

OCEOLA OBSERVER

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Oceola Township, Livingston County

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Oceola Township Hall is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

We are located at 1577 North Latson Road, Howell MI 48843.

Phone (517) 546-3259, Fax (517) 546-6697

2018 Office Closures

July 4, 2018

Independence Day

August 31, 2018

Observe Labor Day

November 23, 2018

Observe Thanksgiving

December 25, 2018

Christmas

Township News

The closed bridge on Eager Road north of M59 is now scheduled for reconstruction in 2018-19. In 2018 the Livingston County Road Commission is partnering with Oceola to begin the realignment of Eager Road at M59, and MDOT will install a regular traffic light at that intersection. These two changes should greatly improve the traffic flow on Eager and Bigelow Roads.

New Election Equipment

Oceola Township has participated in a statewide election grant, HAVA, and has received new voting equipment which we began using in the May 2018 election. The equipment was purchased through a U.S. supplier that has designed the voting equipment to meet the state of Michigan's specific requirements.

Upcoming Election Dates for 2018

Primary Election

August 7, 2018

General Election

November 6, 2018

Oceola Park

Our new play structure for children ages 2-5 is complete for your public use and enjoyment.

**THE LAST DAY
TO PAY
SUMMER TAXES**

is

September 14, 2018

*A copy of Oceola Township
Citizens' Guide to Local
Unit Finances is available
for review at the Hall
during the Township's
regular business hours.*

Dog License Fees

The state of Michigan requires all dogs four months old or older to be licensed.

1 Year Puppy
\$10.00

1 Year Spay/Neuter
\$10.00

3 Year Spay/Neuter
\$25.00

1 Year Intact
\$25.00

3 Year Intact
\$60.00

Late Fee
\$20.00

Replacement License
\$5.00

Service Dogs Free

Howell Area Parks & Recreation

Oceola Township residents can pick up two (2) vehicle passes per residence to enter the Howell City Park and Boat Launch for free. The passes are required from May 1 through October 31 for free use of the facilities.

Passes can be picked up at the Bennett Recreation Center located at 925 West Grand River Avenue beginning in late April, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday–Friday.

Oceola residents are also eligible to receive a discounted price when they pay to participate in the various programs that HAPRA offers.

For more information, please call 517-546-0693 or visit howellrecreation.org/city-park.

Proof of residency is required.

Oceola-Owned Chemung Hills Golf Course & Banquet Center

Operations are going very well at Chemung Hills Golf Course & Banquet Center with constant upgrades and increasing usage.

Road Improvements

We are continuing our treatment of all gravel roads with chloride for dust control, using road millage money. The Road Commission has recently resurfaced Latson Road from Golf Club to M59, with Oceola Township sharing the cost. The Township has also renewed the gravel on Hughes and a mile of Allen Road.

Oceola Community Center

The Oceola Township-owned Community Center is available for hall rental usage. For more information, please call the Howell Area Parks & Recreation Authority at 517-546-0693 or visit www.howellrecreation.org.

FREE PARK PASSES

**for Oceola residents with ID
to Howell City Park
& Boat Launch**

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Paper Recycling

A paper recycling bin is located in the south parking lot at the Township Hall for recycling paper products.

Allowable products are newspapers, magazines, office papers, school papers, mail and catalogs. The bin is open twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.

**To find current data regarding services, meetings, and department links,
please visit our website: www.oceolatwp.org**