels that directly service the Cider Mill operation.



Figure 4 Visitors to the Apple Orchard

It has always been an honor to be associated with Superior Township and the people who live here and who care deeply about its future. It is our hope and intention to continue to hold on to our beautiful open space here at Plymouth Orchards and become part of the incredible natural landscape that has been preserved and become a benchmark for this Township.

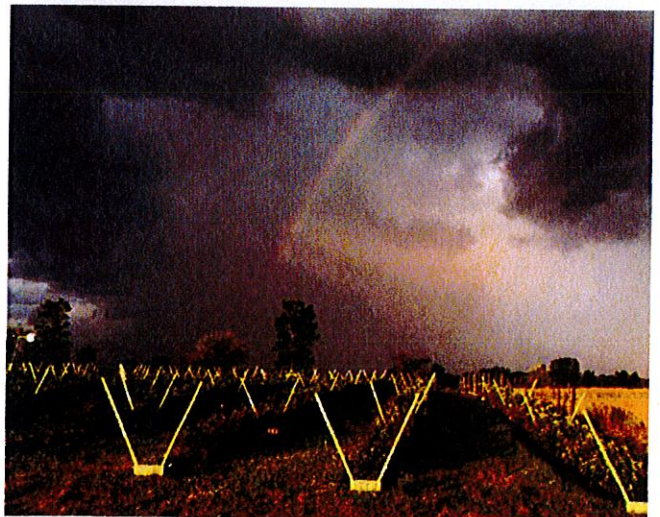


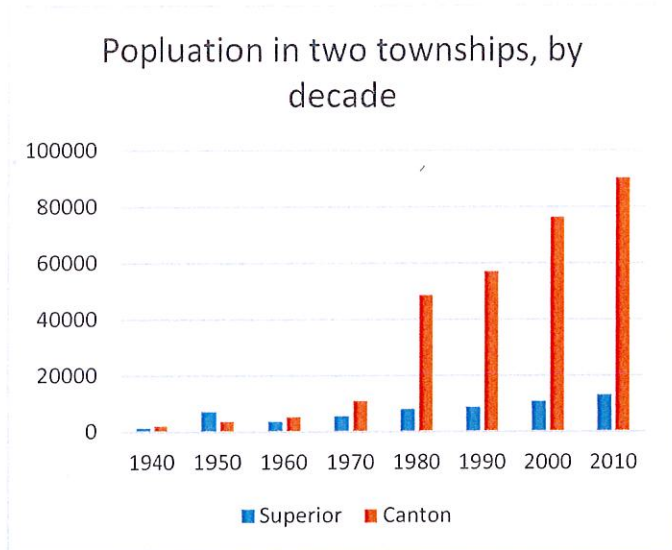
Figure 5 Raspberries and a rainbow

Two Townships, cont.

Two different townships side-by-side, giving their residents the best of both worlds.

(This article was written with the help of the Canton Township website.)

This graph shows the population in both townships, by decade



And a comment by the Editor

Dan Moerman

In mid-February, my brother in law visited us for a few days. Jean-Charles lives in France; after his visit I took him to Metro airport for his trip home. Most such flights are overnight, leaving between 7 and 9, and arriving in Paris in the morning. I dropped him off and, having seen that the traffic on I-94 was really heavy, I took side roads home, north on Merriman to Ford, then west across Canton Township to Prospect in the middle of Superior Township. Driving west on Ford Road at 7:30 of a February night was incredibly challenging. The lights were brilliant; every gas station, restaurant, shop, and, it seemed, tree was festooned with brilliant lights drawing attention to themselves. It was so bright, it was hard to concentrate on the road. When I got to Napier, bang!, it was night, I could see stars and the moon, and, in my headlights, the road. Day, and night. Try it sometime to see how dramatically different two neighboring townships can be.

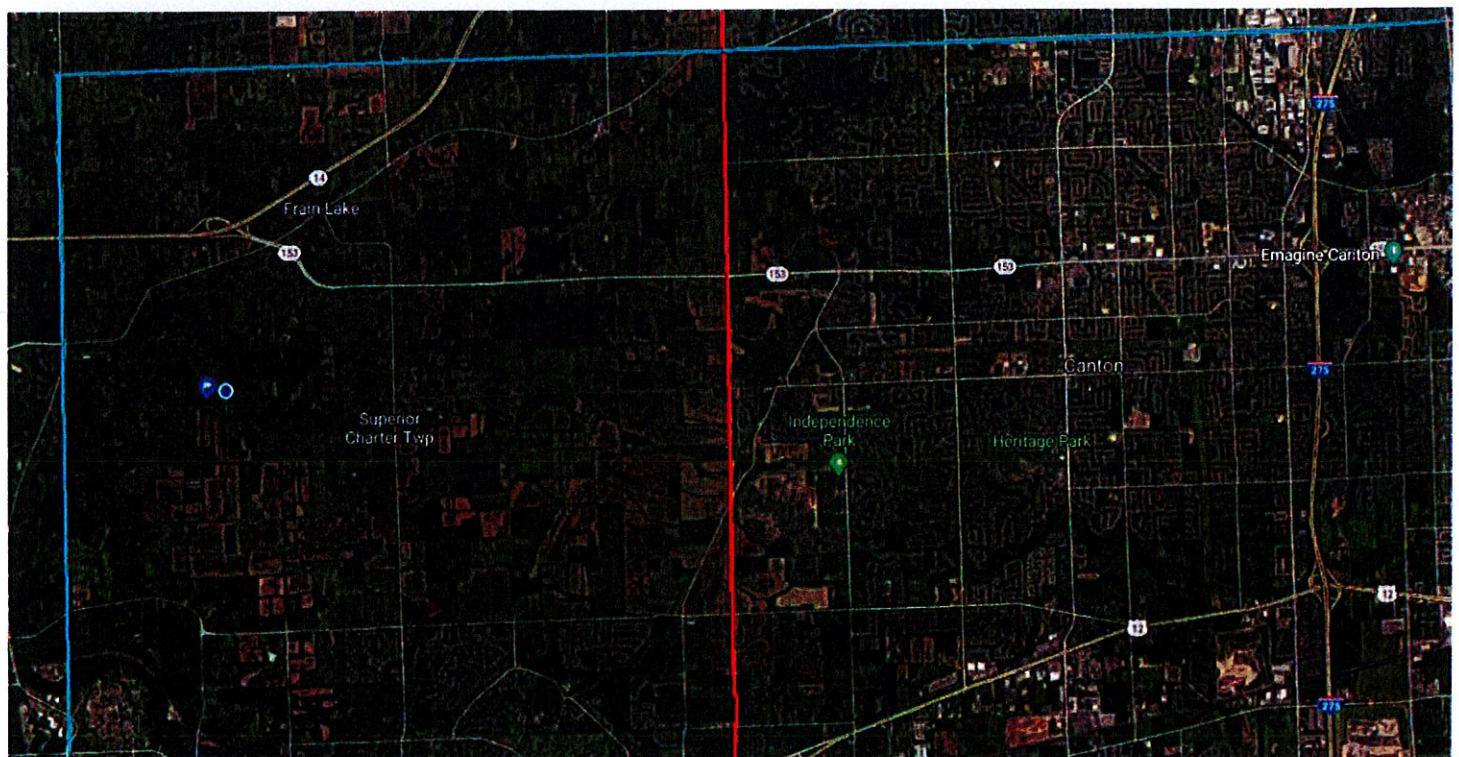


Figure 2 Google maps of two townships

(A few words from the boss ☺)

Slug, A four letter word

Marion Morris (with excerpts from *The Country Man*, 1986.

All creatures have their place in our world, but of all the many creatures, the slug is one of the least popular with humans.

But maybe, after we take a look into its life we may be able to tolerate its company a little more.

To begin with, slugs have an unstoppable appetite for cabbage or lettuce which prompts gardeners to wage war, bringing out salt, slug-pellets or traps of beer to drown the slimy, cold mollusks. Encountering slugs while gardening brings out the UGH! in most of us.



Slugs have no shell, unlike their cousins the snails. This as a distinct disadvantage in many ways. Without a shell, slugs are at the mercy of nature, their only protection being an extra thick coating of slimy mucus.

Dry weather is the slug's worst enemy. Without its slime, the slug will dry and die, so they seek moist, damp places; in hot weather they will burrow underground.

Slugs make up a significant element in the diet of many birds, mammals, and reptiles. Even larger animals such as fox, coyote, and possum rely on slugs and earthworms if bigger prey is unavailable.

The slug has an unfussy diet: rotting vegetation on a compost heap, mosses, lichens, fungi and any soft-leaved plant.

Since they are omnivorous, animal remains and even droppings are cleared away.

So, slugs play a vital role in preserving the environment. Without them there would be less food for wildlife, rotting vegetation would accumulate, and necessary elements would not be returned to the soil, making it less fertile.

All in all, slugs have a hard time, so we need to consider how much they contribute to life. Perhaps we need to be more tolerant; but not on our cabbages and lettuce!



Witch Hazel {drawn from *The Healing Herbs*, by Michael Castleman, by Marion Morris
(Nothing to do with witches.)

Witch hazel is a scraggly bush, with curious yellow flowers in the fall after most plants have lost their leaves. The woody fruit is unusual too: when ripe, it ejects its seeds a distance of 15 feet or more. One species, *Hamamelis virginica*, occurs throughout the lower peninsula of Michigan, but is only found sporadically in the UP.

The lotion called witch hazel comes from its bark and is a standard home remedy for cuts, bruises, hemorrhoids, and sore muscles. It is one of our nation's most widely used healing herbs.



Figure 6 Witch Hazel in February

This herb's name has nothing to do with witchcraft. In medieval Middle English, witch has another meaning, it was spelled wych or wyche, meaning pliant or flexible. Witch hazel's branches are indeed flexible, so springy, in fact, the Indians used them to make bows. The "hazel" part of its name comes from its similarity to the common hazel nut bush.

[Editor's note. Well maybe. But those very flexible branches of witch hazel were often used for dowsing, that is, finding sources of water. An adept user was able to wander over land and notice when the *Hamamelis* branch dipped, indicating where to dig the well. One who practiced dowsing was called a "water witch." The witches were named for one of their tools, or vice-versa. DM]

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Our Mission

- To maintain and protect open spaces in Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan. These areas include, but are not limited to, nature sanctuaries, nature preserves, natural areas, many of which contain or contribute to habitat for wildlife and plants.
- To help residents of Superior Township obtain conservation easements on their properties to prevent them from being developed.
- And, overall, to preserve land resources for the benefit of present and future generations.

If you share our goal of preserving the rural character and natural habitat of Superior Township, please become a member

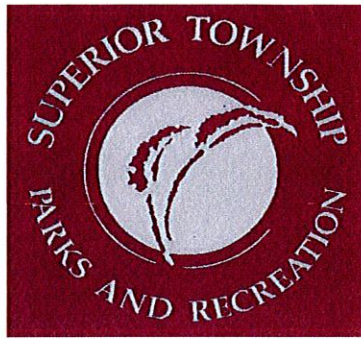
"Once destroyed, nature's beauty cannot be repurchased at any price." *Angel Adams*

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 Public Schools!)



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June 12, 2018

Tony Hawk Foundation
Attn: Trevor Staples
Built to Play Skatepark Manager
1611-A S. Melrose Drive #360
Vista, CA 92081

Subject: Built to Play Skatepark Grant Support – Washtenaw County Regional Skatepark

Dear Mr. Staples:

This letter is to express our strong support for the grant application submitted by the Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission to obtain funds from the Tony Hawk Foundation to initiate the design and build of a regional skatepark in eastern Washtenaw County.

This project will provide skateboarders of all ages and different skill levels with an enhanced and permanent recreational opportunity. The Built to Play Skatepark Grant opportunity will provide the resources needed to not only gather input from local skating community to guide the design, but also to build a skatepark for the eastern region of the county.

We believe this grant will be a catalyst for growth and may eventually make this park one of the most popular in the County's already diverse and well operated system. We encourage the Tony Hawk Foundation to award the matching funds to Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Commission and help us create top-notch skatepark amenity that will be a destination for Washtenaw County residents and others throughout Southeast Michigan.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marion Morris".

Marion Morris
Parks & Recreation Commission Chair
Superior Township

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Juan Bradford".

Juan Bradford
Parks & Recreation Administrator
Superior Township



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PARK RENTAL FORM

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Renter's Name: Laurie Walters Phone: (734) 223-2567

Address: 8761 Barrington Dr.

City, State: Ypsilanti, MI

E-mail: LaurieSlagene@yahoo.com

Park Requested: Oakbrook Park Date(s): 6/30/18

Times: From: 1:00 To: 5:00

Event: Birthday Party

No. of Participants: 15

Will admission be charged: ___ Yes No If Yes, what amount: _____

Will food and/or beverages be served: Yes ___ No If Yes, how often: once - cake & juice

Please list any special equipment to be used (lighting, sound system, etc.):
NA

Cleanup will be completed by: Laurie Walters Phone: (734) 223-2567

In partial consideration for the use of Superior Township premises by any person and/or organization, and as a condition thereof, such person or organization or itself and its members, by acceptance of such use, forever releases and holds the Township of Superior harmless from any and all claims for personal injury or property damage. All users MUST adhere to Township noise ordinances, and MUST leave the park in the same condition as originally found, including all pickup and disposal of trash. No bathroom facilities will be provided by the Parks & Recreation Department and is the responsibility of the party renting the park.

I also understand that it is my responsibility to inform the members of the group about these restrictions and will so inform them. I further understand that Superior Township has the right to terminate this contract at any time they deem it necessary in the best interests of the Township.

Cleaning & Security Deposit will be returned ONLY in the event all conditions of this form are met. Additional charges WILL be charged if any damage is found to have happened during the usage of the park.

Charges: Deposit: 0
Rental Fee: 0
Additional Fees: 0 Description: _____
TOTAL FEE: 0

Renter's Signature: Laurie Walters Date: 5/30/18

Superior Township's Approval: [Signature] Date: 5/30/18



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PARK USE RULES

The Charter Township of Superior has agreed to allow township parks to be used for community gatherings. The following rules, effective December 1, 2000, govern the use of this park:

1. Signed contracts are due from potential renters before consideration will be given.
2. Office personnel shall review the application for approval. In the event the application is approved, the following distribution will apply:
 - a. One copy will remain in the Parks and Recreation Rental File.
 - b. One copy shall be given to the applicant. This copy must be presented in order to enter the facility at the designated time of usage.
 - c. One copy shall be given to the Superior Township Hall to be held on file.
3. There will be a walk-through of the park before the function and after the function to verify condition of the park.
4. The Sheriff's Department will be notified of the function's location, date and time.
Please Note: Failure to vacate the property at the predetermined, designated time will result in automatic charges beginning at one-quarter hour. Such charges will be at the hourly rate of \$40.00.
5. Cleanup of the park and control of the group's conduct is the sole responsibility of the person and/or group identified on the application.
6. Bathroom facilities will be the sole responsibility of the renter.
7. *No alcoholic beverages and/or drugs of any kind are permitted on township property.*
8. If the park is requested to be used for money making purposes, or if admission to the facility and/or grounds will be charged, such use MUST be approved in writing by the Parks Commission.
9. The use of any electronic equipment MUST be approved by the Parks Commission.
10. Any misuse of the park, or abuse of the rules will result in a loss of 100% of the deposit. If the cost to repair damages exceeds the deposit, the township will request additional payment. In the event that the additional payment is not received, the township shall seek legal remedy.
11. No person shall engage in any violent, abusive, loud, boisterous, vulgar, lewd, wanton, obscene, or otherwise disorderly conduct tending to create a breach of the peace, or to disturb or annoy others while on township property.
12. No person shall at any time bring onto township property nor have in their possession, nor discharge, nor setoff anywhere upon township property a firearm, bow, or other weapon that discharges projectiles either by air, explosive substance, or any other force (does not apply to officers of the law).
13. Cancellations must be submitted in writing to the Parks Department a minimum of 10 business days prior to the rental date in order to receive a full refund of the security deposit and rental fee.
Cancellations made in less than 10 working days will be subject to a cancellation fee as follows: 50% if between five and 10 working days, or 100% if less than five working days.
14. Any exceptions to these rules must be approved in writing by the Parks Commission.

I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO THE RULES FOR THE RENTAL OF TOWNSHIP PARKS

Renter's Signature: Lauris-Waters Date: 5/30/18

Superior Township's Approval: [Signature] Date: 5/30/18

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**PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF SUPERIOR
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING JULY 2018 AS
PARKS & RECREATION MONTH**

PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION RESOLUTION: 2018-02

June 25, 2018

Designation of July as Park and Recreation Month

WHEREAS parks and recreation programs are an integral part of communities throughout this country, including the Charter Township of Superior; and

WHEREAS our parks and recreation are vitally important to establishing and maintaining the quality of life in our communities, ensuring the health of all citizens, and contributing to the economic and environmental well-being of a community and region; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation programs build healthy, active communities that aid in the prevention of chronic disease, provide therapeutic recreation services for those who are mentally or physically disabled, and also improve the mental and emotional health of all citizens; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation programs increase a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, increased tourism, the attraction and retention of businesses, and crime reduction; and

WHEREAS parks and recreation areas are fundamental to the environmental well-being of our community; and

WHEREAS parks and natural recreation areas improve water quality, protect groundwater, prevent flooding, improve the quality of the air we breathe, provide vegetative buffers to development, and produce habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS our parks and natural recreation areas ensure the ecological beauty of our community and provide a place for children and adults to connect with nature and recreate outdoors; and

WHEREAS the U.S. House of Representatives has designated July as Parks and Recreation Month; and

WHEREAS the Charter Township of Superior Parks & Recreation Commission recognizes the benefits derived from parks and recreation resources

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Superior Township Parks & Recreation Commission, that July is recognized as Park and Recreation Month.

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

I, Martha Kern-Boprie, Secretary of the Charter Township of Superior Parks & Recreation Commission, Washtenaw County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Superior Charter Township Parks & Recreation Commission held on June 25, 2018 and that public notices of said meeting were given pursuant to Act No. 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended.

Martha Kern-Boprie, Secretary
Parks & Recreation Commission

Date Certified

Roll Call vote:
Ayes:
Nays:
Absent:

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4WDL-0077D	LIGHT DUTY TRUCK 4x4: PICK UP BODY, EXTENDED CAB, DIESEL (6 Foot Box) (Payload 2,500 lbs., min.)	2018	GMC	GMC SIERRA TK25753	Todd Wenzel Buick GMC	\$34,605.00	\$1.00
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4WDL-0078	LIGHT DUTY TRUCK 4x4: PICK UP BODY 8 FT. Box (Payload 2,800 lbs., min.)	2018	Ford	F250	Gorno Ford	\$23,730.00	\$2.50
4WDL-0078	LIGHT DUTY TRUCK 4x4: PICK UP BODY 8 FT. Box (Payload 2,800 lbs., min.)	2018	GMC	GMC SIERRA TK25903	Todd Wenzel Buick GMC	\$25,899.00	\$1.00
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DATE: 6/7/18 (Rev.) (F-250)

TO: JUAN BRADFORD, SUPERIOR TWP. (PARKS & REC.)
734-480-5502 (DIRECT) (CELL) jbradford@superior-twp.org

FROM: JIM AGNEY, GORNO FORD, GOVERNMENT & FLEET SALES
734-671-4033 (DIRECT) (FAX) 734-676-7647 jagnev@gornoford.com

RE: MiDEAL #4WDL-0078 2019MY FORD F-250, 4x4, REG. CAB, 142"WB,
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AM/FM/w/CLOCK, PWR. DISC BRKSw/ABS, AIR BAGS,
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MUNICIPAL SAFETY LIGHT PKG.	1,695.00
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RHINO SPRAY-IN BEDLINER	647.00
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Please review **SELECT OPTIONS**, sign and e-mail/fax back or e-mail/fax Purchase Order to Jim Agney.

Customer Signature: _____

\$ 24,198.00

Thank you,

Jim Agney

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2018 Special Events / Doxboro Market Attendance Summer Calendar

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>EVENT TIME</u>	<u>EVENT DATE</u>	<u>COMMISSIONER(S)</u>
<i>Kite & Rocket Day</i>	<i>11:00am - 2:00pm</i>	<i>Saturday, July 14th</i>	_____ _____ _____ _____
<i>Movies in the Park</i>	<i>8:00pm - 11:00pm</i>	<i>Saturday, August 11th</i>	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
<i>Kickball Day</i>	<i>11:00am - 2:00pm</i>	<i>Saturday, Sept. 8th</i>	_____ _____ _____ _____
<i>Dixboro Farmers Market</i>	<i>3:00pm - 7:00pm</i>	<i>Friday, July 27th</i>	_____
<i>Dixboro Farmers Market</i>	<i>3:00pm - 7:00pm</i>	<i>Friday, August 31st</i>	_____
<i>Dixboro Farmers Market</i>	<i>3:00pm - 7:00pm</i>	<i>Friday, Sept. 28th</i>	_____

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05/30/2018	GENL	40534	MAY 18	STAPLES BUSINESS CREDIT	OFFICE SUPPLIES	727.000	751	68.47
05/30/2018	GENL	40538	53018	SUPERIOR TWP PAYROLL FUND	CASH TRANSFER 5/31/18 PAY	289.000	000	7,112.29
05/30/2018	GENL	40539	42318	SUSANNE YOCUM	DONATION FOR OAKBROOK SPORTS	999.000	751	100.00
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06/05/2018	GENL	40553	919529	LOWE'S	MULCH - OAKBROOK PARK	930.000	755	18.97
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			2018-P&R-4		CELL PHONES - MAY 2018	850.000	755	32.56
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User: NANCY CHECK DATE FROM 05/30/2018 - 06/25/2018

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					EMAIL -AUG 2017	801.000	751	5.00
					EMAIL -SEPT 2017	801.000	751	5.00
					EMAIL ACCOUNTS - OCT 2017	801.000	751	5.00
					EMAIL - DEC 2017	801.000	751	5.00
					EMAIL - NOV 2017	801.000	751	5.00
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GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	2018		ACTIVITY FOR MONTH	AVAILABLE BALANCE	% BDDT USED	YTD BALANCE 05/31/2017
		ORIGINAL BUDGET	2018 AMENDED BUDGET				
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION							
Revenues							
Dept 000 - REVENUE							
508-000-588.000	GENERAL FUND CONTRIBUTION	259,253.00	259,253.00	21,604.42	151,230.94	41.67	104,875.81
508-000-604.000	REIMBURSEMENT FOR LABOR COSTS	927.00	927.00	81.68	600.28	35.24	326.72
508-000-663.000	INTEREST ON RESERVES INCOME	670.00	670.00	0.00	(1,080.99)	261.34	396.44
508-000-673.000	INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENTS INCOM	0.00	0.00	156.95	(156.95)	100.00	0.00
508-000-696.000	DONATIONS	0.00	0.00	0.00	(100.00)	100.00	100.00
508-000-699.000	APPROPRIATION FROM FUND BALANC	77,238.00	77,238.00	0.00	77,238.00	0.00	0.00
Total Dept 000 - REVENUE		338,088.00	338,088.00	21,843.05	227,731.28	32.64	105,698.97
TOTAL REVENUES		338,088.00	338,088.00	21,843.05	227,731.28	32.64	105,698.97
Expenditures							
Dept 751 - PARK & REC. ADMINISTRATION							
508-751-701.000	COMMISSION STIPENDS	8,047.00	8,047.00	619.03	5,570.88	30.77	2,404.00
508-751-702.000	SALARIES	33,104.00	33,104.00	4,459.13	16,740.03	49.43	13,909.41
508-751-710.000	TRAINING	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	246.64	75.34	944.00
508-751-727.000	OFFICE SUPPLIES	500.00	500.00	68.47	292.37	41.53	91.34
508-751-728.000	POSTAGE	100.00	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-751-800.010	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - AUDIT	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,205.00	95.00	92.69	1,205.00
508-751-801.000	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - OTHER	2,400.00	2,400.00	5.00	2,348.75	2.14	75.35
508-751-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	1,200.00	1,200.00	56.82	930.15	22.49	475.48
508-751-851.000	INSURANCE & BONDS	7,500.00	7,500.00	685.94	4,070.31	45.73	2,974.54
508-751-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	1,000.00	1,000.00	51.54	613.70	38.63	469.74
508-751-900.000	PRINTING & PUBLISHING	500.00	500.00	0.00	421.52	15.70	477.48
508-751-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	500.00	500.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00
508-751-958.000	MEMBERSHIPS & DUES	600.00	600.00	0.00	170.00	71.67	518.00
508-751-963.000	BANK FEES & CHARGES	50.00	50.00	0.00	39.53	20.94	33.72
508-751-981.000	EQUIPMENT UNDER \$5,000	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00
508-751-999.000	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	0.00	0.00	100.00	(100.00)	100.00	0.00
Total Dept 751 - PARK & REC. ADMINISTRATION		58,801.00	58,801.00	7,250.93	33,038.88	43.81	23,578.06
Dept 754 - RECREATION							
508-754-702.000	SALARIES	9,744.00	9,744.00	748.60	8,555.11	12.20	298.39
508-754-710.000	TRAINING	800.00	800.00	0.00	800.00	0.00	550.00
508-754-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00	2,328.76	22.37	448.24
508-754-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	400.00	400.00	32.00	193.83	51.54	159.85
508-754-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	100.00	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-754-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	500.00	500.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	122.34
508-754-975.000	SIGNAGE	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	744.70	25.53	0.00
Total Dept 754 - RECREATION		15,544.00	15,544.00	780.60	13,222.40	14.94	1,578.82
Dept 755 - PARK MAINTENANCE							
508-755-702.000	SALARIES	103,662.00	103,662.00	13,179.40	69,855.49	32.61	26,842.42
508-755-710.000	TRAINING	800.00	800.00	0.00	800.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-717.000	TAXABLE BENEFITS	1,836.00	1,836.00	0.00	15.44	99.16	1,726.31
508-755-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	3,000.00	3,000.00	198.86	1,697.98	43.40	1,766.90
508-755-740.003	HERBICIDE (NON-SELECTIVE)	500.00	500.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-740.004	SAND-GRAVEL-BARK-SOIL	1,500.00	1,500.00	8.82	1,491.18	0.59	19.00
508-755-741.000	UNIFORMS	1,000.00	1,000.00	185.00	815.00	18.50	150.30

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GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	2018 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2018 AMENDED BUDGET	YTD BALANCE 05/31/2018	ACTIVITY FOR MONTH 05/31/18	AVAILABLE BALANCE	% BDCGT USED	YTD BALANCE 05/31/2017
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION								
Expenditures								
508-755-742.000	FUEL-LUBRICANTS	5,000.00	5,000.00	967.52	380.41	4,032.48	19.35	1,111.02
508-755-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	480.00	480.00	163.35	32.56	316.65	34.03	183.95
508-755-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-920.000	UTILITIES	800.00	800.00	171.80	67.40	628.20	21.48	197.57
508-755-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	10,000.00	10,000.00	1,028.85	264.48	8,971.15	10.29	1,027.56
508-755-930.001	CONTROLLED BURNS	3,800.00	3,800.00	5,850.00	5,850.00	(2,050.00)	153.95	0.00
508-755-975.000	SIGNAGE	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-980.000	EQUIPMENT OVER \$5,000	25,000.00	25,000.00	0.00	0.00	25,000.00	0.00	23,593.45
508-755-981.000	EQUIPMENT UNDER \$5,000	5,000.00	5,000.00	1,209.72	122.86	3,790.28	24.19	694.96
Total Dept 755 - PARK MAINTENANCE		162,578.00	162,578.00	46,514.15	20,289.79	116,063.85	28.61	56,313.14
Dept 756 - PARK DEVELOPMENT/IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS								
Total Dept 756 - PARK DEVELOPMENT/IMPROVEMENT		80,000.00	80,000.00	1,433.90	0.00	78,566.10	1.79	0.00
Dept 966 - UNALLOCATED EXPENSES								
Total Dept 966 - UNALLOCATED EXPENSES		80,000.00	80,000.00	1,433.90	0.00	78,566.10	1.79	0.00
508-966-715.000	FICA	11,989.00	11,989.00	4,256.96	1,453.80	7,732.04	35.51	3,449.80
508-966-858.000	PENSION	9,176.00	9,176.00	3,190.68	0.00	5,985.32	34.77	4,116.72
Total EXPENDITURES		338,088.00	338,088.00	83,479.41	29,775.12	254,608.59	24.69	89,036.54
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION:								
TOTAL REVENUES		338,088.00	338,088.00	110,356.72	21,843.05	227,731.28	32.64	105,698.97
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		338,088.00	338,088.00	83,479.41	29,775.12	254,608.59	24.69	89,036.54
NET OF REVENUES & EXPENDITURES		0.00	0.00	26,877.31	(7,932.07)	(26,877.31)	100.00	16,662.43

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GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	2017		YTD BALANCE 12/31/2017	ACTIVITY FOR MONTH 12/31/17	AVAILABLE BALANCE	% BGD USED	YTD BALANCE 12/31/2016
		ORIGINAL BUDGET	2017 AMENDED BUDGET					
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION								
Revenues								
Dept 000 - REVENUE								
508-000-588.000	GENERAL FUND CONTRIBUTION	251,702.00	251,702.00	251,702.00	20,975.17	0.00	100.00	244,371.00
508-000-590.000-BHCG	GRANTS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	44,213.37
508-000-604.000	REIMBURSEMENT FOR LABOR COSTS	900.00	900.00	1,061.84	163.36	(161.84)	117.98	980.16
508-000-663.000	INTEREST ON RESERVES INCOME	650.00	1,450.00	2,095.35	482.55	(645.35)	144.51	845.44
508-000-671.100	DISPOSITION OF ASSETS	0.00	2,150.00	2,150.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00
508-000-673.000	INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENTS INCOM	100.00	0.00	246.31	0.00	(246.31)	100.00	215.21
508-000-696.000	DONATIONS	100.00	5,100.00	5,100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	1,151.35
508-000-699.000	APPROPRIATION FROM FUND BALANC	54,071.00	13,971.00	5,100.00	0.00	13,971.00	0.00	0.00
Total Dept 000 - REVENUE		307,423.00	275,273.00	262,355.50	21,621.08	12,917.50	95.31	291,776.53
TOTAL REVENUES		307,423.00	275,273.00	262,355.50	21,621.08	12,917.50	95.31	291,776.53
Expenditures								
Dept 751 - PARK & REC. ADMINISTRATION								
508-751-701.000	COMMISSION STIPENDS	7,813.00	7,813.00	7,378.00	1,036.00	435.00	94.43	7,660.00
508-751-702.000	SALARIES	32,140.00	37,140.00	36,603.91	2,853.94	536.09	98.56	31,204.16
508-751-710.000	TRAINING	0.00	1,000.00	944.00	0.00	56.00	100.00	0.00
508-751-717.000	TAXABLE BENEFITS	0.00	0.00	321.36	0.00	(321.36)	94.40	0.00
508-751-727.000	OFFICE SUPPLIES	500.00	500.00	366.23	174.89	133.77	73.25	401.08
508-751-728.000	POSTAGE	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-751-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	0.00	0.00	46.83	46.83	(46.83)	100.00	0.00
508-751-800.010	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - AUDIT	0.00	0.00	1,205.00	0.00	(1,205.00)	100.00	0.00
508-751-801.000	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - OTHER	2,400.00	2,400.00	140.35	5.00	2,259.65	5.85	2,372.50
508-751-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,557.04	105.46	(357.04)	129.75	1,195.42
508-751-851.000	INSURANCE & BONDS	7,100.00	7,100.00	7,053.48	590.97	46.52	99.34	7,305.53
508-751-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	600.00	600.00	994.66	82.93	(394.66)	165.78	838.62
508-751-900.000	PRINTING & PUBLISHING	1,000.00	1,000.00	477.48	0.00	522.52	47.75	0.00
508-751-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
508-751-958.000	MEMBERSHIPS & DUES	500.00	500.00	518.00	0.00	(18.00)	103.60	100.00
508-751-963.000	BANK FEES & CHARGES	50.00	50.00	33.72	0.00	16.28	67.44	42.46
508-751-981.000	EQUIPMENT UNDER \$5,000	2,000.00	250.00	149.99	0.00	100.01	60.00	0.00
Total Dept 751 - PARK & REC. ADMINISTRATION		55,903.00	59,653.00	57,790.05	4,896.02	1,862.95	96.88	51,119.77
Dept 754 - RECREATION								
508-754-702.000	SALARIES	9,461.00	7,461.00	7,828.46	1,484.64	(367.46)	104.93	6,241.83
508-754-710.000	TRAINING	0.00	0.00	550.00	0.00	(550.00)	100.00	0.00
508-754-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,221.07	412.71	(221.07)	107.37	2,323.38
508-754-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	400.00	400.00	383.67	32.00	16.33	95.92	383.64
508-754-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00
508-754-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	500.00	500.00	122.34	0.00	377.66	24.47	0.00
508-754-975.000	SIGNAGE	500.00	500.00	330.40	0.00	169.60	66.08	150.00
Total Dept 754 - RECREATION		13,961.00	11,961.00	12,435.94	1,929.35	(474.94)	103.97	9,098.85
Dept 755 - PARK MAINTENANCE								
508-755-702.000	SALARIES	100,655.00	95,655.00	92,768.12	4,230.76	2,886.88	96.98	98,726.64
508-755-717.000	TAXABLE BENEFITS	1,945.00	1,945.00	1,726.31	0.00	218.69	88.76	1,956.09
508-755-719.000	MESC UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS	0.00	0.00	326.18	0.00	(326.18)	100.00	0.00
508-755-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,720.97	565.72	(720.97)	136.05	2,473.93

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GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	2017		YTD BALANCE 12/31/2017	ACTIVITY FOR MONTH 12/31/17	AVAILABLE BALANCE	% BDTG USED	YTD BALANCE 12/31/2016
		ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET					
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION								
Expenditures								
508-755-740.003	HERBICIDE (NON-SELECTIVE)	500.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-740.004	SAND-GRAVEL-BARK-SOIL	4,000.00	4,000.00	3,872.00	0.00	128.00	96.80	387.10
508-755-741.000	UNIFORMS	600.00	600.00	468.00	0.00	132.00	78.00	272.00
508-755-742.000	FUEL-LUBRICANTS	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,613.69	238.50	1,386.31	72.27	3,329.88
508-755-850.000	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	480.00	480.00	402.65	31.84	77.35	83.89	413.64
508-755-860.000	TRANSPORTATION	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00
508-755-920.000	UTILITIES	10,000.00	350.00	485.02	0.00	(135.02)	138.58	394.81
508-755-930.000	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	3,800.00	5,000.00	4,223.99	0.00	776.01	84.48	8,157.95
508-755-930.001	CONTROLLED BURNS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,700.00
508-755-974.000	SMALL TOOLS/EQUIP UNDER \$5,000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	399.00
508-755-975.000	SIGNAGE	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	645.00
508-755-980.000	EQUIPMENT OVER \$5,000	36,000.00	24,000.00	23,593.45	0.00	406.55	98.31	19,420.00
508-755-981.000	EQUIPMENT UNDER \$5,000	1,000.00	1,000.00	694.96	0.00	305.04	69.50	0.00
Total Dept 755 - PARK MAINTENANCE		166,480.00	140,680.00	134,895.34	5,066.82	5,784.66	95.89	140,276.04
Dept 756 - PARK DEVELOPMENT/IMPROVEMENT								
508-756-740.000	OPERATING SUPPLIES	500.00	400.00	344.40	0.00	55.60	86.10	1,191.90
508-756-951.000	PROJECTS	50,000.00	38,000.00	44,968.23	8,000.00	(6,968.23)	118.34	34,164.75
Total Dept 756 - PARK DEVELOPMENT/IMPROVEMENT		50,500.00	38,400.00	45,312.63	8,000.00	(6,912.63)	118.00	35,356.65
Dept 759 - BHC GRANT								
508-759-702.000-BHCG	SALARIES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,085.00
508-759-930.000-BHCG	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,111.88
508-759-975.000-BHCG	SIGNAGE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,530.19
508-759-977.000	EQUIPMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,646.00
Total Dept 759 - BHC GRANT		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	43,373.07
Dept 966 - UNALLOCATED EXPENSES								
508-966-715.000	FICA	11,654.00	11,654.00	11,208.90	734.44	445.10	96.18	11,535.73
508-966-858.000	PENSION	8,925.00	12,925.00	11,821.40	807.72	1,103.60	91.46	11,529.54
Total Dept 966 - UNALLOCATED EXPENSES		20,579.00	24,579.00	23,030.30	1,542.16	1,548.70	93.70	23,065.27
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		307,423.00	275,273.00	273,464.26	21,434.35	1,808.74	99.34	302,289.65
Fund 508 - PARKS & RECREATION:								
TOTAL REVENUES		307,423.00	275,273.00	262,355.50	21,621.08	12,917.50	95.31	291,776.53
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		307,423.00	275,273.00	273,464.26	21,434.35	1,808.74	99.34	302,289.65
NET OF REVENUES & EXPENDITURES		0.00	0.00	(11,108.76)	186.73	11,108.76	100.00	(10,513.12)