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Voting Results from August 2 election in Charlevoix County

By **Dave Baragrey**

Charlevoix County Candidates on August 2 Ballot

State races, County Commissioner races, Township races
 Contested races only

REPUBLICAN PARTY GOVERNOR

Vote for not more than 1
Tudor M. Dixon - 1,746
Ryan D. Kelley - 578

Ralph Rebandt - 199
Kevin Rinke - 1,657
Garrett Soldano - 951

STATE SENATOR 37TH DISTRICT

Vote for not more than 1
 Democratic
Randy Bishop - 152
Barbara Conley - 2,045
Jim Schmidt - 217

STATE SENATOR 37TH DISTRICT

Vote for not more than 1
 Republican
Triston Cole - 2,052
John N. Damoose - 1,512
William Hindle - 815
George Ranville - 737

REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE 107TH DISTRICT

Vote for not more than 1
 Republican
Bob Carr - 365
Parker Fairbairn - 1,422

Neil W. Friske - 2,554
David James Laughbaum - 120
Jonathan D. Scheel - 714

COUNTY COMMISSIONER 4TH DISTRICT

Vote for not more than 1
 REPUBLICAN
Joshua L. Chamberlain - 569
Robert H. Draves Jr. - 172

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

6TH DISTRICT

Vote for not more than 1
 REPUBLICAN
Cheryl Potter Browe - 354
Annemarie Conway - 528

DELEGATES FOR CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP

Vote for 4
D. S. Davy - 150
John E. Haggard - 203
Phyllis Haggard - 157

SEE ELECTION - 8A

Purpose-Centered Businesses Bring Long-Term Success

Tim Salmonson is a Charlevoix native, graduate of Charlevoix schools, then on to Western Michigan U. and then Eastern U., St Davids, where he received his Master's Degree in organizational leadership. He dedicated much of his life to working with nonprofits in international community development. In 2016, he founded Social Economic Enterprises, helping conscientious leaders discover and develop their brand identity and purpose.

Tim's true loves are a mission driven life and mission driven businesses. He has just published his first book entitled *Brand Evangelism: A Leader's Guide to Clarify and Communicate Personal and Organizational Purpose*. It is an important read, as the message is that businesses which are committed to improve our communities and help our people have a noble mission – and our team members, really everyone, will be happy to work with a purchase beyond helping to grow our business and making money.

This book was designed to be a practical guide to help conscientious leaders and their teams:

Clarify and communicate their noble purpose.

Increase productivity, innovation, engagement, and profitability.

Build trust, consistency,



TIM SALMONSON

continuity, and community.

Increase self-esteem, self-awareness, and emotional intelligence.

Reduce stress, confusion, conflict, and the costs associated with them.

And most importantly, grow themselves and their brand.

The chapters are filled with examples, quotes, anecdotes, formulas, and concepts from a variety of leaders who have helped shape the current state of business, civic, and religious culture around the world. It provides practical

tools to encourage, inspire, and equip people to become better communicators, problem solvers, and leaders in their homes, their community, and the workplace.

It is important to realize that the mission of our business cannot be constructed behind closed doors. Let everyone discuss and help articulate the mission, and then periodically during the year: How are we doing? And how might we improve?

We want our team members to feel an ownership in our brand as a business

– our mission statement. Happy employees do better work!

Businesses which serve their community generally prosper over the years, and this is how reading Tim's book and speaking with him can be difference makers. This is his passion and it is contagious.

The evidence is increasingly clear, purpose-centered businesses have seen substantial returns from their investment in the health and well-being of people and the planet. Studies have found that employee turnover was reduced by half, productivity increased by 13%, sales increased by as much as 20% and 90% of shoppers worldwide said they would switch to brands that support a good cause, given similar price and quality.

Unfortunately, a great many businesses and companies say they are committed to serving their communities, helping people and making the world a better place, but only in words and not in their actions. Their mission statement is hollow, and their team members know this.

The mission and goals that Tim discusses will produce long term success. It is not about how much money we can make this year, rather over the years. And isn't this what we want?!

SEE SALMONSON -3A



Pictured is the winner of the Best of Show arrangement created by Lucy Lercel and the 1st place winner of Theme created by Kim Prebble.

EJ Garden Club announces winners of Flower Show

Congratulations to the winners from the East Jordan Garden Club's Annual Flower Show.

The show was held on July 30th at the Jordan River Arts Council.

This year's theme was Old McDonald's Farm and 26 ribbons were awarded.

- Best of Show - Lucy Lercel
- 1st - Theme - Kim Prebble
- 1st - General arrangement - Agnes Clark
- 1st - Dried arrangement - Arlene Schmidt
- 1st - Fruit/Veggie arrangement - Denise Wong
- 1st - Herbs arrangement - Agnes Clark
- 1st - Single Stem - Arlene Schmidt
- 1st - Mini under 4-inches - Arlene Schmidt

Rally By the Bay Auto Show & Flea Market

AUTO SHOW:
AUGUST 13
FLEA MARKET:
AUGUST 13-14

Rally By the Bay Auto Show and Flea Market is coming to Veterans Memorial Park this weekend. Spectator admission is free for this popular event on the shore of beautiful Lake Charlevoix. All classes of vehicle are welcome - hot rods - rat rods - motorcycles - antiques - fire trucks - hearses. The auto show and flea market are organized by the Boyne City Fire Department and proceeds benefit the Boyne City Firefighters Association.

Northern Michigan Bucket List

- Go Hiking
- Watch a Sunset
- Have a Picnic
- Go Camping
- Skip Rocks
- Stargaze

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Barbara (Welch) Hancock, 84
(JULY 27, 1938 - JULY 27, 2022)



Barbara Jo Hancock (nee Welch), of Boyne City passed away peacefully at her home on her 84th birthday July 27, 2022. She was born July 27, 1938, in Kalamazoo, MI, the daughter of the late Robert and Geraldine (nee Brooks) Welch.

Barbara grew up and resided in Kalamazoo most of her adult life. As a child, she spent many summers on her grandparent's farm in Boyne City. In 1998, she and her beloved husband, Gene moved permanently to Boyne City where she was an active member of the Boyne Valley Garden Club, the First Presbyterian Church, and the Boyne Eta Nu Charities.

Barbara is survived by her husband of 50 years, Gene Hancock; her son Jeffrey Hancock (Diana Julie); her brother Tom

Welch (Ruth); grandchildren, Zachary, Tyler, and Erica Hancock; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her sister, Jerry Rohr (Russell).

A memorial service for Barbara will be Friday, August 12, 2022, to begin at 11 AM at the First Presbyterian Church, 401 S Park St, Boyne City. A luncheon will follow the service in the church's dining room.

Contributions may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 401 S Park St, Boyne City, MI in memory of Barbara Hancock.

Albert "Dick" Griswold, 82
(NOV. 12, 1939 - AUG. 6, 2022)



Albert "Dick" Griswold, formerly of Coatesville, passed away in Boyne City on August 6th, 2022.

Dick was born on November 12, 1939 to Ann Willis of Boyne City. Dick

worked for most of his life for General Motors in Indianapolis. Dick enjoyed raising and riding horses. He lived on a farm near Coatesville for many years and retired to Boyne City.

He is survived by his wife Pat and his sons Richard and Matt and his wife Jane, Stepson Matt Parker and his wife Erin, and grandchildren Clark and Paige Parker of Sault Ste. Marie, Canada and Sabrina Coquemont of Danville, Indiana.

There will be a celebration of life on Saturday, August 13th at 3 pm at the Fraternal Order of the Eagles in Boyne City.

According to his wishes, Dick will be cremated.

Ben DeLisi, Tera Jackson, Bonnie Fahoome, & Stefanie Jackson-Haugen. His children and grandchildren remember him as a loveable father, light-hearted friend, and gifted athlete.

He is survived by: Bonnie Foltz, four daughters, and six grandchildren; Erich, Alexandra, SaRa & (Maxwell) Cobb, Hannah, Dakota, & Jackson. As well as his sister & brother-in-law Mary Jane & Ray Benaske, brother Jeff Jackson, cousin (like a brother) Pat Gaudard, and nieces, nephews, cousins, and many life-long friends.

A visitation from 4-5:30 and sharing of memories from 5:30-7pm will be held at Stackus Funeral Home in Boyne City on Thursday August 11th with dinner and drinks to follow at 7:30 PM at the Springbrook Golf Club, 6151 Springvale Road, Boyne Falls, MI 49713

In lieu of flowers the family request donations be made to JDRF in honor of Bud. www.JDRF.org

Ronald Mack Buckner, 83
(JAN. 26, 1939 - AUG. 4, 2022)



Ronald Mack Buckner of Charlevoix passed away peacefully August 4, 2022 at his home.

He was a devoted husband and loving father. He will be deeply missed.

He was born on January 26, 1939, in St. Clair Shores, the son of Arch and Delores (Mansfield) Buckner. Ronald proudly served his country in the United States Navy.

Upon his honorable discharge from the Navy, he moved to northern Michigan. He worked in law enforcement for the City of Petoskey. After retiring he became a Charlevoix County Marine Deputy, a courtroom bailiff, and finally a security officer for Bay Harbor.

On March 30, 1963, he married Sally Weiss. They

made their home in Charlevoix and had two children, Kim and Michael.

In his spare time, Ronald enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping, and cutting wood. In his younger years, he was a member of the Elks Club, the VFW, and the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club. He served on the Veteran's Trust Fund for 15 years and the Hayes Township Board of Review for several years. He always wanted to learn to fly. He took classes and obtained his pilot's license and was a member of the Fly Club in Charlevoix.

He is survived by the love of his life, Sally Buckner of Charlevoix; his children, Kim Cox of Ironton and Michael Buckner of Alanson; sisters-in-law, Darlene Buckner and Liz Buckner; and nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and brothers, Dale and Ernest Buckner.

"Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends..." - From the letter to the Corinthians

The Buckner family would like to give a special note of thanks to McLaren Hospice and McLaren Home Health for their compassionate care of Ronald in his final days.

There are no services planned at this time.

The family is being served by Stone Funeral Home of Petoskey.

Keith Alan Mort, Sr., 86
(MAY 29, 1936 - AUG. 5, 2022)



Keith Alan Mort, Sr. of East Jordan died on Friday, August 5, 2022, at McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

He was born on May 29, 1936, in South Haven, the son of Arthur Carroll and Gladys (Yonker) Mort. He graduated from Charlevoix

High School and then served in the United States Air Force during the Korean Conflict.

On December 26, 1959, in Charlevoix, he married Beverly Ann Barrow. He was a member of the Jordan Valley Baptist Church in East Jordan.

Keith worked as a residential contractor for many years. He enjoyed woodworking, working on cars and operating a ham radio.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Beverly Ann Mort of East Jordan; one daughter, Leslie (Paul) Henderson of Odum, Georgia; one son, Keith Alan (Alice) Mort, Jr. of Citrus County, Florida; eight grandchildren, Mark Henderson, Bruce Henderson, Brad Henderson Keith Alan "Tre" Mort, III, Jeffery Smith, Breonna Roman, Daniel Roman and Britney Gianferrara; four great grandchildren, Gabriella Henderson, Mason Henderson, Isabella Henderson and Ethan Roman; one sister, Pat (William) Denemy of Petoskey; three brothers, Jack (Jean) Mort of Deland, Florida, Jim (Alice) Mort of Petoskey, Chuck "Spike" Mort of Petoskey; as well as several nieces and nephews. Keith was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Donald Mort.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 12, 2022, at 1:00 P.M. at the Jordan Valley Baptist in East Jordan. Rev. Silas Doctor will officiate with military honors following.

Walton Elbert Palmer, 77
(MAY 17, 1945 - AUG. 8, 2022)

Walton Elbert Palmer of Onaway died Monday, August 8, 2022, at his son's home in East Jordan.

He was born on May 17, 1945, in Pontiac, the son of Chester and Phoebe (Smith) Palmer.

He worked as a mechanic at the Tulsa Public Schools in Tulsa, Oklahoma for many years. He moved back to Pontiac, then Mancelona, East Jordan and finally to Onaway.

He enjoyed tinkering with model cars and real cars in general. He also loved watching old western movies.

He is survived by two children, Jeffery Brandon Palmer of East Jordan and Kathy Jo Palmer of Battle Creek; grandson, Daniel Palmer of East Jordan; one sister, Mable Putnam of Onaway; and two brothers, Richard Palmer of Nevada and Clarence "Lumpy" Palmer of Marion, Indiana.

Memorial services are pending. Walton's remains will be interred at Oak Ridge Cemetery, Pontiac, Michigan.

Memorial contributions may be directed to donor's choice. Arrangements by the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc., East Jordan.

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Commission on Aging Update

BOYNE AREA CENTER:

Beginning Monday, August 1, 2022- The Boyne Area Center will be open to in-person dining. Our hours will be Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 9AM-2PM with lunch served 11:30AM-12:30PM. Wednesdays we will be open 2PM-7PM with dinner served 5-6PM. Lunch is not served in Boyne on Wednesdays, only dinner. Beginning August 1, we will no longer have curbside pick-up. Friday, August 5, 2022-The Boyne Area Center will be closing at 1PM for staff training. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Volunteer hosts/hostesses, home delivery meal drivers and kitchen helpers needed at the Boyne Area Center. Please call Kevin at 231-237-0103 for more information.

CHARLEVOIX CENTER:

Charlevoix Center will be open Monday-Friday, 8AM-4PM with the exception of Wednesdays. Wednesdays the Center will be open 11AM-7PM. Lunch will be served Monday-Friday, 11:30AM-12:30PM. Only the cold alternative lunch is available on Wednesday in Charlevoix, there will be no hot lunch. Wednesday Night Dinner will be served 5PM-6PM.

EAST JORDAN CENTER:

East Jordan Center will be open Monday-Friday, 9AM-2PM with the exception of Wednesdays. Wednesdays the Center will be open 2PM-7PM, with Wednesday Night Dinner served, 5PM-6PM. Lunch will be served in person and also available for take-out, 11:30AM-12:30PM (Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.). Reminder-Lunch is not served on Wednesdays at the East Jordan Center, only Wednesday Night Dinners.

BEAVER ISLAND:

Beaver Island Office & Activities Please call Lonnie for Beaver Island COA information at 231-448-2124.

HOME DELIVERED MEALS:

Home Delivered Meals will not be delivered on Wednesdays from June 1-September 28. We will send out an extra frozen meal on Tuesdays to be used for Wednesdays. If you need assistance or will not be home to accept a meal, please call the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging at 231-237-0103.

VETERAN SOCIALS:

Charlevoix County Commission on Aging Veteran Socials Veteran So-

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FROM PG. 1A

Businesses and other organizations that truly focus on a noble purpose do very well as the people in their communities sense their honorable values and principles. It's no secret that successful long-term relationships are built on trust. What better way to establish trust then by knowing your purpose, sharing it, and living it?

John and his wife, Kerry, live in Charlevoix now, was a senior executive in the corporate world in NYC, DC and Chicago, then founded Common Sense Leadership, a leadership coaching and consulting practice, have been helping senior people in the business, academic and religious worlds improve leadership, their own and their team's. John is a graduate of Georgetown, A&S Institute for Transformational Leadership and Life Purpose Institute.

Historic Version of US Flag being flown at the Boyne Area Veteran's Memorial

The 1818 Flag: With the westward expansion of the United States and the addition of more states, Congress realized that adding stripes to the flag would be impractical. So, Congress passed the Flag Act in 1818, restoring the original 13-stripe design and unveiling the flag with additional stars on July 4. Five stars were added to represent five new states: Tennessee (1796), Ohio (1803), Louisiana (1812), Indiana (1816), and Mississippi (1817). The 20-star flag became the official flag on April 13, 1818, and it was the first of nine flags to only last about a year. The only President to serve under this flag was James Monroe 1817 - 1825.



LEADERSHIP

Leaders Have The Difficult Conversations!

A problem discussed is a problem half-solved.

By John Keyser

As leaders, we have an obligation to our team members, our business, our customers, and our owners to do all that we can to assure our positive working environment. This means addressing problems on a timely basis - and that invariably means stepping up and having a conversation(s) with those who may be the root of the problem.

When we step up to the problem and the challenges it may involve, we are sending an important message to our team members, that we care about them and



our organizational culture. To address a problem or a badly-behaved team member, it may mean we will have a conversation(s) that could be considered difficult. It means discussing the problem and how it affects others. It can mean correcting someone, offering constructive feedback, entering a situation where there is obvious conflict to help achieve resolution, or other corrective

conversations.

We must understand that anxiety, angst, and stress do not come from a problem, they come from not addressing the problem - and the problem will continue and surely grow worse.

Think of the conversation as helpful rather than difficult!

In facilitating 360 leadership assessments for senior executives and organizational culture assessments for their teams and businesses, I spoke with hundreds of people in business every year. Too often, a recurring theme is that their manager tends to ignore a problem, incivility, and a difficult team member who is bad for team morale and teamwork. This is frustrating for those who are dedicated and want to do great work, individually and as a team. It could well lead to

undue stress, which has really become an epidemic.

Not addressing a problem is letting our people down. It decreases productivity, creativity and morale. It is shirking our responsibility as a leader!

To illustrate this, a friend of mine held the number three position in a huge organization, one that we all know. She called me, asking if we could get together. The next day, over coffee, she said she had resigned. The two top executives continued to ignore problems, sweeping them under the carpet, hoping they would go away, despite raised concerns.

Even though she held a high position, my friend resigned as she could not work in an environment of failure of responsibilities. Our businesses can only be as healthy as the top people.

As leaders, we must have courage to come out from behind ourselves. We cannot ignore a problem by our seeing reality as we would like it to be. No, we must accept the true reality and do our best to resolve a problem. This is our responsibility.

There is an art to having the difficult conversations, and if we are going to be an effective leader, we must develop these skills.

There are helpful books, numerous articles, TED talks and YouTube videos which will help prepare us to address rather than avoid conflict. I particularly value Susan Scott's book, Fierce Conversations. It is a gem!

Let's commit to addressing problems promptly. This is our responsibility as a leader.

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Concerts will take place each Wednesday evening, 6:30pm-8:00pm, through August 31. The newly renovated pavilion offers public restrooms and plenty of space to practice social distancing. We are excited to offer this free event to the community and look forward to showcasing performers from all over Northern Michigan. Come prepared with a comfy camp chair or picnic blanket and your favorite beverage along with take out from one of our local eateries and enjoy. 2022 Concert Schedule

- 8/10/ On Tap
- 8/17 Matt Gabriel
- 8/24 The Real Ingredients
- 8/31 Full Moon Jam Band

CHARLEVOIX

JAZZ AT THE LIBRARY

Jazz @ the Library takes place on Wednesdays in July and August in the Children's Garden at 7pm.

- August 10 | Bay Area Little Big Band
- August 17 | Family & Friends

EAST JORDAN

FREE SECOND SATURDAY

Second Saturdays are back at Raven Hill Discovery Center for the warmer months of 2022. May through October, Raven Hill will offer free admission for families each second Saturday from noon to 4pm. No groups, please, as we need all parents to be watching their own children. We are

also limiting the indoor time, as we want our visitors to socially distance and stay safe in these times of continuing pandemic concerns. Families will be given a group number at check-in and a return time to visit indoors. With all of the outdoor exhibits, like the Music Garden, Jurassic Park Walk, Schoolhouse, Treehouse, Ancient World and the new Connections Trail, families will have plenty of things to explore outside! These 2022 FREE Second Saturdays honor Diane Strzelinski, a Raven Hill volunteer and supporter for more than 25 years.

EAST JORDAN

OPEN DOOR COFFEE HOUSE MUSIC

Gospel music at 7pm the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. The Open Door is a Christian Coffee House located inside the Light House Missionary Church, 7824 Rogers Road. Donations only. Everyone is welcome. Bring a friend. Music schedule

- Aug. 20 - John & Kate Denner
- Sept. 3 - MaryAnn Garza
- Sept. 17 - One Accord
- Oct. 1 - By His Grace
- Oct. 15 - Jeff and Brenda Glasko
- Nov. 5 - The Walkers
- Nov. 19 - Judy Slocum & Friends

BOYNE CITY

GARDEN PARTY OPEN HOUSE

Join us August 11 from 5-7pm for the Charlevoix County Conservation District Garden Party Open House. Event to view our Native Plant Educational Garden, full of over 70 na-

tive sun & shade species, complete with signs, a garden pathway & the revealing of our Fall Native Plant Sale species list. Meet our native plant specialist along with other local conservationists on site. Enjoy light refreshments on the house, including special treats and other embellishments from our partners at Lavender Hill Farm. The Conservation District office is located at 303 North St.

CHARLEVOIX

WATERFRONT ART FAIR

August 13, 9am-6pm. Many of the nation's finest artists and craftsmen will be coming to the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair to exhibit their best works. These have been chosen from hundreds of applicants who subject their work to the jury. This is a most difficult task as this fair attracts the finest but only a limited number of spaces are available. Considered one of the most visually exciting art fairs in the country, the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair, now in its 63rd year, has a reputation with critics and collectors alike for the quality of the work exhibited and the unparalleled location. The focus of the fair to bring fine arts and crafts to northern Michigan hasn't changed since a group of Charlevoix residents initiated the fair in 1958.

CHARLEVOIX

ADORATION UNDER THE STARS

August 13, 8-9:30pm at St. Mary Parish, 1005 Bridge St. The evening will begin with an ice cream social at 8PM, followed by Eucharistic Adoration and music under the night sky. Bring a blanket, a chair and your family.

BOYNE CITY

RALLY BY THE BAY

Hot rods, customs, rat rods, motorcycles, antiques, fire trucks, hearses. All classics are welcome. 9am-4pm at Veterans Park. \$20 entry. All proceeds benefit Boyne City firefighters assn. Flea market and crafty show Aug. 13 & 14.

BOYNE CITY

WORK SESSION FOR SHORT-TERM RENTALS

The City Commission will hold its next Work Session/Special Meeting on Short-Term Rentals at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 16, at City Hall. A new draft ordinance will be presented for discussion. That document and the meeting agenda will be posted on the city website as the date draws closer.

BAYVIEW

PLEIN AIRE PAINTING

August 16. Bay View Waterfront. Drive east on US 31

out of Petoskey toward Harbor Springs. Turn left 100 feet before the pedestrian bridge at Bay View. There is a parking lot next to the tennis courts. Walk a short distance to the waterfront, where there are views of Petoskey State Park, the marina, small sail boats & various homes near the shore of Little Traverse Bay. Plein Aire Painting group sponsored by The Jordan River Arts Council.

EAST JORDAN

RETAIL THERAPY

2nd Annual Retail Therapy Shopping Event is scheduled for Wednesday, August 17th, 4PM - 7PM in East Jordan. Business owners/managers - this is a great time to put your summer items on sale, showcase your new fall items, have a drawing and fun events. Please let the Chamber Office know if you will be participating so we can create a list to share so that everyone will know you will be open late and what your specials, refreshments, drawings, etc. will be. We are inviting vendors & entertainers to join us for this fun evening. Please contact the Chamber Office if you would like to have a space in town to set up. 231-536-7351. There will not be a charge to set up a booth or table at the event.

CHARLEVOIX

SIDEWALK SALES

August 18 - 20. 9am - 6pm. Don't miss the best bargains of the year on an array of quality merchandise at participating merchants during Charlevoix Sidewalk Sales, located downtown Charlevoix and throughout the area!

BOYNE CITY

OFF THE CLOCK

Northern Michigan Equine Therapy will host the Boyne Area Chamber's "Off The Clock" business networking social from 5:30 to 7pm Thursday, August 18th. Northern Michigan Equine is located at 05025 Church Rd., Boyne City. Off The Clock is the new name for Business After Hours, the chamber's monthly business networking event held at member businesses. Chamber members and the public are invited to attend. There is no charge for admission and refreshments will be provided.

BOYNE FALLS

KIERSTEN'S RIDE

August 20 - Chandler Hill Campground. We are celebrating 10 years of help, hope, and healing through suicide programs in Northern Lower Michigan. Join us. Register at www.eventbrite.com. Search Boyne Falls and click on Kiersten's Ride

MACKINAW CITY

CORVETTE CROSSROADS

33rd Annual Corvette Crossroads Auto Show - August 27. Registration is now open for the 33rd Annual Corvette Crossroads Auto Show! 100's of the All-American classic Corvette will be on display on Saturday, August 27th in Mackinaw City at Odawa Casino. Make plans now to show &

parade your Vette at this annual event. Register at www.mackinawchamber.com/product/corvette-crossroads-registration/

CHARLEVOIX

DINING FOR PAWS

August 20. The Charlevoix Area Humane Society's "Dining for Paws!" is taking place Saturday August 20th. The Charlevoix Area Humane Society will be conducting our Dining 4 Paws plated Dinner, Auction, Fundraiser hosted at the Argonne House.

Doors open for Cocktails and entertainment and Silent Auction at 5:30 PM. Plated dinner served 6:30. Choice of Fish, Steak, Pasta/Pasta with Shrimp. Live Auction with dessert 7:30. Dinner Tickets are \$65. Tickets can be purchased on line at www.charlevoix-humane.org. Call 231-582-6774 or pets@charlevoixhumane.org.

CHARLEVOIX

BACK TO SCHOOL

Charlevoix Public Schools is excited for another great school year! Please join us for 2022-2023 Open House & Principal meet and greet. Open Houses & Orientation 7th Grade Orientation Aug. 29, 5:30-7pm CMHS Aug. 30, 4-6pm CES Aug. 31, 4-6pm CMHS Principal Meet & Greet Aug. 31, 7-8pm

BOYNE CITY

CAR SHOW

Kiwanis Labor Day weekend car show. Friday, Sept. 2, 6pm-9pm. Saturday, Sept. 3, 8am-4pm. Friday first 2 blocks of E. Water St. Saturday at Veterans Park. Pre-registration \$20. Registration day of show \$25.

BOYNE CITY

STROLL THE STREETS

This summer, Stroll the Streets run through September 2nd. Each of the Friday nights, music will be playing from 6pm until 9pm. Different venues will feature food and drink and, of course, our downtown shops, markets and eateries will be open.

MACKINAW CITY/ST. IGNACE

BRIDGE WALK

The Mackinac Bridge Walk is Labor Day, Sept. 5. The annual bridge walk will begin at 7am in both Mackinaw City and St. Ignace. Walkers must cross the mid-point of the bridge on the side they are returning to by 10am. No bussing is available to transport walkers across the bridge.

ANTRIM COUNTY

PADDLE ANTRIM

September 15-17

GRAYLING

CALL FOR VENDORS

Seeking Vendors for this annual one-day Fall Arts & Crafts show sponsored by Grayling Promotional Association. Past shows have seen nearly 800 shoppers and over 60 vendors. If you are interested in selling your Handmade goods at this event. Grayling Arts & Crafts Fall Show Saturday, October 1, 10am - 4pm.

Grayling Elementary School - 1000 Michigan Ave. Contact: Chair Co-Chair Lynn White Judy Marchlewicz, 970-319-6801 586-303-5947. wewkmw1976@gmail.com, marchlejl1961@gmail.com

BOYNE CITY

PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

All library programming is free. May require registration through www.boynelibrary.org.

Mondays - 10am Beginners Yoga, 10:30am Toddler Tales & Tunes. Tuesdays - 10:30am Storytime, 2pm-5pm Computer Help. Wednesdays - 4:30pm Beginners Yoga

NORTHERN MICHIGAN

NMCAA'S DELIVERABLE FUELS PROGRAM

Do you use propane, firewood, fuel oil or pellets to heat your home? The NMCAA Deliverable Fuels Program provides energy for low-income households at their primary residence when their primary heating source is a deliverable fuel. NMCAA can assist residents in the following counties: Grand Traverse, Benzie, Antrim, Leelanau, Wexford, Roscommon, Charlevoix, Emmet, Missaukee and Kalkaska. This program ends September 30th so get started today by calling 231-947-3780, option 4.

GRAYLING

ARTS & CRAFTS FALL SHOW

Saturday, October 1st, 10am to 4pm. Grayling Elementary School. Michigan Avenue. \$1 Admission 50/50 Raffle GPA Basket Raffle Lunch Available. Over 60 Handmade Arts & Craft Booths. Sponsored by Grayling Promotional Association

CHARLEVOIX

APPLEFEST

October 14 - 16

EAST JORDAN

FARMERS MARKET

Thursdays 10am - 2pm at East Jordan Tourist Park

EAST JORDAN

TEEN CENTER

The Depot Jordan Valley Teen Center is located in the lower level of the St. Joseph Parish Hall, 207 Nicholls Street, East Jordan

CHARLEVOIX

Hospice of Northwest Michigan invites you to join our Monthly adult grief, loss & bereavement support group, which takes place the 2nd Sunday of each month from 4-5pm at the First Baptist Church, 6781 M66 North. This program is open to anyone in our community looking for assistance in their grief process and is facilitated by Rev. David Behling. There is no charge to attend. Please feel free to call Hospice at 231-547-7659 to register or for more information.

EAST JORDAN

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Cancer and Caregiver Support group meets at 10am the 3rd Saturday of each month at Lighthouse Missionary Church

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Lean Into the 'Village'

Community Connections supports residents amid soaring costs



Meg Smoot, Health Department of Northwest Michigan Community Health Worker, meets with families during Venetian Festival in Charlevoix to see if they need Community Connections.

"I felt like I finally had an advocate."

"I was able to contact her by phone, text, and e-mail."

"She always followed up. We were talking once or twice a week."

These comments come from area residents who have received help through the Health Department of Northwest Michigan's (HDNW) free Community Connections program. And with inflation in the U.S. climbing at its fastest rate in 40 years—up more than 8% from 2021—there's a growing number of people needing support.

There's no reason to feel alone. Lean into the North-west Michigan 'village.' "We're the ones who an-

swer the phone," said Jen Vollmer, HDNW's Community Connections HUB Coordinator and Licensed Professional Counselor, noting that people can call themselves, make contact through the website, or receive a referral from a friend, physician, or organization. "We aid people along their journey, whether it's a one-time assist or a longer-term relationship."

Community Connections provides a pathway for adults, children, and families to access resources at no cost and with no income qualifications. Through regional collaboration, the staff tracks available funding. The program provides one stop for residents to talk through their needs and access help.

The ease and variety of ways to engage—phone calls, home, or office visits—removes social barriers to health. There's help

for:

- Accessing medical, dental, or mental healthcare
- Buying food or securing a place to live
- Purchasing and preparing healthy foods
- Locating transportation
- Enrolling in health insurance
- Locating help with utility bills
- Finding educational and support programs for improving health, like quitting smoking
- Locating employment opportunities
- Talking through potential abuse or violence

"Throughout COVID-19, Community Connections became more important than ever," Vollmer said. "We met with people who had lost well-paying jobs, worked with families who went from two incomes to one through divorce or other circumstances, and more. Now with the cost of living doubling many

prices, we're here to help, to empower people to help themselves."

Community Connections covers the four counties of northwest Michigan, as well as 27 other counties that make up the tip of the Michigan's mitt. In 2021 alone, the program aided 663 people in Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet, and Otsego counties. Regionally, 2,678 people were helped last year.

While news reports and complaints of soaring costs are widely heard, Community Connections is taking action. To speak with staff, call 800-432-4121 between 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Friday. To register online, go to <https://northwesternmichiganchir.org/community-connections/referals/> and fill out the questionnaire.

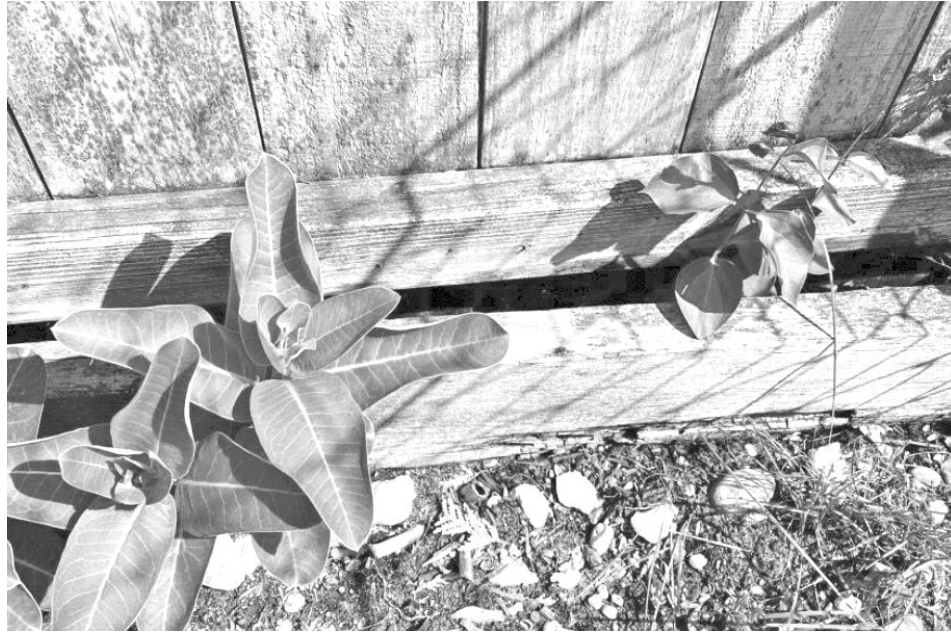
Motor Carrier Officers and Troopers to Participate in Statewide Traffic Enforcement Operation Involving I-75

LANSING, MICH. Beginning Sunday, Aug. 7, Michigan State Police (MSP) motor carrier officers and troopers assigned to MSP Motor Units will focus enforcement on I-75 from the Michigan/Ohio state line to the International Bridge in Sault Ste. Marie in the Upper Peninsula. The enforcement operation titled "Stay Alive on I-75" seeks to reduce traffic crashes involving commercial vehicles along the I-75 corridor. This statewide enforcement effort runs through Aug. 13.

During this initiative, motor carrier officers will focus on violations by commercial vehicles that are most likely to contribute to a crash, which include distracted driving, following too close, improper passing, speeding, improper lane use, and slow down and mover over violations. The troopers will focus on motor vehicles of all types engaging in the same dangerous driving behaviors.

"This enforcement effort is part of our commitment to increasing traffic safety and reducing crashes," stated Capt. Richard Arnold, commander of the MSP Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division. "This coordinated operation seeks to increase awareness of dangerous driving behaviors through high visibility enforcement on the I-75 freeway."

The "Stay Alive on I-75" initiative is part of the statewide Drive Toward Zero Deaths traffic safety campaign, which is based on the national strategy on highway safety that seeks to reduce the number of traffic deaths nationwide.



Swallow is often found growing alongside native common milkweed or even growing up around the plant



Close up of an established plant with many vines

Invasive Plant Harmful to Monarch Butterflies Found in Charlevoix County

Charlevoix, MI - The Co-operative Invasive Species Management Area serving Charlevoix, Antrim, Kalkaska, & Emmet Counties (CAKE CISMA) recently confirmed the presence of the invasive plant, black swallow-wort, in Charlevoix County.

Black swallow-wort (or Dog Strangling-Vine) is a highly invasive plant originally from southwestern Europe that has not previously been found in Charlevoix County. Black Swallow-wort can have far-reaching negative effects on the animals and the environment it invades. The plant's roots contain haemolytic glycosides, that

are toxic to mammals, including livestock.

Black Swallow-wort is a highly aggressive invasive plant that has a well-documented history of out-competing and displacing the native host of monarch butterflies, common milkweed. The invasive plant is related to our native milkweeds and may be mistaken for such by monarch butterflies. Unfortunately, as swallow-wort is toxic to monarchs (as well as many other important insects), any caterpillars from eggs laid on these invasive plants will not survive. Monarch butterflies serve a critical role in our environment as pollinators

and as a food source for various animals.

Previous reports of Black Swallow-wort in Northern Michigan have primarily been localized to the City of Petoskey, where CAKE CISMA has been working with landowners and city officials to contain the population for several years now. Complete eradication of an invasive species is typically only feasible while the population is still small. After that point, the invasive population becomes too widespread and land managers must move on to trying to contain the population to one area or protect the most valuable natural re-

sources within the infestation area. The invasive species specialists at CAKE CISMA are hopeful that by educating the communities of Charlevoix and Boyne City residents will be able to self-report suspected black swallow-wort infestations before the invasive species becomes too widespread to control.

CAKE CISMA strongly encourages those in Charlevoix county with black swallow-wort on their property to pull and dispose of any seedpods that develop and to contact CAKE CISMA at 231-533-8363 ext. 5 or visit their website: www.cakecisma.org

more information on invasive species in Northern Michigan.

What to look for: An herbaceous, perennial vine growing up to 7 feet in length that often climbs shrubs or nearby plants. Black swallow-wort leaves are shiny and dark green and the plant forms very small dark purple/black 5-pointed flowers in the summer. In the late summer and early fall look for seed pods similar to milkweed, full of flat, brown seeds covered in fine, white hairs.

SENIOR CENTER

FROM PG. 1A

ciala are a great opportunity to connect with other area Veterans and meet with your Charlevoix County Veteran Service Officers. This week there will be a Veterans Social at the Charlevoix Center at 13513 Division Street on Tuesday, August 2, 2022, 9:30AM-11:30AM.

QUILTERS WANTED:

The Charlevoix Center Crafters are seeking anyone interested in helping assemble quilts that will be raffled off. The money received from the quilts will be donated by the

Charlevoix Crafters. Half of the proceeds will go to the Worldwide Food Pantry (Ukraine) and the other half will go to the Centers for activities. Raffle tickets may be purchased at the Charlevoix and East Jordan Centers for \$2 each. Anyone interested in helping assemble quilts may contact Karen Wolletz at 231-536-9929 or you may also leave a message for Karen at the Charlevoix Center at 231-547-5361 or the East Jordan Center at 231-536-7831.

WHERE CAN I GET INFORMATION?:

The COA has a webpage on the Charlevoix County website-www.charlevoix-county.org, Facebook and Instagram account, monthly Senior Highlights section of the Charlevoix County News the fourth week of the

month, monthly education handouts and coming to the Center and listening to announcements before the meal are the best ways to keep up to date on what is happening at your Center.

VOLUNTEERING FOR THE COMMISSION ON AGING (COA):

We are honored and thankful for the great group of volunteers who give their time and talent helping the COA and our aging community. Without these individuals we could not do what we do every day. By volunteering you can...help others, meet new people, share your expertise, improve your community, try something new, and/or do something meaningful with your spare time. If you are interested in getting involved, serving

your community and volunteering please call Kevin at 231-237-0103. We have open positions for hostesses/hosts, kitchen help, home delivery meal drivers, and entertainment at all locations.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE!

As we all know our area is struggling with staffing. Unfortunately, the Commission on Aging is not spared. Please have patience and kindness with us as we are all trying our very best and some of our employees are taking on additional duties. Thank you to everyone who is supporting us as we navigate this temporary time period of building our staff back up. We truly appreciate all of you who have either helped us or supported us over the past couple of months. We are

close to being back to our normal staffing. We do have kitchen positions open in Charlevoix and one floater cook position if you are interested or know of someone looking for work. These are part-time positions. This is a great opportunity for someone who enjoys weekends and holidays off as we are closed Saturday and Sunday as well as major holidays. The hours are Monday-Friday 8:30AM-1:30PM (Wednesdays through May-September is 2-7PM). Please call 231-237-0103 for more information.

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2022 Annual Labor Day Mackinac Bridge Walk Monday, September 5

The Annual Labor Day Bridge Walk is BACK and a great tradition to close out the end of the summer of 2022! This popular annual event brings an influx of participation and excitement from guests who travel near and far to visit Mackinac City and walk the Mackinac Bridge. We look forward to this annual state-wide tradition in the Straits of Mackinac and have included valuable information for you to better plan your bridge walk experience.

The Annual Mackinac Bridge Walk begins at 7:00 am from either the north end of the Bridge in St. Ignace or from the south end of the bridge in Mackinac City. The governor's party will start the walk. The bridge will be closed to public traffic from 6:30 am-noon on Labor Day, Monday, September 5th to accommodate the bridge walk.

This year we are thrilled to have local Cheboygan resident, Roger Kopernik, as our emcee in Mackinac City. Make sure to let him know if you have a birthday, anniversary, or another milestone that you are celebrating. Just before we count down to start the walk, we are fortunate to have vocalist, Sharolyn Matterink, a local Mackinac City resident sing the National Anthem.

Participants will have three options to cross, outlined below:

LABOR DAY BRIDGE WALK CROSSING OPTIONS

1. Starting from either end of the bridge and

walking toward the center, turning around at the midpoint, and returning to the city they started from, where their transportation is located. The turnaround points will move toward the ends of the bridge beginning at 10 am, but walkers can walk at least a portion of the bridge if they start by 11:30 am. Walkers must be on the side of the bridge they wish to return to before 10 am.

2. Walking the entire length of the bridge starting from either end. Those who choose this option must reach the midpoint before 10 am or they will be turned back. Anyone who walks the entire bridge must arrange their own transportation back to the side they started once the bridge reopens to public traffic at noon.

3. Crossing the bridge, starting from either end and then turning around and walking back to the side they started from. In this option, walkers will need to cross the midpoint on their return trip by 10 am or they will be turned back and need to find their own transportation back across the bridge after it reopens at noon.

For all of the details regarding this year's Bridge Walk, please visit the Mackinac Bridge Authority website.

BRIDGE WALK OPPORTUNITIES

• Bridge Walk Certificate Prize Giveaway: Each year the Chamber of Commerce hosts a Labor Day Bridge Walk prize giveaway. If you walked the

Bridge and received a certificate of completion, you qualify to participate! Simply look for a bright green poster with 2 numbers on it in participating merchant and restaurant windows in our downtown businesses. If you find that the number on your certificate matches one of the numbers from the posters, just let the business know you have a match and you will get a prize! Thank you for taking the time to visit our businesses while you are in town this Labor Day!

• Volunteer: If you or someone you know would like to assist in "pedestrian control" during the bridge walk, we are looking for volunteers! Call Kelly at 231-436-5574. It takes many people to help make this event run smoothly and safely. As a volunteer, you will be entered into a drawing for a tower tour and anchor pier tour generously donated by the Mackinac Bridge Authority. We will draw two names for the tower tour and six for the anchor pier tour at the volunteer lunch hosted by Mama Mia's Pizza on Thursday, September 8 at noon.

DOUBLE CROSSERS CLUB

In 2018 the Mackinac City Chamber of Commerce introduced the inaugural "Double Crossers Club," which was an opportunity to celebrate the hardy individuals who walked the entire length of the bridge, and back, collecting a certificate of completion from both St. Ignace and Mackinac City.

There is never a cost to participate in the Bridge Walk, but the official "Double Crossers Club" t-shirt is available to purchase, in advance, at the Chamber of Commerce office in Mackinac City (707 N. Huron Ave), or online at www.mackinawchamber.com. Proceeds from the t-shirt sales will directly support community programs and events hosted by the Greater Mackinac City Chamber of Commerce.

THINGS TO NOTE:

• Double Crossers walk independently, there is no designated meeting location.

• Keep a steady pace and know your ability. There are no transportation options available through the Mackinac City Chamber of Commerce. If you do not make it all the way across and back to the center span by 10:00 am, you will be turned back to the St. Ignace side and you will be responsible for your own transportation.

• There will be no shirt sales on the day of the walk. Shirts must be pre-ordered and picked up by Friday, September 2 at 4:00 pm or can be mailed to you. Please call the Mackinac City Chamber of Commerce office at 231-426-5574 or visit our website, www.mackinawchamber.com to place your order for the "Official Double Crossers" t-shirt today!

TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS VIA FERRY BOAT

Star Line Mackinac Is-

land Ferry Company is offering transportation between Mackinac City and St Ignace. You can choose to walk the bridge and take the boat back to your starting city or hop on one of the earlier departures and walk the bridge back to your starting city.

By purchasing one Shepler's Mackinac Island Ferry roundtrip ticket guests can boat-hop between Mackinac City and St. Ignace while enjoying a stop at Mackinac Island on the way! Shepler's will be running their schedule as printed starting at 7:30 am out of Mackinac City and 6:30 am out of St. Ignace.

Shepler's roundtrip tickets are not assigned to a port at the time of purchase. Guests can depart from either mainland port, go to Mackinac Island, and return to the other mainland port on one roundtrip ticket. Find complete details in the link above.

PARKING OPTIONS

The Mackinac City Lion's Club will have parking available at Citizens National Bank, 580 S. Nicolet St., and Pinecrest Village at Mackinaw, 450 S. Nicolet St. for a fee of \$10/vehicle.

Shepler's Mackinac Island Ferry will have parking available for guests who would like to park close to the Mackinac Bridge and start their walk from Mackinac City in Lot 3 for \$20 CASH ONLY per vehicle. Parking is limited and no advanced reservations will be accepted. Lot 3 is located at 115 W. Central Ave.

Free NMCAA August Workshops are open for registration

Registration for our Money Management and Homebuyer Education are open for the month of August. Money Management comes in a three-part series that can be taken in any order on Tuesday, August 9th, and 16th 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Money Management offers a wide variety of topics focusing on how to save, basic banking skills, credit and more. All workshops are conducted on Zoom for the three-part series.

Homebuyer Education is offered in a two-part series or in one session. Homebuyer Education is available on Saturday, August 13th, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. The two-part series is available on Wednesday, August 24th and Thursday, August 25th 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Homebuyer Education covers every step of the homebuying process from how to determine your budget to what to expect on the day of closing. All workshops are conducted on Zoom.

If your schedule conflicts with Money Management and Homebuyer Education, we do offer online, self-paced workshops containing the same material as our Zoom workshops. Cost of the self-paced Money Management workshop is \$35. The self-paced Homebuyer Education is included in the free workshops for first-time homebuyers.

We do offer scholarships for those who income qualifies for our Zoom Workshops and our Self-Paced Workshops.

For those who are facing or experiencing foreclosure, we offer free Foreclosure Education and budget coaching.

Current partner organizations/business customers are not eligible for this promotion.

To register for our workshops or if you have questions about our services, please call 231-947-3780, or text 231-714-4578, or email fmsintake@nmcaa.net.

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter for updates about our programs!

REAL ESTATE CORNER

Just under 50 acre parcel a few minutes from Lake Michigan



By Jim Akans

This week's feature listing is a fantastic, just under 50 acre parcel of land, that is perfect for building your dream home or creating a superb hunting or camping retreat.

The setting embraces stunning northern Michigan natural beauty. It features a rolling terrain with a mix of meadow areas, hardwoods and pine. The views are spectacular, ideal for building a dream home with breathtaking vistas.

The location is also won-

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Part 3 of 3

Here are some of the most common reasons buyers are turned off by a particular house, so make sure these are addressed before lopping thousands of dollars off the asking price:

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This is the second biggest reason a home isn't selling. Buyers often talk of "connecting" to a house. This is not likely to happen if your house is not company-coming-over clean and ready to show like a model. This goes for the outside as well. If you don't want to put the effort into doing this, then you'd better adjust your price to compensate because buyers will only consider your house because it's a good deal, not because it "speaks to them."

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It's not always the seller's fault that a house isn't selling. Sometimes the market changes and buyers disappear. Maybe a new home development has opened nearby and they are "stealing" the customers. Or maybe you've received bad advice from your agent. Any of these can affect whether your house sells, which means you need to consider the reasons and make the necessary adjustments.

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SWIMMING

Charlevoix Area Community Pool receives grants

Pool to be closed for maintenance on August 15

CHARLEVOIX - The Board of Directors of the Charlevoix Area Community Pool (CACP) is pleased to announce that the pool has received \$34,200 in grants from local organizations to help fund the \$52,000 pool resurfacing project. The pool will be closed starting August 15, 2022, for the resurfacing maintenance work and hopes to reopen by October 1. The resurfacing project, which is needed every 5-8 years, involves draining the pool, sanding down and repairing all surfaces, and then resealing the surface using special compounds. The pool will be closed for the entire process.

Donations were received as follows: \$10,000 Oleson's Foundation; \$10,000 The Charlevoix County Community Foundation; \$9,200 Petoskey Harbor-Springs Community Foundation, and \$5,000 from the Great Lakes Energy People Fund.

"We are overwhelmed by the wonderful generosity in our community," said Christine Abbey, CACP Board President. "Our non-profit community pool depends on significant donations for capital projects and to keep our user fees low. We thank these

generous donors for their support." The CACP will also be losing about \$1500 a week in user fees while the pool is closed, making these donations even more appreciated. The CACP board and staff hope pool patrons will continue their water exercise routines in the local fresh-water lakes that make Northern Michigan special.

The CACP also received around \$34,000 in contributions from area businesses, patrons, and supporters who contributed to the annual pool fundraiser called "Aqua Magic" which was held on June 30.

As an independent non-profit organization, the pool serves as a community resource providing many types of classes and aquatic activities to all age groups from primarily Charlevoix and Emmet Counties. There is no annual membership fee and anyone may use the pool for a small fee on a drop-in basis. CACP provides aquatic fitness classes, swim lessons, water safety classes, lap swim, and open swim times. The pool can be rented for parties as well. During the year, CACP also offers life-guard classes and scuba diving classes.

More information on the pool schedule and new safety restrictions are available at www.Charlevoix-Pool.org.



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Cheer practice has yet to be determined. Please contact Coach Katie@newtons2019@icloud.com

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ELECTION

FROM PG. 1A

John Jarema - 245
April Raycraft - 185

Ballot Proposals in Charlevoix County for August 2, 2022 election

VETERANS MILLAGE RE-NEWAL

This proposal will permit the County of Charlevoix to restore the .1 mill, previously approved by the electors for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of the County Veterans Affairs Department.

Shall the tax limitation on the amount of general ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in Charlevoix County, State of Michigan, be renewed at .1 mill (\$.10 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of authorizing Charlevoix County to equip, operate, maintain, to provide monetary support and assistance services to veterans through the County of Charlevoix Veterans Affairs department? If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the .1 mill would raise an estimated \$236,555 for the County in the first year of collection.

YES - 6,641
NO - 1,132

TRANSIT MILLAGE RENEWAL

This proposal will permit the County of Charlevoix to restore the .25 mill, previously approved by the electors for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of the County Transit System.

Shall the tax limitation on the amount of general ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on the taxable property in Charlevoix County, State of Michigan, be renewed at 0.25 mills (\$.25 per \$1000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of the County Transit System? If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the .25 mill would raise an estimated \$591,389 for the County in the first year of collection.

YES - 5,688
NO - 2,066

PARKS MILLAGE RENEWAL

This proposal will permit the County of Charlevoix to restore the .15 mill, previously approved by the electors for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of County Parks and funding the county program to improve other parks within the County.

Shall the tax limitation on the amount of general ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in Charlevoix County, State of Michigan, be renewed at .15 mills (\$.15 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for the operation and capital improvements of the county,Às parks and for funding the county program to improve other parks within the county. If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the .15 mill would raise an estimated \$354,833 for the County in the first year of collection.

YES - 5,712
NO - 2,039

Bay Township ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal establishes the renewal of a 1.0 mill road millage previously approved by the electors, which expired after the December 2021 levy, for the purpose of providing funds for township road improvements.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by Bay Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be renewed to the originally approved 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value), and levied for three years, 2022 through 2024 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for construction and maintenance of roads within Bay Township, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$173,000 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 325
NO - 95

Boyne Valley Township TRANSFER STATION MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the previously authorized millage for operating the Township Transfer Station, including renting or purchasing the property on which the Transfer station is located within Boyne Valley Township, as reduced by required millage rollbacks to .9866 mills (\$.9866 per \$1,000 of taxable value), be renewed at (\$.9866 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for four years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, raising an estimated \$172,138 in 2022?

YES - 266
NO - 58

FIRE/RESCUE DEPARTMENT MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the previously authorized millage for operating, maintaining, and equipping the Boyne Valley Township Fire/Rescue Department, as reduced by required millage rollbacks to .9866 mills (\$.9866 per \$1,000 of taxable value), be renewed at (\$.9866 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for four years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, raising an estimated \$172,138 in 2022?

YES - 270
NO - 57

EVELINE TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL TO RENEW ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal reestablishes the 1 mill road millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy. Specifically, the proposal renews the previously authorized .9849 mills and restores the .0151 mills rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Eveline, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for road construction, improvements, and maintenance, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$311,848 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 416
NO - 170

PROPOSAL FOR FIRE AND AMBULANCE MILLAGE

This proposal will per-

mit the Township to levy up to 1 mill for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection and ambulance services.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Eveline, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection and ambulance services, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$311,848 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 457
NO - 128

HUDSON TOWNSHIP FIRE PROTECTION MILLAGE RENEWAL

This proposal will permit the Township to restore the Township,Às 1 mill for fire protection previously approved by the electors and now expiring. This ballot proposal renews the existing 1 mill.

Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Hudson Township be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for the period of 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the furnishing of fire protection and emergency medical services, apparatus, equipment and housing in Hudson Township; and shall the Township levy such increase in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$45,177.00?

YES - 124
NO - 24

ROAD MILLAGE RENEWAL

This proposal will permit the Township to restore the Township,Às 2 mills for road improvements previously approved by the electors and now expired. This ballot proposal renews the existing 2 mills.

Shall the previously voted increase in the 15 mill tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Hudson Township be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 2 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of road maintenance and improvements; and shall the Township levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$90,354.00?

YES - 107
NO - 41

MARION TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL TO RENEW ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal will allow the Marion Township to continue to levy millage previously approved by the electors for road construction and maintenance, and restores millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963, as amended.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of Marion, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, be increased by 1.5 mills, (one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) on all tax-

able property in the Township for three (3) years, 2023 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for construction and maintenance of Township roads? If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the 1.5 mills would raise an estimated \$148,440.00 for the Township's Road Fund when first levied in 2023.

YES - 357
NO - 151

MELROSE TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL TO RENEW FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATING MILLAGE

This proposal reestablishes the .Ï mill fire department operations millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy. Specifically, the proposal renews the current .4895 mills that was last levied and restores the .0105 mills previously rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Melrose, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to .Ï mill (\$.50 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire department operations, and shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$96,934 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 271
NO - 54

PROPOSAL TO RENEW ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal reestablishes the 1 mill road millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy. Specifically, the proposal renews the current .9792 mills that was last levied and restores the .0208 mills previously rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Melrose, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for road construction and maintenance, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$193,868 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 216
NO - 106

PROPOSAL TO RENEW FIRE SINKING FUND MILLAGE

This proposal reestablishes the .Ï mill Fire Sinking Fund millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy.

Specifically, the proposal renews the current .4895 mills that was last levied and restores the .0105 mills previously rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Melrose, Charlevoix County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to .Ï mill (\$.50 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for the Fire Sinking Fund for the fire department, and

shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$96,934 for the Township in 2022.

YES - 229
NO - 94

NORWOOD TOWNSHIP FIRE MILLAGE PROPOSAL

This proposal will permit the Township to levy up to 1 mill for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection services.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Norwood, County of Charlevoix, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to one dollar (\$1.00) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (1 mill) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection services, and shall the Township of Norwood be authorized to levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$55,488 for the Township in 2022

YES - 194
NO - 67

ST. JAMES TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL TO RENEW ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal renews the 2 mills road construction and maintenance millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of St. James, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan be increased by up to two dollars (\$2.00) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (2 mills) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for road construction and maintenance, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, the 1.5 mills would raise an estimated \$139,821 for the township when first levied in 2022.

YES - 97
NO - 11

PROPOSAL TO RENEW FIRE PROTECTION MILLAGE

This proposal renews the 1 mill fire protection millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of St. James, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan be increased by up to one dollar (\$1.00) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (1 mill) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection, and shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the 1 mill would raise an estimated \$51,691 for the township when first levied in 2022.

YES - 102
NO - 5

PROPOSAL TO RENEW MEDICAL CENTER MILLAGE

This proposal renews the 2 mills medical center millage previously approved by the electors that expired

after the December, 2021 levy.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of St. James, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan be increased by up to two dollars (\$2.00) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (2 mills) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of the island's medical center, and shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the 2 mills would raise an estimated \$103,382 for the township when first levied in 2022.

YES - 89
NO - 18

WILSON TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL FOR FIRE AND AMBULANCE MILLAGE

This proposal will permit the Township to levy up to 1.5 mills for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection and ambulance service.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of Wilson, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan be increased by up to one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (1.5 mills) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection and ambulance service and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, the 1.5 mills would raise an estimated \$139,821 for the township when first levied in 2022.

YES - 395
NO - 98

PROPOSAL TO RENEW ROAD MILLAGE

This proposal reestablishes the 2 mill road millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy. Specifically, the proposal renews the previously authorized 1.9550 mills and restores the .0450 mills rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Township of Wilson, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan be increased by up to two dollars (\$2.00) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (2 mills) of the taxable value on all taxable property in the township for four (4) years, 2022 through 2025 inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for road construction and maintenance, and shall the Township levy such millage for these purposes? If approved and levied in its entirety, the 2 mills would raise an estimated \$186,428 for the township when first levied in 2022.

YES - 340
NO - 150

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NOTES OF ENCOURAGEMENT

I recently vacationed in northern Michigan for the first time and may I say it did not disappoint! Home base was Lewiston, but we definitely got some miles under us.

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2010 GMC Acadia. AWD, 3rd row seat. Sale Price \$2,495. As low as \$179 a month.

2010 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited Sahara. 4x4, removable hardtop, 140 K miles. Sale Price \$13,995.

2010 Lincoln MKS. Leather. Sale Price \$6,995. As low as \$199 a month. As low as \$449 a month.

2013 Ford Explorer Sport. Leather, rear camera, 4WD, EcoBoost, fully loaded. Sale Price \$17,495.

2013 GMC Terrain SLE. AWD, 131 K miles. \$9,500. As low as \$219 a month. Onaway Auto.

2014 Lincoln MKT. Leather, double moon roof, 3rd row seat, 184 K miles. \$11,900. As low as \$249 a month.

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2015 Kia Soul. Sale Price \$6,495. As low as \$219 a month. As low as \$449 a month.

2016 Kia Soul. High miles. Sale Price \$8,995. As low as \$229 a month. As low as \$449 a month.

2018 Chevy Tahoe. Rear camera, tow pkg, 82K miles. \$26,900. As low as \$399 a month.

2018 GMC Terrain SLT. Leather, rear camera, tow pkg, 168K miles. \$20,900. As low as \$329 a month.

2019 Chevy Equinox. AWD, 130 K miles. \$18,900. As low as \$299 a month.

2019 Ford Edge SEL. AWD, leather, rear camera, 132K miles. \$23,900. As low as \$349 a month.

2019 Ford Escape SE. 4WD, tow pkg, 124 K miles. \$21,900. As low as \$349 a month.

2015 Chevy Silverado. Double cab, bedliner, tow pkg, 115K miles. Sale Price \$18,995.

2015 Chevy Silverado 1500. Double cab. Bedliner, tow pkg, 115K miles. Sale Price \$18,995.

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2011 Ford Ranger XLT. 4x4, ext cab, bedliner, 143K miles. Sales Price \$7,995. As low as \$199 a month.

2012 Ford F-150. Club cab, bedliner, tow pkg, 138K miles. Sale Price \$12,495. As low as \$229 a month.

2013 Ford F-150 XLT. 4x4, bedliner, tow pkg, 115 K miles. Sale Price \$17,595. As low as \$319 a month.

2013 Ford F-150 XLT. Club cab, 4x4, spray-in bedliner, tow pkg, 261 K miles. As low as \$299 a month.

2013 Honda Ridgeline. 4x4, club cab, bedliner, tow pkg, 109K miles, sharp. Sale Price \$15,995.

2014 Chevy Silverado LTZ. Double cab, bedliner, high miles. Sale Price \$12,995. As low as \$319 a month.

2014 Ford F-150 XLT. 4x4, crew cab, bedliner, 116 K miles. Sale Price \$18,595. As low as \$349 a month.

2015 Chevy 3500 Utility Truck. 4x4. \$20,900. As low as \$329 a month.

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2017 Chevy Silverado. 3/4 ton, double cab, tow pkg, spray on bedliner. Sale Price \$28,995.

2017 GMC Sierra 2500 HD. Double cab, long box, 4x4, 117K miles. \$26,900. As low as \$399 a month.

2018 Ram 2500, Club cab, 6.4L Hemi, Line-X bedliner, 106 K miles. As low as \$549 a month.

2019 Nissan Frontier SV. 4x4, tow pkg, bedliner, club cab. \$30,900. As low as \$499 a month.

2020 Ram Laramie 1500. 4x4, bedliner, rear camera, tow pkg, leather, Hemi 5.7L, 65 K miles. \$41,900.

VANS

2014 Ford Transit Connect Cargo Van. FWD, 264 K miles. \$8,900. As

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2015 Ram 1500 ProMaster cargo van. Hydraulic lift, 74K miles. Sale Price \$25,995.

2017 Nissan 2500 Cargo Van. 227 K miles. \$17,900. As low as \$289 a month.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met August 05, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Penzien presiding with all members present and all Board meeting minutes were approved as well as the Paid Bills in the amount of \$735,632.87.

Further Commission Action: Acknowledged Receipt of the Monthly Public Safety Reports for Fire-June 2022; acknowledged receipt of the Cash on Hand Report for June 2022; Approved Resolution 113-2022; Approved Resolution 114-2022;

Copies of the minutes of the above meeting are posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

Cheltzi M. Wilson, MMC City Clerk

EVELINE TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE ADDRESSING FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE

Ordinance No. 0312 of 2019 Amended August 9, 2022

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE AN ENFORCING AGENCY TO DISCHARGE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EVELINE TOWNSHIP, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN AND TO DESIGNATE REGULATED FLOOD HAZARD AREAS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED.

THE TOWNSHIP OF EVELINE, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Agency Designated.

Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Charlevoix County Building Official is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of Eveline Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended.

Section 2. Code Appendix Enforcement.

Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, Appendix G of the Michigan Building Code shall be enforced by the Charlevoix County Building Official throughout the corporate limits of Eveline Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

Section 3. Designation of Regulated Flood Prone Hazard Areas.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Entitled "The Flood Insurance Study for Charlevoix County, All Jurisdictions" and dated September 15, 2022 and the Flood Insurance Rate Map(s) (FIRMS) panel number(s) of 26029CIND1B, 26029CIND2B, 26029C0340C, 26029C0345D, 26029C0375D, 26029C0525C, 26029C0530C, 26029C531C and 26029C0533C and dated September 15, 2022 are hereby adopted by reference for the purposes of administration of the Michigan Construction Code and to provide the content of the "Flood Hazards" section of Table R301.2(1) of the Michigan Residential Code.

Section 4. Repeals.

All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective the day following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the Township.

Amended August 9, 2022

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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT ONEIDA COUNTY. CROSSTRAC EQUIPMENT INCORPORATED. Plaintiff, v. ROCKMAN INC. Defendant. Case No. 22-CV-106 Code No. 30301. SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF WISCONSIN. To each person named above as a defendant: You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. Within forty (40) days from the date after the first date of publication, you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the court whose address is: ONEIDA COUNTY CLERK OF COURT, ONEIDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, P.O. BOX 400, RHINELANDER, WISCONSIN 54501 and to TIMOTHY B. MELMS, plaintiff's attorney, whose address is HOGAN & MELMS, 7520 HWY 51 S., SUITE A, MINOCQUA, WI 54548. You may have an attorney help or represent you. If you do not demand a copy of the complaint within forty (40) days, the Court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incurred in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided as law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property. Dated this 23rd day of July, 2022. Timothy B. Melms, State Bar No. 1021201 HOGAN & MELMS 7520 Highway 51 South, Suite A Minocqua, WI 54548 (715) 365-1008

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 <p>2013 HONDA RIDGELINE 4x4, club cab, bedliner, tow pkg, 109K miles, sharp. SALE PRICE \$15,995 As low as \$279 a month</p>	 <p>2002 CHEVY MONTE CARLO SS Dale Earnhardt Edition Intimidator. Very sharp. 120 K miles. SALE PRICE \$7,995</p>	 <p>2012 FORD F-150 Club cab, bedliner, tow pkg, 138K miles. SALE PRICE \$12,495 As low as \$229 a month</p>	 <p>2009 CHEVY HHR LT SALE PRICE \$5,995 as low as \$269 a month</p>	 <p>2013 FORD EXPLORER SPORT Leather, rear camera, 4WD, EcoBoost, fully loaded. SALE PRICE \$17,495 As low as \$319 a month</p>
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 <p>2015 RAM 1500 CARGO VAN Promaster, Hydraulic lift, 74K miles. SALE PRICE \$25,995 As low as \$469 a month.</p>	 <p>1986 CHRYSLER LEBARON Convertible, Corinthian leather. ONLY 13 K MILES! \$9,995</p>	 <p>2019 FORD F-150 XLT 4x4, crew cab, 62K miles. SALE PRICE \$36,995 As low as \$595 a month.</p>	 <p>2016 KIA SOUL High miles. SALE PRICE \$8,995 As low as \$229 a month</p>	 <p>2020 RAM 1500 CLASSIC 4x4, quad cab, 5.7L Hemi, quad cab, bedliner, 63K miles. SALE PRICE \$37,595 As low as \$595 a month.</p>
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