



BERRIEN COUNTY DIRECTORY

2017 - 2018

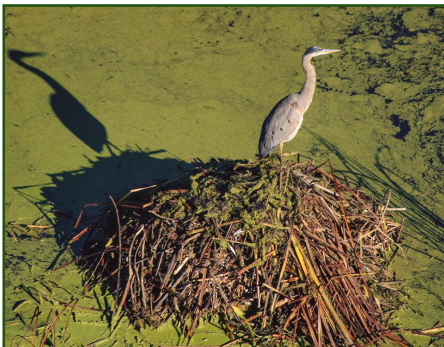


GALIEN RIVER COUNTY PARK

The Galien River County Park in New Buffalo Township, was acquired by Berrien County in 2001 with the assistance of a Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grant. The 86 acre park includes a mix of upland and wetland habitats along the Galien River. The wetland area is particularly significant in that it is a part of the larger “New Buffalo Marsh”, a Great Lakes marsh that formed along the Galien River just upstream from the river’s mouth at Lake Michigan.

Major improvements were completed to the park in 2014, with the assistance from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund, the Pokagon Fund and Berrien County. The Berrien County Parks Commission included a “Canopy Walkway” that leads through the treetops to a 60’ high “Marsh Overlook Tower” and a 600’ long “Marsh Boardwalk” that leads to a “River Viewing and Fishing Platform” on the edge of the Galien River. Both of these major features are accessible via hard surfaced, and barrier free hiking trails.

The park is located on Red Arrow Highway in New Buffalo Township, just north of the intersection with US-12. The entrance is located directly across the road from the New Buffalo Township Hall. The park address is 17424 Red Arrow Highway, New Buffalo, Michigan.



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PHOTOGRAPHY



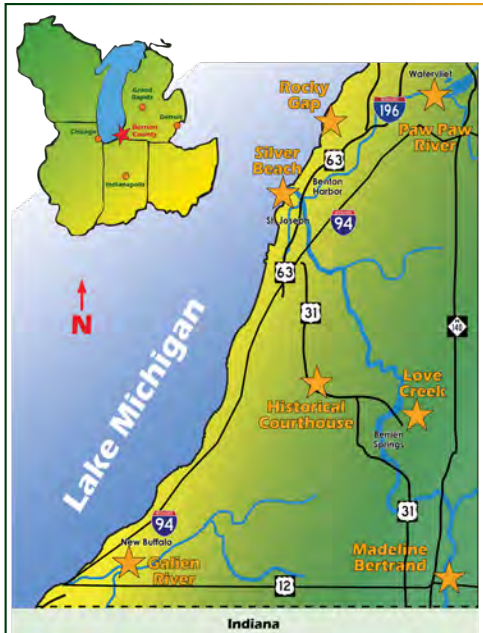
BERRIEN COUNTY PARKS

Berrien County Parks provide our community with a variety of natural, educational and leisure activities.

The Parks and facilities have something for everyone.

Enjoy these six locations throughout the county:

- ▶ **Madeline Bertrand County Park**
- ▶ **Love Creek Nature Center & County Park**
- ▶ **Silver Beach County Park**
- ▶ **Rocky Gap County Park**
- ▶ **Galien River County Park**
- ▶ **History Center at Courthouse Square**



Berrien County Administration Center
701 Main Street, St. Joseph, Michigan, 49085

www.berriencounty.org/parks

For general Parks information call

(269) 983-7111 Ext. 8435

Contact individual parks for detailed information
and rental availability.



Berrien County Directory 2017 - 2018

Dear Friends:

It is my pleasure to provide you with the Berrien County Directory for 2017 - 2018, to assist you in communicating with all levels of government. Every effort has been made to compile this directory with the most current information available.

Copies of the directory may be obtained at any of the following County Clerk offices:

- Administration Center, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph
- Courthouse, 811 Port Street, St. Joseph
- South County Building, 1205 N. Front Street, Niles

The directory is also available on the County's website at www.berriencounty.org. On the website you will find additional information including Board of Commissioners' meeting schedules, agendas and minutes.

Debbie Vitale and Melanie Reynnells are coeditors of our directory, and you may contact them with any changes at (269) 983-7111, ext. 8236 or 8229 (**corrections are made to the online directory as they are received throughout the year**).

If you need further information or assistance, please feel free to contact our office.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as your County Clerk.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sharon J. Tyler". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sharon J. Tyler
Berrien County Clerk



**THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE IS CLOSED
ON THE FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS:**

2017

<u>HOLIDAY</u>	<u>DAY AND DATE</u>
New Year's Day	Monday, January 2
Martin Luther King Day.....	Monday, January 16
Presidents Day	Monday, February 20
Spring Holiday	Friday, April 14
Memorial Day	Monday, May 29
Independence Day	Tuesday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 4
Veterans Day	Friday, November 10
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 23
After Thanksgiving Holiday.....	Friday, November 24
Christmas Holiday	Monday, December 25
Christmas Holiday	Tuesday, December 26

2018

<u>HOLIDAY</u>	<u>DAY AND DATE</u>
New Year's Day	Monday, January 1
Martin Luther King Day.....	Monday, January 15
Presidents Day	Monday, February 19
Spring Holiday	Friday, March 30
Memorial Day	Monday, May 28
Independence Day	Wednesday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 3
Veterans Day	Monday, November 12
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 22
After Thanksgiving Holiday.....	Friday, November 23
Christmas Holiday	Monday, December 24
Christmas Holiday	Tuesday, December 25

COUNTY PHONE DIRECTORY

From Twin Cities Area, Bridgman(269) 983-7111*
 From Niles, Buchanan684-5274*
 From Three Oaks, New Buffalo, Lakeside, Union Pier, Sawyer, Galien..756-9571*

*Dial the above number and ask for the extension number

Animal Control(269) 927-5648
 Board of Public WorksExt. 8617
 Building and GroundsExt. 8602

County Administration

Corporate CounselExt. 8416
 County AdministratorExt. 8095
 Personnel DepartmentExt. 8616

County Clerk

Administration CenterExt. 8233
 CourthouseExt. 8368
 South County Building, Niles.....684-5274 Ext. 6288

Drain CommissionExt. 8261

Community DevelopmentExt. 8617

EqualizationExt. 8215

Michigan Department of Human Services934-2000

From South County(866) 436-0002

Financial ServicesExt. 8623

Friend of the Court.....Ext. 8575

Health DepartmentExt. 5000 or 926-7121

From South County Building, dial 684-5274
 and ask for extension number.

Help DeskExt. 8424

Information Services.....Ext. 8604

Juvenile Court

Accounting Manager (1st Floor)Ext. 8405

Family Division AdministratorExt. 8408

Intake ManagerExt. 8354

Probation Supervisor.....Ext. 8359 or Ext. 8360

Juvenile Center Director.....Ext. 4221 or 471-2831



Galien River County Park - View from Upper Deck

Michigan State University Extension	944-4126
Michigan Veterans Trust Fund.....	Ext. 8510
Motor Pool	Ext. 4604
Parks and Recreation.....	Ext. 8435
Planning and Public Works Department.....	Ext. 8617
Printing Department.....	Ext. 4630

From South County Building, dial 684-5274
and ask for extension Ext. 4630

Probate Court	Ext. 8365
Probation (Adult & Tether)	Ext. 8251
South County Building, Niles.....	684-5274
Prosecuting Attorney	Ext. 8311
Forensic Laboratory	471-2287
South County Building, Niles.....	684-5274
Welfare Support	Ext. 4300
Purchasing.....	Ext. 8200
Register of Deeds.....	Ext. 8562
Records and Microfilm.....	Ext. 4640
Road Commission	Ext. 4400
Sheriff's Department	
Emergency Calls	911
Administrative Calls.....	983-7141

From South County Building, dial 684-5274
and ask for Ext. 7570

Surveyor, 2303 Pipestone Road, Benton Harbor	927-0100
Treasurer	Ext. 8569

TRIAL COURT

ADMINISTRATION:

Brian E. Ray, Administrator	Ext. 8395
Tammy Heyn, Administrative Assistant.....	Ext. 8453

JUDGES:

Judge Berger.....	Ext. 8376
Judge Bruce	Ext. 8390
Judge Cotter.....	Ext. 8386
Judge Donahue	Ext. 8739
Judge Howard	Ext. 8306
Judge LaSata	Ext. 8196
Judge Mayfield	Ext. 6272
Judge Pasula.....	Ext. 6272
Judge Schofield.....	Ext. 8750
Judge Schrock.....	Ext. 8764
Judge Wiley.....	Ext. 8734

COUNTY COURT CLERKS:

Sheila Beckmann	Ext. 8383
Deborah Butler	Ext. 8381
Lerita Fellows	Ext. 8377
Katherine Felthouse	Ext. 8384
Laura Haley	Ext. 8385
Rebecca Payne.....	Ext. 8466

COURTROOM SECURITY OFFICERS:

- Rick Lull, Courtroom Security Supervisor..... Ext. 8774
- Paul Grenon, Criminal Division - Hon. Sterling R. Schrock..... Ext. 8284
- Seth King, Criminal Division - Hon. Scott S. Schofield..... Ext. 8765
- Bob Banasik, Criminal Division - Hon. Donna Howard..... Ext. 8396
- David Koern, Criminal Division - Hon. Arthur J. Cotter..... Ext. 8752
- Brett Rathgeb, Drug Court - Hon. Charles T. LaSata Ext. 8752
- Dan Sullivan, Civil Division - Hon. John Donahue..... Ext. 8304
- Dan Sullivan, Civil Division - Hon. Dennis M. Wiley..... Ext. 8304
- John Burg, Family Division - Hon. Mabel Johnson-Mayfield Ext. 8483
- Scott Glick, Family Division - Hon. Brian S. Berger..... Ext. 8373
- Dean Kugle, Family Division - Hon. Gary J. Bruce..... Ext. 8726
- Dave Neal, Niles Division - Hon. Angela M. Pasula Ext. 6269

CRIMINAL DIVISION..... Ext. 8381 or 982-8682

CIVIL DIVISION Ext. 8683

FAMILY DIVISION Ext. 8410

TRAFFIC Ext. 8680

JUDICIAL..... Ext. 8610

JURY CLERK Ext. 8723

JURY HOTLINE.....(269) 982-8630

PROBATION..... Ext. 8606

DRUG COURT:

- Frank Sampsell, Trial Court Support Services Manager Ext. 8347
- Caitlyn Kato, Caseworker..... Ext. 8451

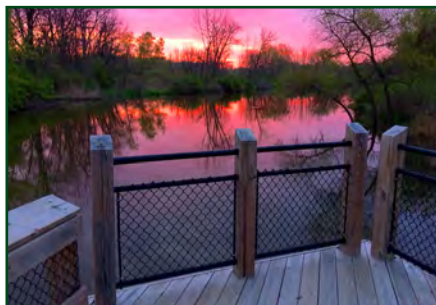
LAW CLERKS Ext. 8748 or Ext. 8468

TRIAL COURT

South County Bldg., Niles684-5274 Ext. 6260

Financial Office.....Ext. 8828
 From South County Building, dial 684-5274
 and ask for Ext. 8828

VETERANS SERVICE OFFICEExt. 8224
 From South County Building, dial 684-5274
 and ask for Ext. 8224



Galien River County Park - View from Lower Walkway

COURTHOUSE PICTURES



CENSUS FOR 1990, 2000 AND 2010

	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>% CHANGE</u>
BERRIEN COUNTY	161,378	162,453	156,813	- 3.5
TOWNSHIPS: (Includes Villages)				
Bainbridge	2,865	3,132	2,850	- 9.0
Baroda	2,731	2,880	2,801	- 2.7
Benton Charter.....	17,163	16,404	14,749	- 10.1
Berrien	4,697	5,075	5,084	+ 0.2
Bertrand	2,228	2,380	2,657	+ 11.6
Buchanan	3,402	3,510	3,523	+ 0.4
Chikaming	3,717	3,678	3,100	- 15.7
Coloma Charter.....	5,123	5,217	5,020	- 3.8
Galien.....	1,591	1,611	1,452	- 9.9
Hagar	4,113	3,964	3,671	- 7.4
Lake Charter	2,487	3,148	2,972	- 5.6
Lincoln Charter.....	13,604	13,952	14,691	+ 5.3
New Buffalo.....	2,419	2,468	2,386	- 3.3
Niles	12,828	13,325	14,164	+ 6.3
Oronoko Charter	9,819	9,843	9,193	- 6.6
Pipestone	2,303	2,474	2,312	- 6.5
Royalton.....	3,135	3,888	4,766	+ 22.5
St. Joseph Charter	9,613	10,042	10,028	- 0.1
Sodus.....	2,065	2,139	1,932	- 9.7
Three Oaks	2,952	2,949	2,574	- 12.7
Watervliet	2,926	3,392	3,102	- 8.5
Weesaw	2,114	2,065	1,936	- 6.2
CITIES:				
Benton Harbor.....	12,818	11,182	10,038	- 11.4
Bridgman.....	2,140	2,428	2,291	- 5.6
Buchanan.....	4,992	4,681	4,456	- 4.8
Coloma.....	1,679	1,595	1,483	- 7.0
New Buffalo.....	2,317	2,200	1,883	- 14.7
Niles	12,456	12,199	11,599	- 4.9
St. Joseph	9,214	8,789	8,365	- 4.8
Watervliet	1,867	1,843	1,735	- 5.9
VILLAGES:				
Baroda	657	858	873	+ 1.4
Berrien Springs	1,927	1,862	1,800	- 11.3
Eau Claire	494	656	625	- 4.7
Galien.....	596	593	549	- 7.4
Grand Beach.....	146	221	272	+ 23.1
Michiana.....	164	200	182	- 9.0
Shoreham	737	860	862	+ 0.2
Stevensville.....	1,230	1,191	1,142	- 2.8
Three Oaks	1,786	1,829	1,622	- 11.3

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF BERRIEN COUNTY

Berrien County, comprising of 585 square miles in the southwestern corner of Michigan, prominently appears in the earliest recordings of history in the Northwest Territory.

Father Marquette, a French Missionary, entered the St. Joseph River mouth in 1669, and French explorer LaSalle built Fort Miami at the present site of St. Joseph City in 1679.

Fort St. Joseph was established by the French in 1691 just south of the present site of the city of Niles. The fort was surrendered to the British about 1761, captured by Chief Pontiac in 1763, taken by the Spaniards in 1781, and by the United States after the Revolutionary War. Thus it became known as “the Land of Four Flags,” which is the theme of the Berrien County Flag adopted in July, 1967.



Parc Aux Vaches, now the site of Bertrand, was an important crossing point of the Great Sauk Trail — a trail and waterway route extending from Montreal to New Orleans, a busy portage from the St. Joseph River to the Kankakee River which ran just south of Parc Aux Vaches. Many early missions were established in the Niles vicinity from 1688 to 1800. Berrien County was separated from Lenawee County in 1829 by the Legislative Council of the Territory of Michigan. The county seat was originally in the town of Newberryport, presently the site of St. Joseph City. The County was named in honor of John M. Berrien of Georgia, an Attorney General in President Andrew Jackson’s cabinet.

Berrien County originally consisted of three townships: Berrien, Niles and St. Joseph.



*Courthouse, Jail and County buildings - Berrien County
Berrien Springs, Michigan 1839*

County functions shifted to Niles in 1831, when the first session of court was held, then returned to Newberryport in 1832.

A schoolhouse on the present site of the St. Joseph Post Office was used as a Courthouse.

In 1837, the County seat was moved to Berrien Springs, where a Courthouse was constructed in 1839.



By decision of a popular vote, the county seat was moved to St. Joseph in 1894 and a new courthouse was built there in 1895. The Berrien Springs Courthouse was sold to the Seventh Day Adventist Church, who used it until the last few years as a church and school building. The County of Berrien repurchased the old Courthouse in August of 1967 for use as a County museum. In 1974

Public Act #236 authorized official use of the Courthouse, which is believed the oldest in the State of Michigan.

In 1951 the County built a modern jail on the corner of Port and Wayne Streets. In the early 1960's it became increasingly apparent that the old County building was inadequate. Many county offices were in rented facilities scattered throughout the twin cities. Planning was begun to erect a new Courthouse, which now stands between Port Street and the St. Joseph River, and most County offices were united under one roof when the building was occupied in October, 1966. Formal dedication ceremonies were held on July 4, 1967.

Berrien County purchased a 24,000 square foot building on St. Joseph Avenue, Stevensville, in 1985 to house the county's Veteran's Service Office, the Motor Pool and a warehouse and vaults to store the county's older records and the county's print shop. The County outgrew this building by 2000 and it was sold in 2005.

In 1994 the County purchased a building at 2106 M-139 to house some of the overflow departments from the main County Health Department Building located at 969 Pipestone.

The Berrien County Administration Center was purchased in 1998 from Whirlpool Corporation who purchased it from the St. Joseph School District in 1985. The building was built in 1937 and was originally an elementary school called the Washington School. All administrative offices of the county were moved from the courthouse to the new Administration Center; the move included the relocation of approximately 98 employees and elected officials.

The County purchased a building across the street from the Courthouse on the corner of Port and Church Streets. Originally the building was the Land & Title Building, it later became the Holistic Alliance building until the county purchased the 1.65 acre property and 6,300 square foot building in December, 2004.

November, 2005, the County purchased a 71,400 square foot building with 7 acres at 2100 E. Empire Avenue (formerly owned by Peer Corporation). This building allowed the county to consolidate numerous buildings housing the Microfilm, Records & Printing Department, the Motor Pool, Marine Division, Road Patrol, Emergency Management, 9-1-1 and other facilities.

In August, 2010, forty-eight acres of land was purchased by the county at 2393 East Napier Avenue in Benton Charter Township. This property now houses all of the Health Department and is now the home of the new Animal Control Center.

Berrien County's population has grown from 4,863 in 1837 to 156,813 in 2010, twelfth largest in the State of Michigan. Its 42 miles of Lake Michigan shoreline, 86 inland lakes, and the St. Joseph, Galien and Paw Paw Rivers have attracted a substantial tourist trade. Port facilities and strategic location on arterial highways fostered industrial development. Lake-tempered water and rich soil aided the growth of fruit farming and the area has become one of the national leaders in fruit production.

Berrien County contains 22 townships, ranging in population from 1,611 to 16,404; 8 cities with a range of 1595 to 12,199; and 9 villages with a range of 200 to 1862. Due to its strategic location on Lake Michigan between Detroit and Chicago, it encompasses the junction of major federal highway systems.

FIRST RECORDS ON FILE IN THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Supervisor proceeding records date from 1832 — met in Niles Council rooms on Tuesday, October 2, 1832, Jacob Beeson from Niles Township; Pitt Brown from Berrien Township; and Amos L. Amsden from St. Joseph Township; C. K. Green, Clerk.

Berrien County Court Journal dates from April, 1842. L. M. Alverson vs. the Schooner Henry Norton; Hon. E. Ransom, Presiding Judge.

The first marriage on record in Berrien County: "This may certify that I joined together in the solemn bonds of matrimony agreeable to law Roswell C. Jerome and Armanda M. Jones on the 8th day of December, A.D. 1831, both of Saranac; S. S. Smith, Justice of the Peace."

Berrien County death records date from March 25, 1867; Delos Ellis, single, age 18, accidental death from Hagar Township.

First naturalization on record is dated October, 1836; Stephen O'Brien, British subject.



Galien River County Park - View from Upper Deck

THE
BERRIEN COUNTY
MISSION STATEMENT



It is the mission of
Berrien County Government
to provide:

Leadership, Cooperation
with all Units of Government,
Sound Fiscal Management and
Planning.

Thereby promoting public safety, health, well being,
and prosperity in order to improve the quality of life
for present and future generations.

BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

NAME

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New Buffalo, MI 49117
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Coloma, MI 49038
E-mail: dvollrath@berriencounty.org

Yarbrough, Mamie L. (District 4).....(269) 925-2669
228 Territorial Road #2
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
E-mail: myarbrou@berriencounty.org

Chair	Jon Hinkelman
Vice-Chair	Mamie Yarbrough
Parliamentarian	R. McKinley Elliott
Chaplain	Teri Sue Freehling
Sergeant At Arms.....	Jim Curran
Clerk	Sharon J. Tyler
Corporate Counsel	James T. McGovern



Galien River County Park - Upper Deck

BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Board of Commissioners oversees the County's business via committees; those committees are Administration, Finance and Personnel & Human Services. Each department with county government and some other outside agencies have a "parent" committee that the department head provides updates to.

Administration: Animal Control, Building & Grounds, Courts, Motorpool, Prosecutor, Road Commission, Sheriff, Western Michigan Legal Services and 9-1-1.

Personnel & Human Services: Area Agency on Aging, GIS Mapping, Mental Health, Parks & Recreation, Recycling, Personnel, Public Health, Register of Deeds, Surveyor and Veterans.

Finance: Building Authority, Clerk, Information Systems, Community Development, Drains, Equalization, Financial Services, Printing, Public Works, Records Center, Treasurer and the Trust Investment Advisory Committee.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION FOR BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR YEAR 2017-2018

ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE:

R. McKinley Elliott, Chair

Michael J. Majerek

Teri Sue Freehling, Vice Chair

Don Meeks

PERSONNEL AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE:

Jeanette Leahey, Chair

David Vollrath

Jim Curran, Vice Chair

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

William J. Chickering, Chair

Ezra A. Scott

Debra Panozzo, Vice Chair

Mamie Yarbrough

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE:

Jon Hinkelman, Chair

R. McKinley Elliott

Mamie Yarbrough, Vice Chair

Jeanette Leahey

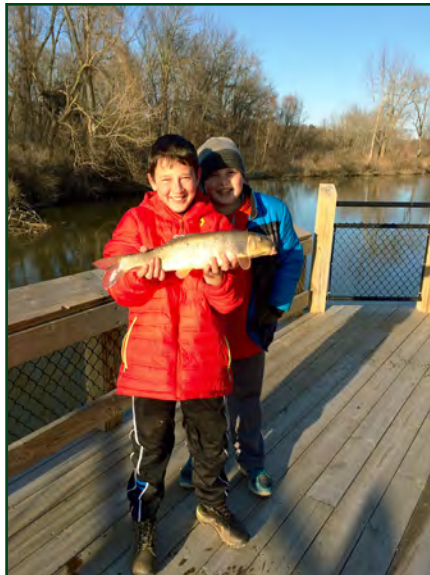
William J. Chickering

BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS - POLICY

The Board of Commissioners is the policy making board of the County. The Board is responsible for the administration of County departments as mandated by state law and as determined by resolution of the Board.

As the chief elected board in the County, many decisions are within the purview of the Commissioners such as:

1. Formulate and effect ordinances and regulations at County level.
2. Preparing and supervising Annual County Budget.
3. Appointing County Boards and Commissions.
4. Approving personnel policies for employees.
5. Declaring state of emergency.
6. Operating and maintaining County buildings.
7. Administering Federal and State programs.
8. Planning for both land use and economic development.
9. Providing services for the enrichment of life.



Galien River County Park - "Happy Fisher Kids"

BERRIEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS - DISTRICTS

GOVERNMENTAL UNITS

District 1 (Dave Vollrath)

Coloma City
Coloma Charter Township
Hagar Township
Part of Watervliet Charter Twp
north of I-94

District 2 (Jon Hinkelman)

Bainbridge Township
Berrien Township
Pipestone Township
Village of Eau Claire (Berrien &
Pipestone Twps)
Part of Watervliet Charter Twp
south of I-94
Watervliet City

District 3 (Don Meeks)

Part of Benton Charter Twp
all of precincts 1,3,4,5,6

District 4 (Mamie L. Yarbrough)

Benton Harbor City
Part of Benton Charter Twp
all of precinct 2

District 5 (William J. Chickering)

St. Joseph City
Part of St. Joseph Charter Twp
precincts 1, 2
Shoreham Village (St. Joseph Twp-pct
2)

District 6 (Jeanette Leahey)

Part of Lincoln Charter Twp - precinct 5
Royalton Township
St. Joseph Charter Twp
including precincts 3, 4
Sodus Township

District 7 (Debra Panozzo)

Part of Lincoln Charter Twp
precincts 1,2,3,4,5
Stevensville Village (Lincoln Twp - pct 6)

District 8 (Teri Sue Freehling)

Baroda Township
Baroda Village (Baroda Twp)
Bridgman City
Lake Charter Twp
Part of Oronoko Charter Twp - north of
Shawnee Rd. - part of pct 1
Oronoko Charter Twp - precinct 3

District 9 (Ezra A. Scott)

Chikaming Township
Galien Township
Galien Village (Galien Twp)
New Buffalo City
New Buffalo Township
Grand Beach Village (New Buffalo Twp)
Michiana Village (New Buffalo Twp)
Three Oaks Township
Three Oaks Village (Three Oaks Twp)
Weesaw Township

District 10 (R. McKinley Elliott)

Part of Bertrand Twp - west of
St. Joseph Valley Parkway
Buchanan City
Buchanan Township
Oronoko Charter Twp - south of
Shawnee Road - part of precinct 1
Berrien Springs Village (Oronoko-pct 2)

District 11 (Jim Curran)

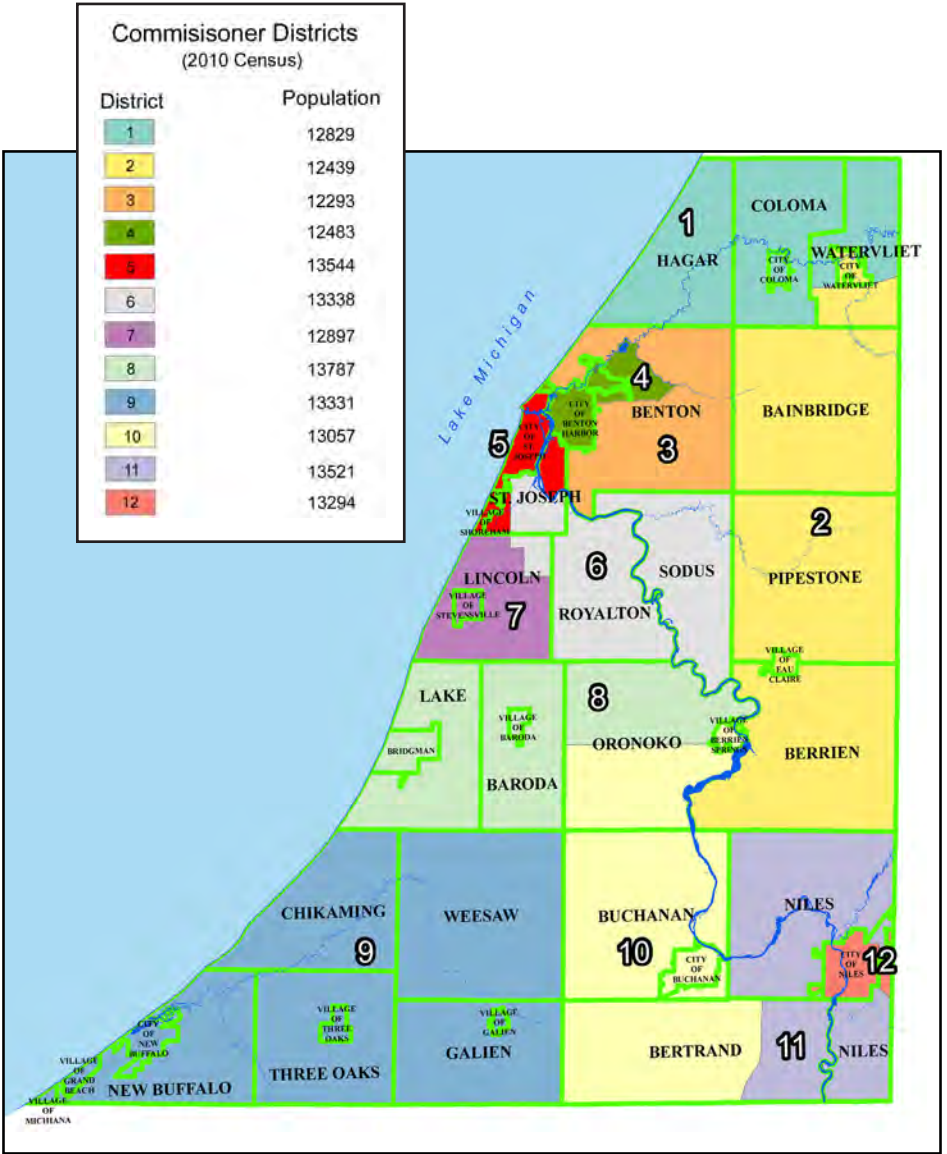
Part of Bertrand Twp - east of
St. Joseph Valley Parkway
Part of Niles Charter Township
precincts 1,3,4,5

District 12 (Michael J. Majerek)

City of Niles
Part of Niles Charter Twp - precinct 2

BERRIEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER

DISTRICT MAP



COUNTY DEPARTMENTS

COUNTY DEPARTMENTS



ANIMAL CONTROL

1400 S. Euclid Ave.
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 927-5648
Fax: (269) 927-5643



Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri - 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Wed - 8:30 am - 7:00 pm, Sat - 8:30 am - noon

The Berrien County Animal Control provides services in the manner of an animal shelter and the administration / law enforcement of animal affairs.

Tiffany Peterson.....Manager

BERRIEN COUNTY JURY BOARD

Berrien County Trial Court
811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8368

The Berrien County Jury Board is comprised of three members who are appointed by the County Board of Commissioners. The Jury Board is responsible for the processing of all juror questionnaires including most exemptions. The members of the Jury Board are:

- Virginia Antonson - St. JosephChairperson
- Debra Kamer - Eau ClaireVice Chairperson
- Linda Cheek - StevensvilleMember
- Melissa Clapper - Benton HarborAlternate
- Sharon J. Tyler, Clerk of the Board..... County Clerk



Galien River County Park - View from Upper Deck "Autumn"

BOARD OF ELECTION CANVASSERS

County Clerk's Office
811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8368

The Berrien County Board of Election Canvassers is comprised of four members: two Republicans and two Democrats. The Canvassers are responsible for certifying the results of all elections held within the county as well as recounts held in any city, township, village or school district. The members of the Canvassers are:

Cheryl Warner, Republican.....Chair
Jess Minks, Democrat.....Vice Chair
Sharon Geisler, Republican.....Member
Greta Van Bree, Democrat.....Member
Sharon J. Tyler.....Clerk of the Board

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Courthouse, 811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8602

The Building and Grounds Department is responsible for the day-to-day operations, repairs, maintenance and custodial services for all Berrien County owned buildings, parking lots and grounds.

J. Todd Johnson.....Superintendent
Robert Ray.....Assistant Superintendent
Pixie Nitz.....Department Administrative Secretary
Mike Fellner.....Maintenance Supervisor
Sylvester Harris.....Evening Supervisor

BUILDING AUTHORITY

Berrien County Administration
701 Main Street, St. Joseph MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8095

The Building Authority is the Body which issues and oversees capital improvements for county and some local facilities, primarily through issuance of bonds.

William Wolf.....County Administrator, Secretary
Doug James.....Financial Services Director, Treasurer
Kenneth Wendzel.....Chair
Forrest "Nick" Jewell.....Co-Chair
Tom Jacobs.....Member

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Berrien County Administration Center, Fourth Floor
701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext: 8617 / Fax: (269) 982-8611

The Berrien County Community Development Department oversees Economic Development, Planning, Transportation, Housing, Public Works, Brownfield Redevelopment, St. Joseph River Harbor Authority and Solid Waste Management. The Department works closely with community leaders and governments to coordinate their activities that deal with attracting and maintaining businesses within Berrien County through pooling resources. It is also the focal point for many projects that are multi-governmental. The Berrien County Community Development Department is the resource that the community looks to for the coordination of programs that are grant or loan eligible.

Dan Fette Community Development Director
Catherine Montoya Assistant Director / Housing Coordinator
Kimberly Fedison..... Economic Development Specialist
Jennifer Arent Community Development Technician
Evan Smith Transportation & Planning Coordinator

BROWNFIELD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BOARD

Board meetings are the 2nd Thursday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

Larry Klett Teri Sue Freehling Lee VanGinhoven
Jeanette Leahey Michael Majerek

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

This Board is the issuing authority for Tax Exempt Revenue Bonds for Berrien County. Board meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

William J. Chickering Milt Richter Manfred Walgram
Jon Hinkelman Don Ryman Mamie Yarbrough
Marlene Kramer Gregory Vaughn Mark Joseph

LAND BANK AUTHORITY

This board meets on the 4th Thursday of each month at 2:00 p.m. at 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085

Calli Berg Dave Vollrath
Stephen Mitchell Bret Witkowski, Treasurer
Ezra Scott Mamie Yarbrough
Stephen W. Smith

LAND PRESERVATION BOARD

Meetings are contingent upon updates.

Donald Baiers	Local Elected Official
Lois Foster	Farmer
Jon Hinkelman	Commissioner Representative
Ed Kretchman	Farmer
Rodney Krieger	Planning Commission
Chris Marzke	Realtor/Developer
Dale Robson	Farmer
Richard Schinkel	Natural Conservancy
Vacant	Local Elected Official

LOAN ADMINISTRATION BOARD

Board meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

Jim Curran	Milt Richter	Manfred Walgram
Jon Hinkelman	Don Ryman	Mamie Yarbrough
Marlene Kramer	Gregory Vaughn	Vacant

PLANNING COMMISSION

This board meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 2:30 p.m. at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085.

Lois Foster	Rodney Krieger, Jr.	Julia Smith
Teri Sue Freehling	Eric Lester	Vickie Wagner
Gregory Lammert	James Meister	Les White
J.B. Hoyt	James Schueneman	

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION LOCAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

This board meets three times per year at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

Cindy Gray	Hanna Lei-Sam	Jackie Shuey
Mark A. Johnson	Benjamin Shoemaker	Tim Smith
Pamela Kahanek		

PUBLIC WORKS BOARD

This board meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at the Berrien County Administration Building, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

Rachel Bernard
Matthew Kolcz
Conrad Larson

Don Meeks
Christopher Quattrin
William Smith

Dale Sorget
Glenn Zerler

SOLID WASTE PLANNING COMMITTEE

Meetings are contingent upon plan updates.

Daniel Batts
Joan Brown
Emily Heenan

Larry Klett
David Masiokas
Matthew Moser
Paul Pantaleo
Bette Pierman

Ezra Scott
Charles Sittig
Henry Valkema
Vacant
Vacant



Galien River County Park - Upper Deck - "Birding Group"



COUNTY ADMINISTRATION

Berrien County Administration Center
701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085



CORPORATE COUNSEL * (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8416 * Fax: (269) 983-5788

Corporate Counsel serves as the attorney representing county boards, commissions, elected officials and other aspects of county government for matters which are civil in nature.

James T. McGovern.....Corporate Counsel

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR * (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8095 * Fax: (269) 983-5788

William Wolf.....County Administrator
Annette Krieger-Christie.....Administrative Assistant

PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT * (269) 983-7111 Ext: 8616 * Fax: (269) 983-5788

The Personnel Department is responsible for the administration of the following primary functions for all County employees under the jurisdiction of the Board of Commissioners. Direct supervision is provided by the County Administrator.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: Analysis of specific administrative problems and recommendations for resolution, recommendations on staff and organizational design;

CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE ADMINISTRATION: Wage and salary policies, position analysis and evaluation, salary recommendations and administration;

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS: Collective bargaining, union contract administration, grievance procedure, supervision of employee discipline and separation procedures, employment of legal counsel with approval of Personnel and Human Services Committee;

EMPLOYEE SERVICES: Employee benefits, pension plan, training and development, new hire processing, exit interviews and other miscellaneous employee services;

EMPLOYEE PRACTICES: Assists department heads in the recruitment, certification and selection process; posts all vacancies; and provides testing for county positions.

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES: Development, revision and publication of uniform personnel policies and procedures;

RESEARCH AND STANDARDS: The development and maintenance of personnel records, special reports required by Federal and State government;

SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAMS: Safety programs, loss control administration, workers' compensation and group insurance claims and administrative services.

Shelley Jasper.....Human Resources Director
Amy Pheifer.....Benefits Manager
Linda Carroll.....Personnel/Legal Assistant
Olivia Nichols.....Payroll Coordinator



COUNTY CLERK

The County Clerk is an elected official with a four-year term of office as provided by the Michigan Constitution. The duties of the Clerk are prescribed by law and include: Clerk of the Circuit Court, Clerk of the Family Court, Clerk of the Board of Commissioners, Clerk of the County Election Canvassers, Clerk of the Election Commission, Clerk of the Jury Board, Clerk of the Plat Board, Registrar of Vital Records and Clerk of the Road Commission.

The Clerk is the chief election official of the County and supervises all national, state and local elections. Administration of the Michigan Campaign Finance Reporting Act is also the responsibility of the Clerk.

In addition, the Clerk administers and accounts for County disbursements and claims settlements; the Clerk also executes the majority of County contracts and obligations.

The Clerk issues marriage licenses, birth certificates, death certificates, concealed weapons licenses, military discharge records, notary bonds, assumed name certificates, co-partnership certificates and veteran's ID cards.

The County Clerk maintains an office in the Administration Building, St. Joseph Courthouse as well as in the South County Building in the City of Niles for the convenience of the South County residents. In addition to the above services, the South County Clerk's Office also sells dog licenses and annual Parks passes.

HOURS OPEN TO GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH: Monday 8:30 am to 12:30 pm, Wednesday 8:30 – 4:30 and Friday – 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Records and Microfilm Department located at 2100 E. Empire, Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022.

The following administrative rules have been approved by the Michigan Department of Public Health to comply with provisions of Public Act 368, 1978 as amended.

- I. Birth Records
 - a. Birth indexes are not available for public inspection.
 - b. Birth records are not available for inspection except when a local registrar determines that a person eligible to receive a copy of a selected record has a legitimate research interest in inspecting the record.
 - c. Upon written request and payment of the required fee a local registrar may issue a certified copy of a birth record to:
 1. The individual who is the subject of the birth record.
 2. A parent named in the birth record.
 3. An heir.
 4. A legal representative or legal guardian.
 5. A court of competent jurisdiction.

II. Death, Marriage and Report of Divorce

- a. Indexes of death, marriage, divorce and annulment reports in possession of a local registrar must be made available for public inspection at times and places specified by the local registrar.
- b. Copies of individual marriage, death, divorce or annulment reports are available for inspection at a local registrar’s office to any individual eligible to receive a copy of the record who has a legitimate research interest in inspecting the record.
- c. Vital record books of marriages and deaths may be available for inspection by an individual eligible to receive a copy of the record and who has a legitimate research interest in inspecting the record when the record of interest cannot be located in the place specified in the index.

Sharon J. Tyler, County ClerkExt. 8241
 Diane Mensinger, Chief Deputy ClerkExt. 8332

COURTS / ELECTIONS

Courthouse - 811 Port St., St. Joseph, MI 49085

CIVIL COURT CLERKS

Sheila Beckmann, Circuit Court Clerk Manager.....Ext. 8383
 Katherine Felthouse, Asst. Circuit Court Clerk ManagerExt. 8384
 Donna Nowostawski, File Clerk.....Ext. 8382

CRIMINAL COURT CLERKS

Laura HaleyExt. 8385
 Julie BundesmanExt. 8466
 Lerita FellowsExt. 8377

CIRCUIT FILE CLERKS

Heidi ContiExt. 8736
 Connie WadeExt. 8227

DRUG COURT & DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT CLERK

Kristi AubreyExt. 8381

FAMILY FILE CLERKS

Sharon Hacker.....Ext. 8410
 Vacant.....Ext. 8364
 Sharon Jackson.....Ext. 8380

ELECTIONS

Sara Kirby, AdministratorExt. 8264
 Vacant, Campaign FinanceExt. 8388

NILES CLERK’S OFFICE

1205 N. Front Street, Niles, MI 49120

Jessica Ludwig, Branch Deputy Clerk..... Ext. 6288

VITAL RECORDS

Administration Center

701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085

Debbie Vitale, Office Manager..... Ext. 8236

Wendy Holt, Deputy Clerk Ext. 8239

Kara Reinhardt, Deputy Clerk..... Ext. 8230

Melanie Reynnells, Deputy Clerk Ext. 8229

Marcia Vernasco, Deputy Clerk Ext. 8202

Amy Young, Deputy Clerk..... Ext. 8228



COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION

County Clerk’s Office

811 Port Street

St. Joseph, MI 49085

Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8368

The Berrien County Election Commission is responsible for overseeing the printing of federal, state and county ballots, conducting clarity hearings in the event of a recall, and consolidating precincts for special school elections. The members of the commission are:

Mabel J. Mayfield.....Presiding Probate Judge

Sharon J. Tyler County Clerk

Bret Witkowski..... County Treasurer

DRAIN COMMISSIONER

Berrien County Administration Center

701 Main Street, St. Joseph MI 49085

Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8261

The County Drain Commissioner is responsible for the administration of the State Drain Laws (P.A. 40 of 1956, as amended). His major duties include: processing petitions for construction of new or major and minor repair of existing drains; apportioning costs of the projects or maintenance among properties according to the benefits received; supervising regular maintenance on existing drains; and maintaining records of all county drains. The Drain Office is also the enforcing agent for the Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Act (P.A. 347 of 1972) for the County of Berrien, and oversees the stormwater site reviews of projects in the county as needed.

Christopher QuattrinDrain Commissioner

Anne Hendrix..... Chief of Staff

Jeannine TotzkeDrain Assessment Specialist

Office Staff..... Soil Erosion Compliance

EQUALIZATION

Berrien County Administration Center, 701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8215

The County Equalization Department prepares the Equalization Report for the Board of Commissioners in order to establish the equalized property tax base for the County. They also assist various assessors throughout the county.

Anthony E. Meyaard.....Director
Kari Puckett.....Deputy Director
Michele Bennet.....Appraiser MCAO
JoAnn LaBaumbard.....Appraiser MCAO
Lyndsey Shembarger.....Appraiser MCAO
Jennifer Woodley.....Appraiser MCAO
Katie Bauer.....Data Coordinator

FINANCIAL SERVICES

Berrien County Administration Center, 701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext: 8214

The Financial Services Department's primary function is to maintain and safeguard Berrien County's funds by performing the following duties: Maintaining general ledgers, monitoring each fund, budgets, cash flow, accounts payable, payroll, overseeing the county audit, financial statements and reports and any other financial duties required to assist the Board of Commissioners and Chief Financial Officer in sound financial planning and performance.

Douglas D. James Director of Financial Services
Ben ReynnellsAssistant Director/Budget Coordinator
Stephanie Carlson..... Financial Services Accountant
Jake Litaker Financial Accountant/Analyst
Debra JasperAccounts Payable Specialist
Cheryl Vance Accounting Coordinator

GIS MAPPING/LAND DESCRIPTION

Fourth Floor, Administration Center, 701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8300

Geographic Information System / Land Description:

Development of a comprehensive geographic information system (GIS) will provide a valuable tool for more efficient and effective access, linking, analysis and maintenance of information for and about the county and its citizens. The maintenance of the property descriptions, taxpayer name, and address records, property maps and aerial photography for all 39 local assessing units (22 townships, 8 cities, and 9 villages) in the County is an important function as well.

Lex Winans.....Director
Stephanie Bean.....Land Description Specialist
Erika Espeland.....GIS Coord./Web Administrator
Larry Shooks.....GIS Technician
Georgiana Hucko..... Land Description Technician

BERRIEN MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

(Riverwood Board)

Riverwood Center, 1485 S. M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Phone: (269) 925-0585 / Fax: (269) 925-0070

Regular meetings of the Mental Health Board are typically held the third Wednesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. in the Rivers Room in building II at 1485 M-139, Benton Township. Variations to this day, time, or place are posted at www.riverwoodcenter.org.

Reema Sarkar, Director	3/31/2020
Dara Sinnett, Director	3/31/2020
Lynn Todman, Director	3/31/2020
Shannon Trecartin, Director	3/31/2020
Michael Majerek, Board of Commissioners	3/31/2019
Edward Meny, Director	3/31/2019
E. Arthur Robinson, Director	3/31/2019
Marion Maier, Chairperson	3/31/2019
Debra Panozzo, Board of Commissioners	3/31/2018
Dr. Alice Williams, Vice Chair	3/31/2018
Randy S. Hyrns, Director	3/31/2018
Nancy Johnson, Director	3/31/2018

BOARD OF HEALTH

Health Department - 2149 E. Napier Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Phone: (269) 926-7121

The Berrien County Board of Health provides policy leadership and oversight for the Health Department. The Board of Health is comprised of seven (7) individuals who have been appointed (or re-appointed) for five (5) year terms by the Berrien County Board of Commissioners.

The Board of Health conducts regular public meetings once a month (usually the first Wednesday of the month) beginning at 8:00 a.m. usually at the main office located at 2149 E Napier Ave., Benton Harbor. Duties and powers include: (1) Promote and advocate public health policies; (2) Identify and prioritize public health problems; (3) Monitor fiscal activities of the department; (4) Advise the Board of Commissioners on rules/regulations to protect and promote the public's health; and (5) Establish fees.

Margaret Kohring.....	Chairman (4/2019)
Joseph Wasserman.....	Member (4/2022)
Duane C. McBride, Ph.D.	Member (4/2021)
John Carter, M.D.	Member (4/2020)
Vanessa Brown.....	Member (4/2019)
Linda Strohl	Member (4/2019)
Raymond Matejczyk	Member (4/2018)
Bill Chickering.....	Board Liaison



HEALTH DEPARTMENT

2149 E. Napier Ave., Benton Harbor, MI

Receptionist.....(269) 926-7121
Fax: (269) 926-8129

Environmental Health Services(269) 927-5623
Fax: (269) 927-2960

Sexual Health Clinic(269) 927-5658
Fax: (269) 925-8830

Women, Infant & Children (WIC)(269) 927-5646
Fax: (269) 927-5609

21 N. Elm Street, Three Oaks, MI

General Information.....(269) 756-2008
Fax: (269) 756-2010

1205 N. Front Street, Suite 900, Niles, MI

General Information.....(269) 684-2800
Fax: (269) 684-3879

Nicole R. Britten, MPH.....Health Officer/Director
Frederick Johansen, MD, MPH..... Medical Director
Courtney Davis, MPH.....Deputy Health Officer
Gillian Conrad, MPH..... Communications Manager
Lisa Ankenbruck, CPA..... Business Manager
Nick Margaritis, RS, MS Environmental Health Services Manager
Peggy Hamel, RN, CPNP, BSN....Clinical & Community Health Services Manager

Medical Examiner:

Frederick A. Johansen, MD, MPH..... Chief Medical Examiner
Larry Wyle, MD..... Deputy Medical Examiner
Mary Kleesz Baker..... Chief Administrative Medical Examiner Investigator



INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Courthouse - 811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8604

The Information Systems Department is responsible for developing and maintaining information processing facilities and services for all county agencies and offices. The Department also provides information processing services on a contract basis to all local units of government in the County.

Ken Hoffman.....Director
Chris Swihart Operations Manager
Dan Utroske.....Application Support Manager



LEGAL SERVICES

LEGAL AID OF WESTERN MICHIGAN

901 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-6363 / Toll Free: 1-800-310-2798
Fax: (269) 983-1916 / Call Center: 1-888-783-8190
Office Hours: Mon-Friday, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Juan Salazar.....Director
Mary Ellen Drolet..... Deputy Director
Mary M. LaSata Spiegel Managing Attorney
Clark R. Clawson.....Attorney
Brenda L. Knapp..... Legal Assistant

LEGAL AID OF WESTERN MICHIGAN (NILES)

1109 Bell Road, Niles, MI 49120
Phone: (269) 684-2920 Fax: (269) 684-1089
Call Center: 1-888-783-8190

Mary Ellen Drolet.....Deputy Director of Legal Aid of Western Michigan



MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

1737 Hillandale Road, Benton Harbor, MI 49022
 Phone: (269) 927-5674
 Fax: (269) 944-4128
 Website: <http://www.msue.msu.edu/berrien>
 Email: msue.berrien@county.msu.edu
 Hours: Mon – Fri. 8:30 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 5:00

Michigan State University Extension helps people improve their lives through an educational process that applies knowledge to critical issues, needs, and opportunities.

Extension provides information and offers on-going (base) educational programs in three areas:

**AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
 CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILY
 COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Joanne Davidhizar.....MSU Product Center Counselor
 Brad Baughman..... Commercial Fruit Educator
 Debra K. Barrett..... Senior Extension Educator
 Khurram Imam..... Financial Program Instructor
 Jamie Styburski..... Secretary/Horticulture Technician
 Jennifer Young.....Clerical/Finances

NUTRITION AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY PROGRAMS

1737 Hillandale Road, Benton Harbor, MI 49022
 Phone: (269) 927-5674 / Fax: (269) 944-4128
 Hours: Mon - Fri, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Our programs are offered to low-income clients in Berrien County. There is no fee for our service. We offer the following educational programs:

- EFNEP - For families with dependent children (Nutrition, Physical Activity and Budgeting)
- SNAP-Ed - For seniors and adults without dependent children (Nutrition, Physical Activity and Budgeting)
- Youth Nutrition - Nutrition Education and Physical Activity to school age children

Zelda Felix-Mottley Supervising Extension Educator

MOTOR POOL

2100 E. Empire Avenue, Benton Harbor, MI 49022
 Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 4604

The staff of this department maintains and repairs all the County vehicles.

Ken Dudiak.....Auto Fleet Manager
 Daniel Knapp..... Auto Tech
 John Krogel..... Auto Tech



Silver Beach County Park



Galien River County Park

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

Administration Center, 701 Main St.,Fourth Floor, St. Joseph MI 49085

Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8435

It is the mission of the Berrien County Parks and Recreation Commission to plan, acquire, develop and maintain, in cooperation with all interested individuals and groups, a responsive, efficient and creative natural resource based park and recreation system available to all citizens, composed of a variety of services, park areas and special facilities that contribute to the well-being of the individual, the family and the attractiveness, social and economic health of the Berrien County community. The Commission operates Love Creek County Park and Nature Center, Madeline Bertrand, Rocky Gap, Galien River and Silver Beach County Parks.

Brian Bailey	Director
Kip Miller.....	Chief Naturalist
Pat Underwood.....	Naturalist
Mark Huebner.....	Parks Operations Manager
Jay Dean	Park Manager
Jill Adams	Environmental Property Manager
Derek Tyler	Assistant Park Manager
Timothy Mance	Park Maintenance Worker
Dan Underwood.....	Park Maintenance Worker
Sue Patzer.....	Administrative Assistant

BERRIEN COUNTY HISTORICAL COURTHOUSE

313 N. Cass Street, Berrien Springs, MI 49103 (269) 417-1202

GALIEN RIVER COUNTY PARK

17424 Red Arrow Highway, New Buffalo, MI 49117(269) 983-7111 Ext. 8435

LOVE CREEK NATURE CENTER

9292 Huckleberry Road, Berrien Center, MI 49102..... (269) 471-2617

MADELINE BERTRAND COUNTY PARK

3038 Adams Road, Niles, MI 49120..... (269) 683-8280

ROCKY GAP COUNTY PARK

1100 Rocky Gap Road, Benton Harbor, MI 49022(269) 983-7111 Ext. 8435

SILVER BEACH COUNTY PARK

101 Broad Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085.....(269) 982-0533

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSIONERS

Richard Schinkel.....	Chairperson
Carl Keefer	Vice Chairman
Christopher Quattrin	Secretary
J.B. Hoyt.....	Member
Chuck Baran.....	Member
Anthony Korican	Member
Julia LaSata.....	Member
Bill Chickering.....	Member
August Zielke.....	Member
Mamie Yarbrough	Member

PLAT BOARD - BERRIEN COUNTY

Register of Deeds Office
701 Main Street, St. Joseph MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8562

The Board is created by State law (Act 288 of 1967) and is comprised of the Register of Deeds, County Clerk and County Treasurer who serve as Chairman, Secretary and Member respectively. The Board is responsible for the examination and approval or disapproval of all proposed new subdivision plats.

Lori D. Jarvis, Register of Deeds.....Chairperson
Sharon J. Tyler, County Clerk.....Secretary
Bret Witkowski, Treasurer.....Member

PLAT COORDINATING COMMITTEE

Register of Deeds Office
701 Main Street, St. Joseph MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8562

This Committee was formed in Berrien County in 1976 and provided for by State Statute in 2005 (MCL 560 sec III) for the purpose of providing a preliminary review of proposed plats and to afford the proprietor the opportunity of obtaining advice and assistance of the reviewing agencies prior to incurring the expense of platting.

Lori D. Jarvis..... Register of Deeds
Sharon J. Tyler County Clerk
Lex Winans..... GIS / Mapping Department
Bret Witkowski..... County Treasurer
Christopher QuattrinDrain Commissioner

Representatives from:

American Electric Power
Ameritech and Verizon Telephone Companies
District Soil Conservationist
Health Department
Local Municipality
Michigan Gas Utilities
Planning & Public Works
Proprietor or Agent
Road Commission
Semco Energy

PRINTING DEPARTMENT

2100 E. Empire Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 4630

Juli Corcoran, Manager/Graphic Design/Layout..... Ext. 4630
Eric Braley, Imaging Technician Ext. 4645
Jami Leach, Imaging Technician Ext. 4645



Berrien County Printing



PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Courthouse, 811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8311

Michael Sepic	Prosecuting Attorney
Jennifer Smith.....	Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Steve Pierangeli	Chief Trial Prosecuting Attorney
Patricia Ceresa	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Meghan Hurley	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Kate Arnold	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Aaron Mead	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Amy Byrd	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Elizabeth Peterson	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Mark Sanford	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Ben Haider.....	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Russell Szwabowski	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Jeffrey Taylor	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Jane Wainwright	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Cara Wilkinson	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Beth Wild	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Carrie Beal.....	Extraditions/Forfeitures
Cathy Vawter	Office Administrator

FORENSIC LABORATORY

Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI 49103	(269) 471-2287
John Rorabeck	Chief Analyst
David Nowack.....	Coordinator of Services
Michael Sepic	Project Director

NILES OFFICE

1205 N. Front Street, Niles, MI 49120	(269) 684-5274
Cortney O'Malley-Septoski	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Gerald Vigansky	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Lisa Casto.....	Victim Advocate

CHILD SUPPORT ESTABLISHMENT DIVISION

Dept. of Human Services, 408 Eighth St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022	(269) 934-2250
Mary Malesky	Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Michael Bond.....	Investigator
Rosemarie Brock.....	Investigator

VICTIM/WITNESS SERVICES

Prosecutor's Office, Courthouse, St. Joseph, MI 49085	(269) 983-7111 Ext. 8311
Carolyn Groen	Program Coordinator
Cat Reifschneider	Advocate
Ruth Young	Victim Witness Assistant



PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE

100 Church Street
St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 982-8698 Ext. 8698
Fax: (269) 982-8693

The Berrien County Public Defenders' Office was created by the Berrien County Board of Commissioners on 10/13/2016. The office became operational on January 1, 2017.

Carl MacPherson, Public Defender Ext. 8550

Assistant Public Defenders

Jonathan Baber Ext. 8558
Brandon Barthelemy Ext. 8563
Stephanie Farkas Ext. 8556
Jenn Fields Ext. 8560
Jennifer Lamp Ext. 8557
Kaitlin Locke Ext. 8561
Scott Sanford Ext. 6231
Ryan Seale Ext. 8559

Administrative Staff

Gina Reitz Ext. 8555
Kristina Blackmore Ext. 8554

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR - BERRIEN COUNTY

610 Ship St., P.O. Box 290, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-0551

According to Michigan statute, the Attorney General is responsible for appointing county public administrators. The County Public Administrator has oversight responsibilities in deceased estate probate matters where there are no heirs or unknown heirs and no will. State law defines who is considered an heir. If a person dies and has no living relatives and leaves no will, then the County Public Administrator is appointed by the county probate judge to be the personal representative of the estate. The County Public Administrator ensures all bills are paid and the remaining estate assets are sent to the State of Michigan. The County Public Administrator acts as a fiduciary to ensure unclaimed estate assets properly go to the State Treasurer on behalf of the people of the State of Michigan.

Jim Riemland Attorney at Law

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Berrien County Administration Center
701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8200 / Fax: (269) 982-8668

Berrien County Purchasing consists of Purchasing and Central Supply.

The Purchasing Department is responsible for procuring all goods and services required throughout the County of Berrien. Central Supply is responsible for purchasing bulk commodities such as paper, envelopes, file folders & miscellaneous supplies for the entire county.

Purchasing Agent Ext. 8200

RECORDS AND MICROFILM

2100 E. Empire Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 4640

Chris Hartman Records Manager - Ext. 4631
Tammy Krolzick Records Coordinator - Ext. 4642
Kevin Ludwig Records Clerk - Ext. 4640
Jackie Shuey Records Clerk - Ext. 4640



REGISTER OF DEEDS

Berrien County Administration Center, 3rd Floor
701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8562

Email: rod@berriencounty.org

Website: www.berriencounty.org/registerofdeeds

The Register of Deeds Office records official documents, both paper and electronic, affecting property ownership such as warranty and quit-claim deeds, plats, mortgages, liens, fixture filings, land contracts, court orders, and many other legal documents. Sheriff deeds are recorded and redeemable through this office. Also, the Real Estate Transfer Tax is administered by the Register of Deeds, and the Michigan State Remonumentation fees are collected and dispersed. All documents recorded are permanent and open to the public. Indexes for the documents may be accessed and documents may be purchased in the office or via the Internet at regofdeeds.berriencounty.org, or by contacting the office.

The Register of Deeds is responsible for all land records dating back to 1831 and forward.

Lori D. Jarvis Register of Deeds
Rhonda Rockhill Chief Deputy



ROAD DEPARTMENT

2860 E. Napier Ave.
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Phone: (269) 925-1196 or 1-800-442-0734 (within 269 area)

Fax: (269) 925-8098

Email: info@bcroad.org Website: www.berriencounty.org/1365/Road-Department

Jason Latham.....Director

SELF HELP LEGAL RESOURCE CENTER

Berrien County Courthouse
811 Port Street - 2nd floor
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-7111, Ext. 8793
Fax: (269) 982-8656

Hours: 8:30am - Noon & 1pm - 4:30pm
Monday through Friday

South County Courthouse
1205 N. Front Street
Niles, MI 49120
(269) 684-5274, Ext. 6202
Fax: (269) 687-1276

Hours: 9am - Noon & 1pm - 4:30pm
Wednesdays Only

The Self-Help Legal Resource Center (S-H LRC) has two locations; 2nd floor of the St. Joseph courthouse and in Niles at the South County Building. The Niles office is only open to the public on Wednesdays. Its function is to provide information and materials to those who represent themselves in family and civil proceedings in court. No legal advice is given. Staff and trained volunteers work with a party to increase understanding of the legal system, help determine specific needs, assist with form completion and make appropriate referrals to an attorney, another organization, or community services. Information available includes the following types of proceedings:

- Divorce
- Child Custody
- Parenting Time
- Child Support
- Protection Order
- Paternity
- Change of Domicile
- Expungements
- Landlord/Tenant
- Small Claims
- Name Changes
- Guardianship
- Conservatorship
- Small Estates

Dee Kuelbs, Coordinator Ext. 8742



Galien River County Park - Lower Deck



SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

919 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085

Emergency Calls: 9-1-1

Administrative Calls: (269) 983-7141

Website: www.bcsheriff.org



From Niles, Buchanan, Galien.....(269) 684-5274
 From Bridgman, New Troy, Sawyer.....(269) 983-7111
 From Three Oaks, New Buffalo, Union Pier, Lakeside.....(269) 756-9572

The Sheriff is the chief executive charged with law enforcement and the preservation of peace within the County. He has custody of the jail and of the prisoners lodged within. He must promote domestic tranquility in the County, is the court officer of the Circuit Court and must serve all writs, processes and warrants and make proper return thereof.

L. Paul Bailey.....Sheriff
 Chuck Heit.....Undersheriff
 Robert Boyce..... Chief Deputy
 Rockey Adams.....Captain
 Randall Miller.....Captain
 Brian Wilkey.....Captain

DETECTIVES

Lt. Gregory Sanders	Sgt. Cathy Easton	Sgt. Joseph Margherone
	Sgt. Cory Peek	

LIEUTENANTS

Chris Aungst	Julia Flick	Robert Mazurek
Rick Biggart	Eric Hyun	Mark McKie
Corey Burks	Dan Jewell	Joshua Sutherland
Steve Campbell	Scott Kuhl	James Zehm
Jeff Duffield	Martin Kurtz	David Zizkovsky

SERGEANTS

Ron Bush	Richard Johnson	Ryan Sullivan
Celena Herbert	Fred Laesch	Jacob Will
Kevin Holt	Justin O'Brien	Shawn Yech
Erin Kuhl	Sean Soulard	



**911 ADMINISTRATION
COUNTY PUBLIC-SAFETY DISPATCH**

2100 E. Empire
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 983-3060 Ext. 4900
Fax: (269) 982-8628

This department oversees the 911 system and public safety dispatch.

Dave Agens, 911 Administrator Ext. 4958
Caitlin Sampsell, Asst. Dispatch Center Director..... Ext. 4967
Dennis Sexton, 911 Service Specialist Ext. 4953
Tami Smith, 911 Service Specialist..... Ext. 4979

911 ADVISORY BOARD

(3-Year Terms)

Jim Curran, Board of Commissioners..... 12/31/2020
Jack Fisher/Kim Jefferies, Medical Control Authority 12/31/2020
Ted Post, Citizen Rep 12/31/2020
Marvin T. Pschigoda, Citizen Rep..... 12/31/2020
Bruce Stover/Rich Knuth, Firefighters Rep..... 12/31/2020
Bobby Daniel, Citizen Rep..... 12/31/2020
Dave Chandler, MI Twp Association Rep. 12/31/2019
Jeanette Leahey, Board of Commissioners..... 12/31/2019
Paul Bailey / Chuck Heit, Sheriff’s Dept. 12/31/2019
Jim Millin / Jenny Sullivan, PSAP 12/31/2019
James Stormont, Citizen Rep..... 12/31/2019
Dan Sullivan, Police Services Council..... 12/31/2019
Dave Agens, County PSAP 12/31/2018
Todd Taylor, Police Services Council..... 12/31/2018
Melinda Logan, Alt., MI State Police Rep. 12/31/2018
Mike Davidson, Firefighters Rep 12/31/2018
Ken Hoffman, Information Systems Director 12/31/2018
Vacant, Medical Control Authority..... 12/31/2017

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Berrien County Emergency Management provides for the mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery from natural and human-made disasters within Berrien County. It is responsible for staffing and functioning of the Berrien County Emergency Operating Center (EOC) in times of a nuclear accident, enemy attack, natural or technological disasters, maintains a list of county resources and capabilities in time of disaster, provides direction and control of public shelters during periods of emergency, as well as information and advice to the public. Assists local municipalities and public institutions with emergency planning and procedures.

L. Paul Bailey..... Administrator
Rockey Adams..... Captain
Gayle Bassett Technician

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS RELIEF COMMISSION

Veterans Office
701 Main St., St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 8224

Lee LullChairman
Dan Stice Commissioner
R. Bryce Glenn Commissioner

SURVEYOR

John G. Kamer, P.S., c/o Wightman & Associates, Inc.
2303 Pipestone Road, Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 927-0100, Fax: (269) 927-1300

The County Surveyor's primary task is to oversee the County Remonumentation Program. This is a State mandated program self funded by document recording fees. Local surveyors are contracted through the County for the systematic maintenance and preservation of the 3067 Government Corners in Berrien County. These corners are the reference points for the description and location of every piece of land in Berrien County used directly or indirectly by surveyors, attorneys, realtors, title companies and property owners.

John G. Kamer, PS..... County Surveyor

TREASURER

Berrien County Administration Center
701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8569

The principal functions of the County Treasurer's Office are to receive, maintain custody of and disburse all county monies; maintain records of receipts and disbursements of monies from all County departments; collect and distribute to all county governmental units delinquent property taxes; manages the investment of monies of the County; prepares and manages the county's delinquent tax reversion process; sells dog licenses.

Bret Witkowski.....Treasurer
Shelly Weich..... Deputy Treasurer





TRIAL COURT
 811 Port Street
 St. Joseph, Michigan 49085
 Phone: (269) 983-7111



The Michigan Supreme Court has designated the Berrien County Courts as a consolidation site for the merger of the District Court, Probate Court and Circuit Court into a single Trial Court.

- Gary Bruce, Trial Court Chief Judge..... Ext. 8390
- Carrie Smietanka-Haney, Trial Court Administrator..... Ext. 8395
- Amanda Hansbro, Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8453
- Frank Sampsell, Support Services Manager..... Ext. 8347

The Trial Court is divided into divisions, as follows:

CIVIL DIVISION

The Civil Division has jurisdiction over all civil suits, without regard to the monetary amount of the controversy, including small claims and landlord/tenant summary proceedings.

Clerks(269) 982-8683

- John M. Donahue, Presiding Judge..... Ext. 8739**
- Denise Lane, Judicial Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8739
- Dennis Wiley, Judge Ext. 8764
- Pat Pomeroy, Judicial Administrative Assistant Ext. 8764
- Vikram Arora, Law Clerk..... Ext. 8748
- Brandon Warzybok, Law Clerk..... Ext. 8468

Administration:

- Vacant, Civil-Criminal Division Administrator..... Ext. 8707
- Vacant, Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8745
- Deborah Butler, Supervisor Ext. 8725
- Lorraine Hanley, Assistant Supervisor..... Ext. 8776

CRIMINAL/TRAFFIC DIVISION

The Criminal Division has jurisdiction (including final disposition, sentencing and post sentencing functions) over all felonies, misdemeanors, ordinance and charter violations, appearance and traffic tickets.

- Criminal Department.....(269) 982-8682
- Traffic Department.....(269) 982-8680
- Judicial Offices(269) 982-8610

- Sterling R. Schrock, Presiding Judge Ext. 8734**
- Cristi Wright, Judicial Administrative Assistant Ext. 8734
- Scott Schofield, Judge..... Ext. 8750**
- Sherry Ruff, Judicial Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8750
- Donna Howard, Judge..... Ext. 8306**
- Lora Freehling, Judicial Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8306
- Arthur J. Cotter, Judge..... Ext. 8386**
- Samantha Henderson, Judicial Administrative Assistant..... Ext. 8386
- Caitlin Kato, Drug Treatment Court Ext. 8451

Administration:

Vacant, Civil-Criminal Division Administrator Ext. 8707
Vacant, Administrative Assistant Ext. 8745

Magistrates:

Steve Doak, Magistrate Ext. 8728

Collection Enforcement:

Clint Mettler Ext. 8409
Susan Akens Ext. 8362
Dianne Sarmiento Ext. 8363

DRUG COURT

Charles Lasata, Judge **Ext. 8196**
Jane Huebner, Judicial Administrative Assistant Ext. 8196
Frank Sampsell, Support Services Manager / Drug Court Manager Ext. 8347

MISDEMEANOR PROBATION

Main Extension Ext. 8606
Kamme Oler, Chief Probation Officer Ext. 8712
Case Compliance:
Wanda Scates Ext. 8717

FELONY PROBATION

Main Extension Ext. 8251
Amber Glendening, Chief Probation Officer (Dept. of Corrections) Ext. 8372

FRIEND OF THE COURT

Main Extension Ext. 8575
Thomas Watson, Director Ext. 8389
Lisa Jardine, Deputy Director Ext. 8387
Heather Castonguay, Administrative Assistant Ext. 8335
Patsy Hartzell, Attorney Referee Ext. 8342
Dale S. Murney, Attorney Referee Ext. 8357

Accounting/Payments:

Ray Copi, Supervisor Ext. 8256

Domestic Investigators **Ext. 8575**

Court Investigators - Enforcement Division **Ext. 8432**

Michael Slater, Supervisor Ext. 8464

FAMILY DIVISION

The Family Division has jurisdiction over cases previously heard in the Probate Court, including settlement and actions involving estates of deceased persons, probating wills, determinations for commitments of persons alleged to be mentally ill, protection of legally incapacitated persons. Jurisdiction over adoption matters and all divorces, delinquent children and children in need of protection. The Family Division has jurisdiction over criminal cases involving juveniles.

Mabel Mayfield, Presiding Judge	Ext. 8374
Kim Williams, Judicial Administrative Assistant	Ext. 8374
Brian Berger, Judge	Ext. 8376
Brenda Wolff, Judicial Administrative Assistant	Ext. 8376
Gary Bruce, Judge	Ext. 8390
Linda Hiler, Judicial Administrative Assistant	Ext. 8390
Domestic Relations File Clerks	Ext. 8380
Personal Protection Orders:	
Heidi Conti	Ext. 8736
Adoption Specialist:	
Cindy Wigent	Ext. 8454
Administration:	
Elvin W. Gonzalez, Family Division Administrator	Ext. 8615
Rebecca Cahill, Administrative Assistant	Ext. 8615
Finance Office:	
Lisa Kuntz, Accounting Manager	Ext. 8405
Intake	Ext. 8613
Jean Lawrence, Intake Manager	Ext. 8354
Steven Flood, Attorney Referee	Ext. 8450
Vacant, Attorney Referee	Ext. 8401
Probate Court	Ext. 8365
Jessica Brown, Probate Register	Ext. 8312
Court Services Division (St. Joseph)	Ext. 8613
Don Jardine, Probation Officer Supervisor	Ext. 8359
Michael Molloy, Probation Officer Supervisor	Ext. 8360
Court Services Division (South County)	(269) 684-5274

JUVENILE CENTER

Richard Dama - Director	(269) 471-2831
Kendell Casey, Clinical & Treatment Services Manager	(269) 471-2831



JURY CLERK

Jury Clerk Ext. 8723 or 8231
Jury Hotline.....(269) 982-8630

ADR / MEDIATION

Devyn Hanko, Civil Ext. 8695
Heather Castonguay, Family Ext. 8335



NILES DIVISION
1205 North Front Street
Niles, MI 49120
Phone: (269) 684-5274

The Niles Court is a Division of the Trial Court located in the South County Building. Judges preside over civil, criminal and traffic cases on a daily basis, Monday through Friday. A Family Division Judge may be scheduled to preside over Family Court matters at the South County Building.

Charles Lasata, Judge **Ext. 6272**
Jane Heubner, Judicial Administrative Assistant Ext. 6272
Brein Dyer, Office Manager Ext. 6270
Robert Clark - Attorney Magistrate Ext. 6265
Misdemeanor Probation..... **Ext. 6290**
Felony Probation **Ext. 6280**

TRIAL COURT FINANCIAL OFFICE

811 Port Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 8820

The Trial Court Financial Office provides centralized and consolidated functional accounting for the Trial Court and its divisions by performing the following duties: cashiering, accounts receivable, accounts payable, enforcement of court collections, monitoring court budget, administering the child care fund and producing court financial reports.

Lisa Kuntz, Accounting Manager Ext. 8405
Deb Narregan, Deputy Accounting Manager..... Ext. 8825
Enforcement - St. Joseph..... Ext. 8029
Enforcement - Niles Ext. 6240
Cashiering and Accounting..... Ext. 8820
Business Office - Family Division Ext. 8421

TRUST INVESTMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(3-Year Terms)

Berrien County Administration
701 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 8095

The Trust Investment Advisory Committee, established in 2012, is comprised of 4-6 individuals that will meet regularly with the Finance Committee. It is designed to provide a degree of continuity to the process of pension investment decision making. The Committee is advisory in nature only, and nothing in the establishment of the committee is intended to delegate the authority of the Finance committee or any other person or group.

James D. Roberts..... 6/7/2020
Robert Cultice..... 6/7/2019
Joseph Wasserman..... 6/7/2018



VETERAN'S SERVICE OFFICE

701 Main Street
St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111, Ext. 8224



This office assists veterans and their dependents with the filing of claims for compensation, pension, educational benefits, re-opening of claims and appeals, insurance, burials, grave markers, home loan applications, health care, notarization of documents, replace lost discharges, and many other personal issues which may arise and embrace the jurisdiction of the various governmental agencies, local, state and federal.

Lee LullDirector
Maureen AdamsVeterans Assistant

VETERAN'S TRUST FUND - MICHIGAN

701 Main Street, St. Joseph MI 49085
Phone: (269) 983-7111 Ext. 8510

HOURS: Tuesday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Paul Koth.....Authorized Agent
Bill Miller..... American Legion
Art Hawkins Disabled American Veterans
Lee Lull Independent Representative
Glenn Oppeneer, Jr..... Veterans of Foreign Wars

REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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BERRIEN REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE AGENCY (RESA)

711 St. Joseph Avenue, P.O. Box 364, Berrien Springs, MI 49103

Phone: (269) 471-7725 Fax: (269) 471-2941

Created in 1963 by legislative action which changed the Berrien County School District to the Berrien County Intermediate School District. Encompasses approximately 615 square miles, including all of Berrien County, plus parts of Cass and Van Buren Counties. With approval by the State Board of Education, the District officially changed its name to Berrien Regional Education Service Agency, effective July 1, 2008.

It has within its boundaries thirteen K-12 school districts, two K-8 school districts and three charter schools with a total school membership of about 26,000 students.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS:

Sharon Kalling President
Cathy J. Bair Vice-President
Linda Holt Treasurer
Tom Fanning Secretary
J. Allene Smith Trustee
Dr. Kevin Ivers Superintendent

Regular meetings of the Board of Education are held the second Monday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the Administrative Center. (October - February meetings at 1:00 p.m.)

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF:

Dr. Kevin Ivers, Superintendent Ext. 1150
Eric Hoppstock, Assistant Superintendent/CAO Ext. 1342
Lynda Hurlow, Executive Director, Human Resources Ext. 1102
Cyndi Ursprung, Director, General Education Ext. 1343
Chris Machiniak, Director, Career/Technical Education Ext. 1328
Kevin Clark, Director, Technology Services Ext. 1347
Karen Heath, Supervisor, Communications Ext. 1147
Jeff Jasper, Director, Business Services Ext. 1127
Kerenda Applebey, Director, Early Childhood Ext. 1330



KINEXUS - ECONOMY * WORKFORCE * COMMUNITY

(Formerly Michigan Works!)

330 West Main Street

Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Phone: (269) 927-1064

Website: www.kinexus.org

Kinexus is a non-profit organization that promotes economic vitality in our region by creating integrated solutions for business, workforce and community challenges.

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

TRAINING CENTER LOCATIONS:

Phone: (269) 927-1064

499 W. Main Street, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

601 Front Street, Dowagiac, MI 49047

32849 Red Arrow Highway, Paw Paw, MI 49079



Galien River County Park - Upper Walkway



REGION IV AREA AGENCY ON AGING, INC.

2900 Lakeview Avenue

St. Joseph, MI 49085

Phone: (269) 983-0177 / Fax: (269) 983-4028

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday

Email: tracymannlng@areaagencyonaging.org

Website: www.areaagencyonaging.org

2017 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERSHIP

Bernie Williams, Chair	(269) 445-9100
Donald Hanson, Vice-Chair	(269) 674-8780
Hon. Mabel Mayfield, Secretary	(269) 983-7111
Don Radde, Treasurer	(269) 982-1085
Dr. Ernest Buck.....	(269) 556-0242
Hillary Bubb	(269) 469-2569
E. Clark Cobb	(269) 782-5858
Brenda Cuddeback.....	(269) 657-1514
Jim Everett.....	(269) 983-2700
Richard Freestone	(269) 427-7674
Melinda Gruber.....	(269) 429-7100
Judy Janssen.....	(269) 674-3818
David Kirshenbaum	(269) 927-4067
Gall Patterson-Gladney	(269) 637-0862
Gladys Peeples-Burks	(269) 556-0242
Judy Rayman.....	(269) 427-7937
David Vollrath	(269) 519-4038

SOUTHWEST MICHIGAN PLANNING COMMISSION



376 W. Main St., Suite 130

Benton Harbor, MI 49022-3651

Phone: (269) 925-1137

K. John Egelhaaf, Executive Director

Website: www.swmpc.org

The Southwest Michigan Planning Commission (SWMPC) is a regional planning organization established to cooperatively engage in planning that addresses issues affecting Berrien, Cass and Van Buren Counties. In addition, the SWMPC is a federally-designated Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MPO), the regional economic development planning district of the Federal Economic Development Administration (EDA), and a local affiliate agency of the Library of Michigan. The SWMPC provides technical or management assistance to local units of government in the areas of environmental and water use planning, grant writing, grant administration, recreation planning, Census and other demographic data and traffic studies.

The SWMPC is governed by a voluntary board comprised of county commissioners, city and township representatives, and appointed citizens representing Berrien, Cass and Van Buren Counties. The full Board meets on the third Tuesday of January, April, July and October.

2017 SWMC OFFICERS:

Don Hanson.....	Chairman
Teri Sue Freehling	Vice Chairman
Yemi Akinwale	Treasurer
Linda Preston	Secretary
Richard Remus.....	Alternate Treasurer
Kristen Gundersen.....	Alternate Secretary

COMMISSIONERS SERVING 2 YEAR TERMS **TERM ENDS**

William Chickering, Commissioner Representative (2 yr term)	12/2018
Jim Curran, Commissioner Representative (2 yr term)	12/2018
Teri Sue Freehling, Commissioner Representative (2 yr term).....	12/2018
Ezra Scott, Commissioner Representative (2 yr term)	12/2018

APPOINTED BY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS **TERM ENDS**

Yemi Akinwale, Citizen Representative (3 yr term).....	12/2017
Marge Durm-Hiatt, Citizen Representative (3 yr term)	12/2018
Dan Fette, Citizen Representative (3 yr term)	12/2018
Jesse Minks, Citizen Representative (3 yr term)	12/2017
Richard Remus, Citizen Representative (3 yr term)	12/2018
Don Ryman, Citizen Representative (3 yr term).....	12/2017
James Schueneman, Citizen Representative (3 yr term).....	12/2017

APPOINTED BY MICHIGAN TOWNSHIPS ASSOCIATION BERRIEN CHAPTER
(2 year term)

Gloria Payne	Townships' At-Large Representative
Paul Pantaleo	Townships' At-Large Representative

MUNICIPAL APPOINTMENTS *(Based on office and population, no term limit)*

Sharon Henderson	Alternate, City of Benton Harbor Mayor
Kristen Gunderson.....	Alternate, City of St. Joseph Mayor
Vacant	Alternate, City of Niles Mayor
Calli Berg	Alternate, Benton Charter Township Supervisor
Dick Stauffer	Lincoln Charter Township Supervisor
Denise Cook	Alternate, St. Joseph Charter Township Supervisor
Mike Hildebrand.....	Oronoko Township Supervisor
Jim Stover.....	Alternate, Niles Township Supervisor

REPRESENTATIVES SERVING 2 YEAR TERMS **TERM ENDS**

Yemi Akinwale, Citizen Representative	12/2019
Dick Stauffer, Townships Representative	12/2019
Jim Stover, Townships Representative	12/2019
Marge Durm-Hiatt, Citizen Representative.....	12/2018
Dan Fette, Citizen Representative (3 yr term).....	12/2018
Kristen Gundersen, City Representative	12/2018
Paul Pantaleo, Townships Representative	12/2018
Gloria Payne, Townships Representative.....	12/2018
Don Ryman, Citizen Representative	12/2018
James Schueneman, Citizen Representative.....	12/2018

STATE OFFICIALS AND DEPARTMENTS



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STATE OFFICIALS

The Capitol, Lansing, MI 48902

Website: www.michigan.gov

Rick Snyder Governor
Brian Calley Lieutenant Governor
Ruth Johnson Secretary of State
Bill Schuette Attorney General
Nick A. Khouri State Treasurer
Doug Ringler Auditor General
Kirk T. Steudle Director of Michigan Department of Transportation

SUPREME COURT

Law Building, Lansing, MI 48902

(517) 373-0120

Website: www.courts.mi.gov/scao

Richard Bernstein, Justice 1/1/2023
Joan L. Larsen, Justice 1/1/2023
Brian K. Zahra, Justice 1/1/2023
Bridget Mary McCormack, Justice 1/1/2021
Stephen J. Markman, Chief Justice 1/1/2021
David Viviano, Justice 1/1/2018
Milton Mack Court Administrator
Corbin R. Davis Clerk

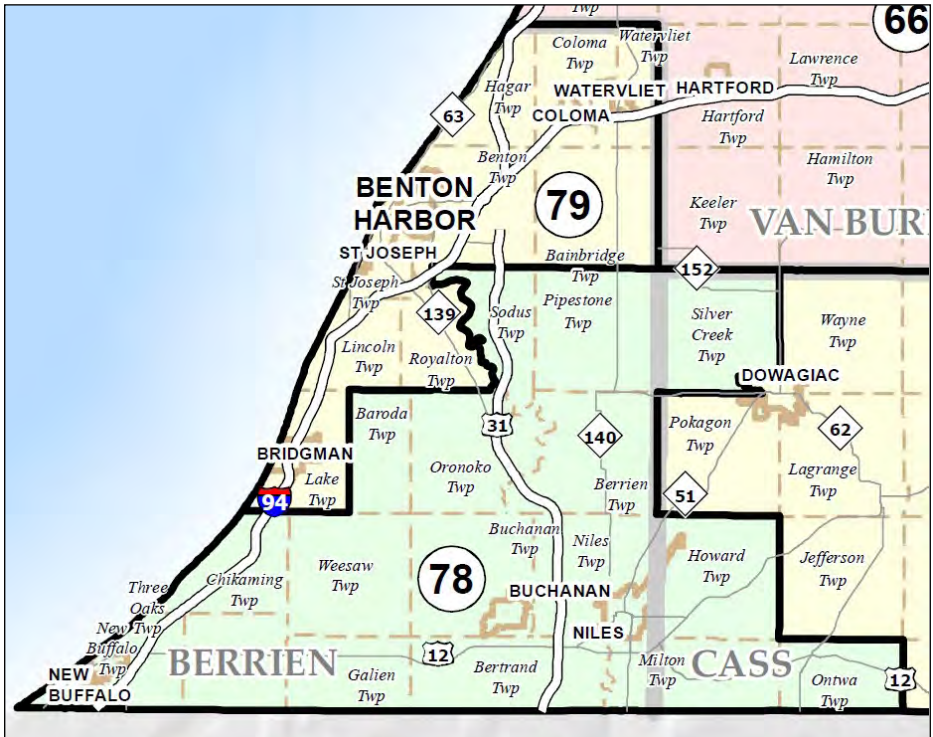
COURT OF APPEALS

3RD DISTRICT

Grand Rapids, Clare, Lansing, Saginaw and Gaylord

Joel P. Hoekstra 1/1/2023
David H. Sawyer 1/1/2023
Mark T. Boonstra 1/1/2021
Jane E. Markey 1/1/2021
Jane Beckering 1/1/2019
William B. Murphy 1/1/2019
Douglas Shapiro 1/1/2019

COUNTY OF BERRIEN LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS



LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS

STATE REPRESENTATIVES — HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Dave Pagel (R) District #78
3221 E. Shawnee Rd. (269) 471-7398 (H)
Berrien Springs, MI 49103

MAILING ADDRESS:

N-1097 House Office Building
P.O. Box 30014 (517) 373-1796 (O)
Lansing, MI 48909-7514 Fax: (517) 373-5918
Email: DavePagel@house.mi.gov Toll Free: 1 (888) 373-0078

Berrien County (part)

Baroda Township
Berrien Township
Bertrand Township
Buchanan City
Buchanan Township
Chikaming Township
Galien Township
New Buffalo City

New Buffalo Township
Niles City (part)
Niles Charter Township
Oronoko Charter Township
Pipestone Township
Sodus Township
Three Oaks Township
Weesaw Township

Cass County (part)

Howard Township
Milton Township
Niles City (part)
Ontwa Township
Silver Creek Township

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday

Kim LaSata (R) District #79

MAILING ADDRESS:

State Representative Kim LaSata (517) 373-1403 (O)
N-1098 House Office Building Toll Free: 1 (888) 656-0079
P.O. Box 30014 Fax: (517) 373-3652
Lansing, MI 48909 Website: replasata.com
Email: kimlasata@house.mi.gov

In Berrien County (part)

Bainbridge Township
Benton Charter Township
Benton Harbor City
Bridgman City
Coloma City
Coloma Township

Hagar Township
Lake Charter Township
Lincoln Township
Royalton Township
St. Joseph Charter Township

St. Joseph City
Watervliet City
Watervliet Township
Village of Shoreham
Village of Stevensville

SENATOR 21ST DISTRICT

Michigan State Senate, P.O. Box 30036, Lansing, MI 48909
Office Location: S-8 Capitol Building
Phone: (517) 373-6960 or 1-866-305-2121
Fax: (517) 373-0897
Email: SenJProos@senate.michigan.gov
Website: www.senatorjohnproos.com

John M. Proos (R)2695 Hillview Lane, St. Joseph, MI 49085
All of Berrien, Cass and St. Joseph counties.



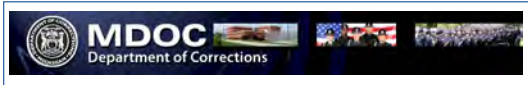
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL RIGHTS

Website: www.michigan.gov/mdcr

1-800-482-3604. TTY: 616-356-0391

OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. , Monday - Friday

Grand Rapids(616) 356-0380
State Office Building Fax: (616) 356-0399
350 Ottawa Ave. NW, 4th floor MDCRService Center@michigan.gov
Grand Rapids, MI 49503 (to file a complaint)



MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Berrien County Parole Office

497 Waukonda Avenue, Suite 2, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Phone: (269) 925-3299 / Fax: (269) 925-1722

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. To 5:00 p.m.

Website: www.michigan.gov

Matthew Alman, Field Agent
Mark Carpenter, Supervisor
Matt Clayton, Field Agent
Kay Farley, Secretary
Ken Harrington, ARU Investigator
Aaron Hunter, Field Service Assistant
Thomas Jardine, Field Agent
Robert Johnson, Field Agent

Mike Keltz, Field Service Assistant
Jeanice McConomy, Field Agent
Matt O'Brien, Embedded Agent
Dan Spiegel, Field Agent
Shaton Tucker, Field Agent
Scott Wade, Field Agent
Shirley Watson, Word Processor
Jenny Wyly, Field Agent



Galien River County Park - View from Upper Deck



BERRIEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

401 Eighth Street, P.O. Box 1407, Benton Harbor, MI 49023-1407

Phone: (269) 934-2000 / Fax: (269) 934-2115

HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

PROTECTIVE SERVICES - ABUSE/NEGLECT - 24 HOURS
CHILD AND ADULT - 1(855) 444-3911

The **Berrien County Department of Human Services** administers and provides assistance payments and social services programs for the residents of Berrien County. The Assistance Payments Programs are: Family Independence Program (FIP), Child Day Care (CDC), State Disability Assistance (SDA), State Emergency Relief (SER), Food Assistance Program (FAP), Medicaid (Medical Assistance, MA). Social Services Programs include Adoption Services, Adult Independent Living Services, Foster Care for Children, Migrant Services, Employment/JET (Jobs, Education and Training), Adult Community Placement, Protective Services for Children and Adults, Juvenile Justice Services, Prevention Services for Families, and Volunteer Services.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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455 Bond St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022-4794

Toll Free: 1-877-405-5457

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The Southwest Michigan Regional Airport is a twenty-four hour all-weather aviation facility. The development, maintenance and safe operation of Southwest Michigan Regional Airport is the responsibility of the Southwest Michigan Regional Airport Authority. Operations are managed by an Airport Director and a staff hired by the Airport Authority. The airport offers a full range of service for business and general aviation, as well as aircraft charters.

The Authority is supported by millage revenues from six municipalities, as well as, user fees and lease agreements. The Authority Board consists of six members, one member from each participating municipality, the City of Benton Harbor, the City of St. Joseph, St. Joseph Charter Township, Lincoln Charter Township, Benton Charter Township and Royalton Township make up the Airport Authority.

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Berrien Springs, MI 49104

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BERRIEN COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



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 St. Joseph, MI 49085-0092
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Berrien Springs, MI 49103
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The History Center at Courthouse Square in Berrien Springs is the oldest surviving county government complex in the Midwest, and was Berrien County’s first county seat. The History Center at Courthouse Square is comprised of a historic site, museum, archives and offers programs, special events and local history publications.

Original to the site is the 1839 Greek Revival Style Berrien County Courthouse - restored courtroom on the second floor and museum located on the first floor, and the 1870 Italianate Style Sheriff’s Residence - office and jail plaza re-created in the original jail’s footprint. The historic site also includes the 1830 Murdock Log House - moved to the site and typical of pioneer life of the time, and Bennett’s Forge - a working forge developed to illustrate the importance of the blacksmith in early 19th century communities. The Berrien County Historical Association is currently raising funds to restore the 1860/1873 County Office and Records Building, also original to the site, as a new museum, museum store and archives.

The complex was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1970. In June of 2013, the complex was designated by the Michigan Bar Association as the 38th Legal Milestone. The Berrien County Board of Commissioners approved the property and structures (which are owned by Berrien County) as a county park; Historic Courthouse Square County Park, in January 2014.

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Vacant Curator
Kelsey Curnutt.....Museum Services Coordinator

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P.O. Box 252, 4083 E. Shawnee Road, Berrien Springs, MI 49103
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Provides referrals to individuals in need of available health and human service programs in Allegan, Berrien, Cass and Van Buren Counties. Translation services are available.

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4290 Red Arrow Highway, P.O. Box 93

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111 Days Avenue, Buchanan

Michigan 49107

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Vision Statement: Creating a strong, vibrant, caring community.

Mission Statement: Fostering a community of philanthropy, for good, forever.

In support of our mission, the Foundation seeks to:

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- Anticipate and address community needs by effectively distributing Foundation resources.
- Serve all donors through a variety of giving opportunities.
- Bring together diverse interests in search of common solutions.
- Dedicate the Foundation to fairness, objectivity and responsiveness to all those seeking its philanthropic services.

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415 Lake Blvd.
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-2543
Website: www.curiouskidsmuseum.org

FERRY STREET RESOURCE CENTER

620 Ferry Street
Niles, MI 49120
(269) 687-9860
(269) 687-9865 (fax)
Email: directorfsrc@gmail.com
Website: www.ferrystreet.org
Hours: Mon, Tues, Wed, 10am - 5pm

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601 Main Street
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-1191
Website: www.theheritagemcc.org

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313 North Cass Street, P.O. Box 261
Berrien Springs, MI 49103
(269) 471-1202 / (269) 471-7412 (fax)
Website: www.berrienhistory.org
Hours: Jan-March: Mon-Fri, 10am - 5pm
April-Dec: Mon-Saturday, 10 am - 5pm

ISRAELITE HOUSE OF DAVID

Reorganized by Mary Purnell
1158 E. Britain, Avenue
Benton Harbor, MI 49023
(269) 925-1601
Email: info@maryscityofdavid.org
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MARY'S CITY OF DAVID MUSEUM

563 Eastman Avenue
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
(269) 925-1601
Website: www.maryscityofdavid.org

MORTON HOUSE MUSEUM

501 Territorial
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
(269) 925-7011
Website: www.mortonhousemuseum.org
Check our Facebook page for upcoming hours & events

NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM

Andrews University - Price Hall
4280 Administration Dr.
Berrien Springs, MI 49104
(269) 471-3243
Open by appointment only

NEW BUFFALO RAILROAD MUSEUM

530 S. Whittaker St.
New Buffalo, MI 49117
(269) 469-8010
Website: www.new-buffalo-railroad-museum.org
Email: ask@new-buffalo-railroad-museum.org

NILES HISTORY CENTER

Fort St. Joseph Museum & Chapin Mansion
508 E. Main St.
Niles, MI 49120
(269) 845-4054
Website: www.nileshistorycenter.org
Email: nileshistory@nilesmi.org

NORTH BERRIEN HISTORICAL MUSEUM

300 Coloma Avenue, P.O. Box 207
Coloma, MI 49038
(269) 468-3330
Email: info@northberrienhistory.org
Website: www.northberrienhistory.org

PEARS MILL

121 South Oak Street
Buchanan, MI 49107
(269) 235-9069
Open Memorial Day - Labor Day
Saturdays, 10 am - 4 pm
Website: www.preservebuchanan.org

REGION OF THREE OAKS MUSEUM

5 Featherbone Ave., P.O. Box 121
Three Oaks, MI 49128
Email: trotommuseum@gmail.com

SIEGFRIED H. HORN ARCHAEOLOGICAL MUSEUM

- Andrews University
9047 Old U.S. 31
Berrien Springs, MI 49104
(269) 471-3273
Email: hornmuseum@andrews.edu

SILVER BEACH CAROUSEL MUSEUM

333 Broad Street
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 982-8500
Website: www.silverbeachcarousel.com

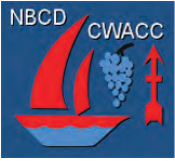
THREE OAKS SPOKES BICYCLE

3 Dewey Cannon Avenue
Three Oaks, MI 49128
(269) 756-3361

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15300 Red Arrow Highway
Lakeside, MI 49116
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NORTH BERRIEN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



142 Badt Drive
P.O. Box 1028, Coloma, MI 49038
Phone: (269) 468-4430
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Chana KniebesCommunity Development Coordinator

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Funded by the municipalities of Coloma City and Coloma Township, we are dedicated to improving the business climate, helping area businesses remain healthy and grow, and create an environment attractive to new business through initiatives in education, workforce development, recreation, tourism, and community development.

Board meetings are open to the public and held at 5:30 the 2nd Thursday of each month (Jan-Nov) at NBCD Office, 142 Badt Drive, Coloma.



SOUTHWESTERN MICHIGAN ECONOMIC GROWTH ALLIANCE

333 N. 2nd Street, Suite 302
Niles, MI 49120
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Email: southwesternalliance@gmail.com
Website: www.southwesternalliance.org

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2300 Pipestone Road
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 925-6301
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Website: www.swmichigan.org

Hours: Monday - Friday - 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The Southwestern Michigan Tourist Council is a regional travel industry organization representing Berrien, Cass and Van Buren Counties. A travel information center is located at Exit 29 off I-94. An information specialist will provide maps, brochures and information about Southwestern Michigan, and general Michigan information. The Council is a non-profit member-based organization, having a 11 member Board of Directors and a staff of five.

Millicent Huminsky.....Executive Director

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129 E. Main Street
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
(269) 985-8320
Fax: (269) 983-4441

1205 N. Front Street
Niles, MI 49120
(269) 683-5464
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Hours: M-Th 9 am - 4pm(269) 985-8320
E-mail St. Joseph: cservicesj@volunteerswmi.org

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.....(269) 683-5464
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BENTON HARBOR CITY

City Hall, 200 Wall Street
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Every 1st & 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Marcus Muhammad.....	Mayor
Mary Alice Adams.....	Commissioner-at-large
Ronald Singleton.....	Commissioner-at-large
Edward Isom.....	Commissioner-at-large
Duane Seats.....	Commissioner-at-large
Sharon Henderson.....	First Ward Commissioner
C.F. Jones.....	Second Ward Commissioner
Juanita Henry.....	Third Ward Commissioner
Ruthie Haralson.....	Fourth Ward Commissioner
Kimberly Thompson.....	City Clerk
Darwin Watson.....	City Manager
Randy Hyrns.....	City Attorney
John Gropp.....	City Assessor
Daniel McGinnis.....	Acting Public Safety Director
Vacant.....	Assistant City Manager
Vacant.....	Finance Director



BRIDGMAN CITY

9765 Maple St, P.O. Box 366
Bridgman, MI 49106

Phone: (269) 465-5144

Fax: (269) 465-3701

Website: www.bridgman.org



Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: First & third Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

Hannah Anderson.....	Mayor
Jim A. Catania.....	Mayor Pro-Tem
Georgia Gipson.....	City Council
Vince Rose.....	City Council
Ken High.....	City Council
Robert Liskey.....	City Council
Rick Fuller.....	City Council
Juan Ganum.....	City Manager
Nancy Williams.....	City Assessor
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BUCHANAN CITY

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Buchanan, MI 49107
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Website: www.cityofbuchanan.com



Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COMMISSION MEETINGS: Second and fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- Brenda Hess..... Mayor
- Carla M. Cole..... Mayor Pro Tem
- Patricia A. Moore City Commissioner
- Dale Toerne City Commissioner
- Daniel Vigansky..... City Commissioner
- William "Bill" Marx..... City Manager/Police Chief
- Timothy Ganus Assistant Police Chief
- Gladys Bybee City Clerk
- Juli O'Bryant Treasurer
- Berrien County Equalization Assessor
- J.T. Adkerson Public Services Director
- Guy Lewis..... Building Inspector
- Randy Hyrns..... City Attorney
- Mike Adams Fire Chief



COLOMA CITY

City Hall
119 N. Paw Paw Street, P.O. Box 329
Coloma, MI 49038
Phone: (269) 468-6606
Email: colomacityhall@i2k.com



Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second & fourth Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

- Jim Polashak..... Mayor
- Marsha Hammond..... Mayor Pro-Tem
- Kent Churchill City Commissioner
- Linda Freitag..... City Commissioner
- Jason Hicks..... City Commissioner
- Julie Smith City Commissioner
- Nate Clements..... City Commissioner
- Martha Darling..... Clerk
- Roseann Clements..... Deputy Clerk/Treasurer
- Kelly Clements..... Treasurer
- Kyle Harris..... Assessor
- Maureen Saltzman Deputy Clerk/Treasurer



NEW BUFFALO CITY

City Hall, 224 W. Buffalo Street
New Buffalo, MI 49117

Phone: (269) 469-1500/Fax: (269) 469-7917
Website: www.cityofnewbuffalo.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

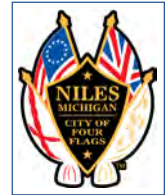
- Lou O'Donnell IV Mayor
- Elizabeth "Liz" Ennis Councilmember
- Mark Kroll Councilmember
- Mark Robertson Councilmember
- Robert Spirito Councilmember
- David Richards City Manager
- Lori K. VanderClay Clerk
- Mary Lynn Deputy Clerk
- Kate Vyskocil Treasurer
- Nancy Mast Assistant Treasurer
- Charles Sittig Assessor
- Ed Carpenter Building Inspector
- Larry Pitchford Police Chief
- Chris Huston Fire Chief
- Tony Ashbaugh Streets Superintendent/Parks
- Amy Fidler Admin Assistant



NILES CITY

City Hall, 333 N. Second St.
Niles, MI 49120-0487

Phone: (269) 683-4700 / Fax: (269) 684-3930
Website: www.nilesmi.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: 1345 East Main St., Niles, MI.
2nd & 4th Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

- Richard Huff City Administrator
- Nicholas J. Shelton Mayor
- Linda Casperson City Clerk
- Sandra Naugle Treasurer/Finance Director
- Sanya Phillips Community Development Director
- Gretchen Bertschy Councilmember
- Georgia Boggs Councilmember
- John DiCostanzo Councilmember
- Robert Durm Councilmember
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- William Tim Skalla Councilmember
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- William Weimer Councilmember
- Robert Landgraf, Jr. City Attorney
- James Millin Police Chief
- Larry Lamb Fire Chief
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- Jeffery A. Dunlap Director of Public Utilities
- Nancy Williams City Assessor
- Guy Lewis City Building Official



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City Hall, 700 Broad Street
St. Joseph, MI 49085

Phone: (269) 983-5541 / Fax: (269) 985-0346
Website: www.sjcity.com



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COMMISSION MEETINGS: Two Mondays per month at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall, City Commission Chambers, 2nd Floor, 700 Broad Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085

- Michael Garey Mayor
- Frances Chickering..... Mayor Pro-Tem
- Christopher Heugel..... City Commissioner
- Mary Goff..... City Commissioner
- Jeffrey E. Richards City Commissioner
- John Hodgson City Manager
- Sara McCallum..... Director of Finance/City Clerk
- Tom MacDonald..... Director of Public Services
- Deb Deja..... City Assessor
- Brian Uridge..... Public Safety Director
- Cecil Derringer Building Official
- Tim Zebell..... City Engineer
- Kristen Gundersen..... Community Development Director
- Susan Solon Communications & Marketing Director
- Greg Alimenti Superintendent Water Plant
- Laurie Schmidt..... City Attorney
- Nancy Walker Executive Director, Housing Commission
- Stephanie Masin..... Library Director



WATERVLIET CITY

City Hall, 158 W. Pleasant St.
P.O. Box 86
Watervliet, MI 49098

Phone: (269) 463-6769 / Fax: (269) 463-7708
Website: www.watervliet.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Open for lunch)

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

- David Brinker Mayor
- Melanie Marvin Mayor Pro-Tem
- Luke Strunk City Commissioner
- Duane Cobb City Commissioner
- Rick Kinzler..... City Commissioner
- Bill Whitney Jr..... City Commissioner
- Deah Muth..... City Commissioner
- Vacant..... Treasurer
- Dena Yow Clerk
- Crystal Bartel..... Deputy Clerk
- Bob Lohr (shared services with Watervliet City & Township)..... Building Dept

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BAINBRIDGE TOWNSHIP

Bainbridge Township Hall
 7315 Territorial Road
 Watervliet, MI 49098
 Phone: (269) 468-8040 / Fax: (269) 468-3498
 Email: clerk@bainbridgetownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday, 7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: Third Monday of every other month at 7:00 p.m. (Jan., March, May, July, Sept. & Nov.)

Bill Hodge	Supervisor
Patty Hiler-Molter	Clerk
Nancy Weber	Treasurer
Donald Baiers	Trustee
John Yetzke	Trustee
Scott Anderson	Assessor
Township Hall Hrs – Tues & Thurs. 9:00 a.m.- 12:30 p.m.	
Ross Rogien	Building Inspector/Zoning Administrator
Township Hall Hrs - Tues. & Thurs. 7:30 - 9:30 am	
David Dent	Ordinance Enforcement Officer
Ronald Ketelhut	Electrical Inspector
(269) 208-9067	
Rodney Wilder	Mechanical Inspector
Ken Benjamin	Plumbing Inspector
(269) 876-2272	
David Peterson, Sr.	Attorney
Gregg Gear	Planning Commission Chairman
Ronald Bjes	Board of Appeals Chairman
Jeff Morlock	Board of Review Chairman
Tim Ullrich	Construction Board of Appeals Chairman



BARODA TOWNSHIP

Baroda Municipal Building
9091 First St., P.O. Box 215
Baroda, MI 49101
Phone: (269) 422-2300
Fax: (269) 422-2407



Website: www.barodatownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Friday 9:00 a.m. - noon.

BOARD MEETINGS: Third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: Second Monday of every other month at 6:30 p.m.

- James BrowSupervisor
10740 Hills Road, Baroda (269) 422-2336
Email: barodasupv@gmail.com
- Wendie Shafer Clerk
207 Shafer Road, Baroda (269) 422-1972
Email: barodatwpclerk@gmail.com
- Brenda Troxell Treasurer
1223 West Snow Road, Baroda (269) 422-1201
Email: barodatreasurer@gmail.com
- David Wolf Trustee
- John Harner Trustee
- Shawn Martin Chief of Police
- Ross Rogien Building Inspector
- David Schultz Planning Commission Chairman
- James Pheifer Zoning Administrator
- Ken Simpson Electrical Inspector/Mechanical Inspector/Plumbing Inspector
(269) 471-5869
- Larry Klug Fire Chief



Galien River County Park - Lower Walkway



BENTON CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Benton Charter Township Hall
1725 Territorial Road
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
Phone: (269) 925-0616
Fax: (269) 925-7134



Assessor's: (269) 925-7036 / Building Dept: (269) 925-7284
Website: bentonchartertpw.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETINGS: First and third Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m.

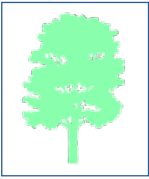
PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS:

Second and fourth Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

- Kevin Whitekwhite@bentonchartertownship-mi.govSupervisor
- Carolyn Phillips.....cphillips@bentonchartertownship-mi.gov Clerk
- Debra Boothby.....dboothby@bentonchartertownship-mi.gov Treasurer
- Janice Averyjavery@bentonchartertownship-mi.gov Deputy Treasurer
- Linda Scarbrough Trustee
- Carolyn Fowler Trustee
- Rosie Hudson Trustee
- Cathy Yates Trustee
- Jessica Fette Attorney
- Vince Fetke..... Chief of Police
- Dan Durham Fire Chief
- Toni Swishertswisher@bentonchartertownship-mi.gov Assessor
- Tom Baldwintbaldwin@bentonchartertownship-mi.gov Chief Bldg. Official
- Kelli Nelson..... Township Superintendent



Galien River County Park - Hiking Trail "Autumn"



BERRIEN TOWNSHIP

Berrien Township Hall, 8916 M-140
Berrien Center, MI 49102
Phone: (269) 461-6925
Fax: (269) 461-3762
Email: berrientwp@comcast.net
Website: www.berrientownship.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. and Fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. - only when pending business.

- Bryan Bixby Supervisor
5743 Pokagon Rd, Berrien Springs (269) 208-5130
- Mary Jane Dean Clerk
6076 Deans Hill Rd., Berrien Center (269) 471-1816
- Paul Sprung Treasurer
5808 Windy Acres Lane, Berrien Springs (269) 471-2214
- Harold Bishop Trustee
7721 Eau Claire Rd., Berrien Center (269) 461-6715
- Julie Burke Trustee
6004 Diane Drive, Berrien Springs (269) 471-1060
- Jeff Marks Trustee
9557 Painter School Rd., Berrien Center (269) 461-4322
- Howard Henderson Trustee
5171 Snyder Rd., Berrien Springs (269) 461-6925
- Ross Rogien Building Inspector
- Angela Story Assessor
- Karen O'Dell Planning Commission Chairman
- Ron Harner Zoning Board of Appeals Chairman

BERTRAND TOWNSHIP

Bertrand Township Hall, 3835 Buffalo Rd.
Buchanan, MI 49107
Phone: (269) 695-5001, Fax: (269) 695-4205
Email: info@bertrandtownship.com



OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Thursday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETINGS: 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm

- Stephen Hicks Supervisor
- Don Vite Clerk
- Ronni Redman Deputy Clerk
- David Kuhn Treasurer
- Brenda Payton Deputy Treasurer
- Angela Story Assessor
- Gordon Payton Trustee
- David Zelmer Trustee
- David Swanstrom Building Inspector
- Ron Michaelis Electrical Inspector
- Ray Cole Plumbing Inspector
- Mark Wagner Planning Commission
- Eileen Glick Zoning Administrator



BUCHANAN TOWNSHIP

Buchanan Township Hall
15235 N. Main Street
Buchanan, MI 49107

Phone: (269) 695-6442 / Fax: (269) 695-7715

Website: www.buchanantownship.net



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Treasurer's Office open Tuesday and Friday
Assessors Office open Thursday
Clerks Office open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

BOARD MEETINGS: First and third Thursday of each month.

- Malinda Cole-Crocker.....Supervisor
15420 Walton Rd., Buchanan (269) 591-1285
Email: township_supervisor@comcast.net
- Sheila ReitzClerk
Email: townshipclerk@comcast.net (269) 695-6442
- Janet DehringTreasurer
12353 Burgoyne Road, Buchanan (269) 695-1681
Email: township_treasurer@comcast.net
- Lynn A. Ferris Trustee
15229 N. Main Street, Buchanan (269) 695-5008
- Thomas VanAntwerp Trustee
15782 Columbian Road, Buchanan (269) 695-2548
- Eileen Glick.....Ordinance Enforcement Officer
Email: Eileen.Glick@comcast.net (269) 591-7982
- Chris Fuchs.....Building Official
Email: clauscfuchs@aol.com (269) 208-7779
- Ray ColePlumbing & Mechanical Inspector
Email: raymondcole222@gmail.com (269) 591-2540
- Ken Simpson Electrical Inspector
(269) 471-5869
- Nancy Williams.....Assessor
Email: assessor22@hotmail.com (269) 208-8494
- Angela Story Assessor
(269) 207-2590
- Michael Homier..... Township Attorney
Foster Swift Collins & Smith, PC (616) 726-2230
1700 East Beltline, N.E., Ste 200,
Grand Rapids, MI 49525-7044
- Gerbel & Co., PC.....Auditor
P.O. Box 44, St. Joseph, MI 49085-0044
- Timothy JessweinFire Chief
(269) 695-9385
- J. Allen MyersAssistant Fire Chief
(269) 695-9385



CHIKAMING TOWNSHIP

13535 Red Arrow Hwy., P.O. Box 40
 Harbert MI 49115-0040
 Phone: (269) 469-1676
 Fax: (269) 469-4416

Website: www.chikamingtownship.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 12:30 - 4:30 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Township Hall.

- David Bunte Supervisor
- Paula Dudiak Clerk
- Elizabeth Rettig Treasurer
- William Marske Trustee
- Rich Sullivan Trustee
- Charles Hilmer Attorney
- Van Thornton Building & Zoning Administrator
- Leroy Pinkston Electrical Inspector
- John Dobberteen Plumbing & Mechanical Inspector
- Van Thornton Building Inspector
- Todd Taylor Police Chief
- Michael Davidson Fire Chief



COLOMA CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Coloma Township Hall
 4919 Paw Paw Lake Road
 Coloma, MI 49038

Phone: (269) 468-7212 / Fax: (269) 468-6503

Email: admin@colomatownship.org

Website: www.colomatownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- Kenneth Parrigin Supervisor
- Sandy Kraemer Clerk
- Cheryl VanDrasek Deputy Clerk
- James Fulton Treasurer
- Laura Baumeister Deputy Treasurer
- Bryan Duffield Trustee
- Jerry Willmeng Trustee
- Robert Harper Trustee
- Matt Moser Trustee

GALIEN TOWNSHIP

103 Kiley Drive, P.O. Box 246
Galien, MI 49113

Phone/Fax: (269) 545-8143

Email: galientwpboard@yahoo.com

Website: www.galientownship.org



BOARD MEETINGS: Third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Office.

- Bruce Williams Supervisor
2261 Olive Branch Rd., Galien (269) 545-8220
- Kathy WilliamsDeputy Supervisor
2261 Olive Branch Rd., Galien (269) 545-8220
- Jennifer Richter Clerk
1979 Olive Branch Rd., Galien (269) 545-8336
Email: galientwpboard@yahoo.com (574) 514-8181
- Sheila Koudelka Deputy Clerk
120 E. Southeastern Ave., Galien (708) 420-8063
- Kendra Truhn Treasurer
1767 Buffalo Rd., Galien (269) 545-3575
- Larry Metzger Deputy Treasurer
2459 Second St., Galien (269) 545-2523
- Gerald Mast Trustee
19155 Beaver Dam Rd., Galien (269) 470-9903
- Matt Kinne Trustee
198 Karen Drive, Galien (574) 340-1594
- Shalice Northrop Assessor
P.O. Box 531, Marcellus, MI 49067 (269) 587-0208
- Ed Carpenter Building Inspector
1721 Buffalo Rd, Galien (269) 363-1869



HAGAR TOWNSHIP

Hagar Township Hall, P.O. Box 87

3900 Riverside Road,
Riverside, MI 49084

Phone: (269) 849-0455

Fax: (269) 849-2454

Email: hagarclerk@gmail.com

Website: www.hagartownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday - 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Wednesday - 3 p.m.-7 p.m.,
and Friday - 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- Izzy DiMaggio Supervisor
- Sarah Cook Clerk
- Marlene Davis Treasurer
- Beth Raiser Trustee
- Andrew Ulleg Trustee
- Bernard Kelley Building Insp./Zoning Administrator
- Nancy Williams Assessor (269) 208-8494
- George Schemenauer Ordinance Officer (269) 208-6938



LAKE CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Lake Township Hall, P.O. Box 818
3220 Shawnee Road,
Bridgman, MI 49106



Phone: (269) 465-6601 / Fax: (269) 465-4631
Email: gpayne@lake-township.org
Website: www.lake-township.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday, 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and
Friday 7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: First Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

John Gast	Supervisor
Gloria Payne.....	Clerk
Robert Clark	Treasurer
Patricia A. Heyn.....	Trustee
Nancy Mensinger.....	Trustee
James Stine, Jr.	Trustee
John Wilk	Trustee
James Gast	Building Inspector
Thomas Kanger.....	Electrical Inspector
Scott Dienes	Attorney

LINCOLN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Lincoln Township Municipal Building
2055 W. John Beers Road,
P.O. Box 279, Stevensville, MI 49127-0279
Phone: (269) 429-1589 / Fax: (269) 429-0880
Website: www.lctberrien.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of each month at 11:30 am (by notice only) & 7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS:

First Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. – subject to change.

Dick Stauffer	Supervisor
Stacy Loar-Porter	Clerk
Terrie Smith	Treasurer
Marc Florian.....	Trustee
Tom Norbey	Trustee
Deborah Peterson	Trustee
Richard Stone.....	Trustee
John Baumann	Assessor
Jim Pheifer.....	Building Inspector/Zoning Officer
Gary Soper	Chief of Police
Kevin Gebhard.....	Maintenance Supervisor
Scott Wiederwax.....	Fire Chief
Diane Nye.....	Library Board President

NEW BUFFALO TOWNSHIP

17425 Red Arrow Highway
New Buffalo, MI 49117
Phone: (269) 469-1011
Fax: (269) 469-6711

Website: www.newbuffalotownship.org



NEW BUFFALO TOWNSHIP



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

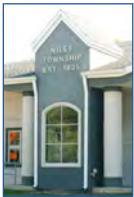
Michelle Heit	Supervisor
Judith Zabicki.....	Clerk
Jack Rogers.....	Treasurer
Patricia Iazzetto	Trustee
Peter Rahm	Trustee
Dennis Buller	Liquor Inspector
David Peterson	Attorney

BUILDING DEPARTMENT:

17425 Red Arrow Highway, New Buffalo, MI 49117
Phone: (269) 469-3112 Fax: (269) 469-9972

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Estelle Brinkman.....	Building Office Manager
William Lambert.....	Building Inspector
Estelle Brinkman.....	Zoning Administrator
William Lambert.....	Plan Reviewer



NILES CHARTER TOWNSHIP

320 Bell Road
Niles, MI 49120
Phone: (269) 684-0870 / Fax: (269) 684-1996
Website: nilestwpmi.gov



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: First and third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

James Stover - jstover@nilestwpmi.gov	Supervisor Ext. 21
Rebecca Hulett - rhulett@nilestwpmi.gov	Administrative Assistant Ext. 10
Terry Eull - teull@nilestwpmi.gov	Clerk Ext. 23
James H. Ringler - jringler@nilestwpmi.gov	Treasurer Ext. 22
Richard Cooper - rcooper@nilestwpmi.gov	Trustee
Herschel Hoese - hhoese@nilestwpmi.gov	Trustee
Dan Pulaski - dpulaski@nilestwpmi.gov	Trustee
Christine Vella - cvella@nilestwpmi.gov	Trustee
Gary Brovold - gbrovold@nilestwpmi.gov	Fire Chief
Carol Hill - chill@nilestwpmi.gov	Assessor Ext. 25
David Swanstrom - dswanstrom@nilestwpmi.gov	Building Inspector Ext. 18
Peg Hartman - mhartman@nilestwpmi.gov	Zoning Administrator Ext. 20
Gary Schrader - gschrader@nilestwpmi.gov ...	Dept. of Public Works Manager Ext. 26
Jill Delucia	Park Commission Chairman
Peg Hartman - mhartman@nilestwpmi.gov	Ordinance Administrator Ext. 20
Rob Thall	Attorney
Dan Smothermon	Planning Commission Chairman
John VanDyke	Zoning Board of Appeals Chairman



ORONOKO CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Oronoko Township Hall
4583 E. Snow Road, P.O. Box 214
Berrien Springs, MI 49103
Phone: (269) 471-2824 / Fax: (269) 471-2826
Email: mail@oronokotownship.org
Website: www.oronokotownship.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- Mike Hildebrand..... Supervisor
11230 Garr Road, Berrien Springs (269) 473-2517
- Suzanne Renton..... Clerk
4936 Riverside Trail, Berrien Springs (269) 471-1368
- Lawrence E. Schalk..... Treasurer
10638 Dana Drive, Berrien Springs (269) 519-2708
- Richard Albers..... Trustee
- Don Damron Trustee
- Marc Kerlikowske Trustee
- Robert Palmer Trustee
- Richard Kubsch Building Inspector
- Linda Copeland Assessor



PIPESTONE TOWNSHIP

Pipestone Township Hall
7185 Elm St.
Eau Claire, MI 49111
Central Mailing: P.O. Box 291, Eau Claire, MI 49111-0291
Phone: (269) 461-6151 / Fax: (269) 461-3518
Email: pipestonetwp@att.net
Website: pipestonetownship.org

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p.m.

- Doug Davis..... Supervisor
(269) 461-6151
- Karen Basham..... Clerk
- Shawn Wolske..... Treasurer
(269) 461-6151
- Robert Bishop..... Trustee
- Floyd Sommer Trustee
- John Dobberteen Mechanical Inspector/Plumbing Inspector
(269) 651-4567
- Ross Rogien Building Inspector
(269) 277-8573
- Ron Kettelhut..... Electrical Inspector
(269) 468-5341
- John K. Lohrstorfer..... Attorney
- Scott Anderson Assessor
(269) 621-6290



ROYALTON TOWNSHIP

Royalton Township Hall
980 Miners Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 429-2501 / Fax: (269) 429-8373
Email: royaltontwp@sbcglobal.net
Website: www.royaltontownship.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: First Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall.

Robert Basselman	Supervisor
1900 Boardwalk, St. Joseph	(269) 861-6078
William Foust	Clerk
	(269) 429-9899
Michael Klug	Treasurer
5795 Scottdale Road, St. Joseph	(269) 429-3744
John Olson	Trustee
Rocky Genovese	Trustee
Bill Boyd	Building Inspector
Steve Tilly	Township Manager

ST. JOSEPH CHARTER TOWNSHIP

St. Joseph Township Hall
3000 Washington Avenue, P.O. Box 147
St. Joseph, MI 49085
Phone: (269) 429-7703 / Fax: (269) 429-2079
Website: www.sjct.org



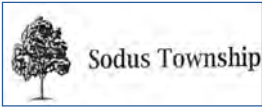
OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: First Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Township Hall. Workshop: first Monday at noon.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of every other month at 6:30 p.m. in the Township Hall.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS: As Needed

Roger Seely	Supervisor
Patrice Rose	Clerk
Dave Vonk	Treasurer
Ronald Griffin	Trustee
Melissa Hahn	Trustee
Edward Meny	Trustee
Thomas Milnikel	Trustee
Denise Cook	Manager
Gary Maynard	Fire Chief, Station One
Tom Holland	Fire Chief, Station Two
Ross Bates	Police Chief/Public Safety Director
Sue Rice	Assessor
Troy Gano	Building Inspector



SODUS TOWNSHIP

Sodus Township Hall
4056 King Dr., P.O. Box 176
Sodus, MI 49126

Phone: (269) 926-6285, Fax: (269) 926-1825

E-mail: office@sodustwp.org

Website: sodustwp.org



OFFICE HOURS: Mon, Wed & Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

ASSESSOR HOURS: Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

David Chandler, Supervisor(269) 944-7960

Cheryl Andres, Clerk.....(269) 944-4844

E-mail: sodustownshipclerk@gmail.com

Karen Morgan, Treasurer(269) 926-6343

Johnny Case, Secretary(269) 944-1628

Ken Peters, Trustee.....(269) 925-6943

Loyall Bennett, Trustee.....(269) 926-6285

David Peterson, Attorney.....(269) 982-1600

Fax: (269) 982-1694

Bill Long, Fire Chief(269) 277-3263

David Roenicke, Assessor (Wed 9am - noon)(989) 573-0021

Fred Leitz, Planning Commission Chairperson(269) 925-6987

Lynn Brown-Sexton(269) 925-5051

David Schilke, Board of Review Chairman.....(269) 925-4154

David Dent, Ordinance Enforcement Officer(269) 420-6331

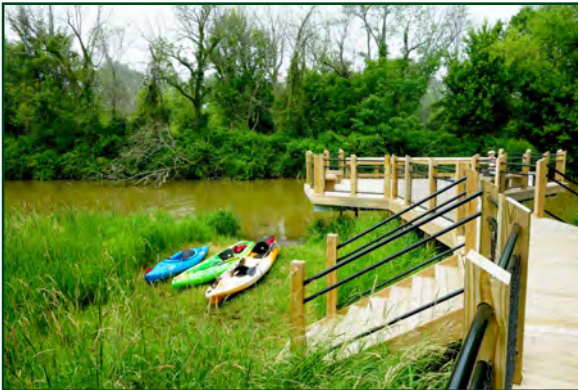
John Dobberteen, Mechanical & Plumbing Inspector.....(269) 625-7648

Fax: (269) 663-8551

Wayne Hardin, Building Inspector (Wed 9am - 1pm)(269) 663-2347

(574) 215-1681

Ron Ketelhut, Electrical Inspector(269) 468-5341



Galien River County Park - Lower Walkway



THREE OAKS TOWNSHIP

Three Oaks Township Hall
8 E. Linden, P.O. Box 55
Three Oaks, MI 49128
Phone: (269) 756-9801 / Fax: (269) 756-2209
Website: www.threeoakstownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday thru Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon.

BOARD MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- George Mangold..... Supervisor
18431 Three Oaks Rd., Three Oaks (269) 756-9801
- Elizabeth Cummings..... Clerk
16486 S. Three Oaks Rd., Three Oaks (269) 756-9801
- Kathleen Osburn..... Treasurer
504 Hickory St., Three Oaks (269) 756-9801
- Chris Mitchell..... Trustee
- Rexalee Gordon..... Trustee
- Ed Carpenter..... Zoning Admin / Building Inspector
- Charles Bassinger..... Electrical Inspector
- John Dobberteen..... Plumbing Inspector

WATERVLIE TOWNSHIP



Watervliet Township Hall
4959 M-140 Hwy.
Watervliet, MI 49098
Phone: (269) 463-5113
Fax: (269) 463-4808



Email: watervliettownship@comcast.net
Website: www.watervliettownship.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

- Dan Hutchins..... Supervisor
- Patricia Bambrick..... Clerk
- Marcia VanDrasek..... Deputy Clerk
- Tom Scheid..... Treasurer
- Karen Wallace..... Deputy Treasurer
- Matthew Clay..... Trustee
- Joe Matthews..... Trustee
- Joe Stepich..... Trustee
- Bob Wallace..... Trustee
- Eugene Jarvis..... Assessor
- Don Dettman..... Attorney
- Tom Baldwin..... Building Inspector
- Ken Simpson..... Electrical Inspector
- Rod Wilder..... Mechanical Inspector
- Ken Benjamin..... Plumbing Inspector
- Robert Lohr..... Director of Public Works/Zoning Administrator/Liquor Inspector



WEESAW TOWNSHIP

Weesaw Township Hall
 P.O. Box 38
 13518 State Street
 New Troy, MI 49119

Phone: (269) 426-3002 / Fax: (269) 426-7114
 Website: www.weesawtownship.com

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Wednesday 9am - noon & 1pm - 4pm

BOARD MEETINGS: 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Gary Sommers	Supervisor
14800 Cleveland Ave., Galien, MI 49113	(269) 422-1432 (h) (269) 326-1120 (cell)
Wanda Green	Clerk - Ext 1#
361 W. Wagner Rd., Buchanan, MI 49107	(269) 695-3505 (h)
Michelle Tackitt	Treasurer - Ext 3#
3534 W. Glendora Rd, Three Oaks, MI 49128	No secondary phone
Arthur King.....	Trustee
15205 S. Pardee Rd., Three Oaks, MI 49128	(269) 426-3641
Robert Warmbein.....	Trustee
14000 Mill Rd., Three Oaks, MI 49128	(269) 208-8949
Robert Kaufman.....	Building/Zoning Administrator
	(269) 426-0866 (cell)
Angela Story	Assessor - Ext 5#
	(269) 207-2590 (cell)
Dave Rigozzi	State Building Inspector
	(517) 241-9317
Ken Simpson.....	Electrical Inspector
	(219) 471-5869
Robert Krauss.....	Code Enforcement
	(269) 369-2784 (cell)
Mike Livengood.....	Cemetery Lot Sales
	(269) 326-1014 (cell)



Galien River County Park - Hiking Trails

LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS

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LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNITS

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BARODA VILLAGE

P.O. Box 54, 9091 First Street

Baroda, MI 49101-0054

Phone: (269) 422-1779

Fax: (269) 422-2990

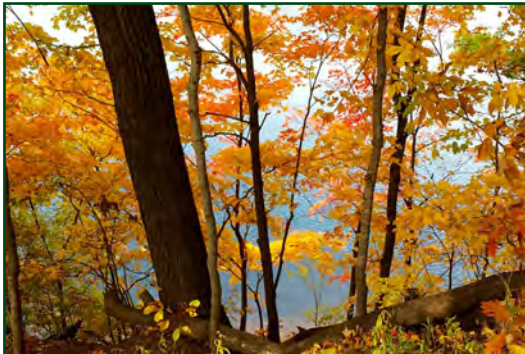
Website: www.barodavillage.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & 12:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: First Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Baroda Municipal Building.

Robert Getz	President
1545 Church Street, Baroda	(269) 422-2224
E-mail: president@barodavillage.org	Cell (269) 930-7008
Tina Boehm.....	Clerk
2180 Ogden Avenue, Benton Harbor	Cell (269) 408-6862
E-mail: clerk@barodavillage.org	
Barbi Hammond.....	Treasurer
4908 Carmody Rd., Coloma	(269) 519-3228
treasurer@barodavillage.org	
Mona Himmelein.....	Council Member
Steve Jasper.....	Council Member
G. Larry Nye	Council Member
Ed Rath.....	Council Member
Milton Sluder.....	Council Member
Don Turney.....	Council Member
Shawn Martin.....	Police Chief
Larry Klug.....	Fire Chief



Galien River County Park - Hiking Trail "Autumn"



BERRIEN SPRINGS VILLAGE

Village Hall

112 N. Cass Street, P.O. Box 182

Berrien Springs, MI 49103

Phone: (269) 473-6921 / Fax: (269) 473-1188

Email: berriensprings@villageofberriensprings.com

Web: villageofberriensprings.com



COUNCIL MEETINGS: First and third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. except Holidays

Milton Richter.....	President
Sheri Kesterke.....	Clerk
Donna Brooks.....	Deputy Clerk
Barbara Clem.....	Treasurer
James K. Allred.....	Trustee
Barry W. Gravitt.....	Trustee
Jesse C. Hibler.....	Trustee
Lonna Johnson.....	Trustee
Sandra Swartz.....	Trustee
Kristin von Maur.....	Trustee
Paul Toliver.....	Police Chief
Bruce Stover.....	Fire Chief
Frank DeFrancesco.....	Attorney
Lavonne Cronce.....	Library Board
Sylvia Wallace-Boal.....	Library Board
Carole Williams.....	Library Board



Galien River County Park - Upper Deck



EAU CLAIRE VILLAGE

6625 E. Main Street
P.O. Box 338, Eau Claire, MI 49111
Phone: (269) 461-6173 Fax: (269) 461-6813
Email: ecclerk@sbcglobal.net
Website: www.eauclairemi.com



OFFICE HOURS: Monday thru Friday – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Third Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

- Virginia Gonzalez, President(269) 461-6544
6358 E. Ivy Ct., Eau Claire Email: gonzalez.vo1@sbcglobal.net
- Robert Stanczyk, Trustee(269) 461-4367
6315 Porter, Eau Claire Email: rbrtstanczyk@yahoo.com
- Tom Baker, Trustee.....(269) 461-6884
6525 Pipestone St., P.O. Box 153, Eau Claire Email: bakert@andrews.edu
- Ken Karn, President (Pro Tem).....(269) 461-6588
6521 Keigley, P.O. Box 219, Eau Claire
- Jeff Rice, Trustee(269) 461-6588
6130 Aubill Dr., Eau ClaireEmail: jeff_rice88@hotmail.com
- Shawn Foster, Clerk(269) 473-5895
5895 Daniel Boone Trail, Berrien Springsecclerk@sbcglobal.net
- Lisa Borkowski, Treasurer(269) 845-5639
- Kathy Arend, Secretary.....(269) 462-0591
- Mike Keesler, Public Works Supervisor.....(269) 757-2858
- Chuck Baughman, Public Works - Part Time(269) 461-6623
- Charles E. Sherene, Police Chief(269) 461-4111
Fax: (269) 461-6813
- Norm Karl, Fire Chief.....Fire Hall Phone: (269) 461-3406
Fire Hall Fax: (269) 461-3044
- Marjorie Karn.....Library Board
- Peggy Walker.....Library Board
- John H. Glassman.....Planning Commission
- David Ferguson.....Planning Commission
- Ken Karn.....Planning Commission
- Mike George.....Planning Commission
- Larry Williams.....Planning Commission
- DeFrancesco Dienes P.C., Attorney(269) 983-1400
Fax: (269) 983-1401
- Richard A. McGrew, Building Inspector(269) 228-3234
- Ken Simpson, Electrical Inspector.....(269) 471-5869
- John Dobberteen, Mechanical/Plumbing Inspector.....(269) 651-4567
Fax: (269) 503-7354



GALIEN VILLAGE

Galien Village Hall
121 S. Cleveland Avenue, P.O. Box 296,
Galien, MI 49113-0296
Phone: (269) 545-3647 / Fax: (269) 545-0023
Email: vofgalien@sbcglobal.net

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday 8:30 am – 12:30 pm, Wednesday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Paul Palmer President
Christine Palmer Clerk
Sharee Swank Treasurer
Emily Hein Trustee
Matt Kinne Trustee
Clarence Marsh Trustee
Steve Schmitz..... Trustee
Earl Swank Trustee
Vacant Trustee
Robert Krauss..... Police Chief
Shalice Northrop..... Assessor
Sara Bell Attorney
Richard Moffitt Street Administrator

GRAND BEACH VILLAGE

Grand Beach Village Hall
48200 Perkins Blvd.
Grand Beach, MI 49117
Phone: (269) 469-3141 / Fax: (269) 469-0146
Email: clerk@grandbeach.org
Website: www.grandbeach.org



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Paul Leonard, Jr. President
Mary Robertson Clerk/Treasurer
James Bracewell Council Member
Frank Giglio Council Member
Deborah Lindley Council Member
Blake O'Halloran..... Council Member
Dan Schroeder Police Chief
Sara Bell Attorney
Robert Dabbs Superintendent
William Lambert..... Building Inspector



MICHIANA VILLAGE

4000 Cherokee Drive
Michiana, MI 49117

Phone: (269) 469-4600 / Fax: (269) 469-3611

Email: michianaclerk@comcast.net



OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second Friday of each month at 1:00 p.m.

Timothy Iverson	President
Linda Stein.....	President Pro-Tem/Council Member
Anne Heywood	Clerk
Tina Darnell	Treasurer
Phil Bonello.....	Council Member
Michael Mintz.....	Council Member
Donald Zion	Council Member
Ryan Layman	Police Chief
Sara A. Bell.....	Attorney
Rick Reitz	Superintendent
Bill Lambert.....	Building Inspector/Zoning Administrator



SHOREHAM VILLAGE

Shoreham Village Hall
2120 Brown School Road,
St. Joseph, MI 49085

Phone: (269) 429-8560 (Village Hall)

(269) 861-0728 (Clerk Cell)

(269) 470-0360 (Treasurer)

(269) 429-7703 (Building Inspector/Ordinance Enforcement)

Email: clerk@shoreham-village.com

Website: www.shoreham-village.com

MAILING ADDRESS: 2120 Brown School Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085

TAX PAYMENTS: 2120 Brown School Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085

OFFICE HOURS: Wednesday, 10 am - 2 pm

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
(except March 2017: 3rd Wednesday)

Bruno Trapikas	President
Debra Trapikas	Clerk
Dan Maxon	Treasurer
Bob Lawrence.....	Pres. Pro Tem/Trustee
Brian Bird.....	Trustee
Marie-Christine Escoda-Risto.....	Trustee
Stephanie Clarke.....	Trustee
Kenneth Keller	Trustee
Reneta Mais	Trustee
Jessica Fette (Banyon, Banyon, Fette & Campbell).....	Attorney
Sue Rice.....	Assessor
Alex Wallace.....	Chair, Planning Commission
Brian Shutts	Chair, Appeals Board
Krystin Hanley	Chair, Parks Committee
Brian Bird.....	Street Administrator/Road Commissioner



STEVENSVILLE VILLAGE

Stevensville Village Hall
5768 St. Joseph Avenue
Stevensville, MI 49127

Phone: (269) 429-1802 / Fax: (269) 429-7391

Email: clerk@villageofstevensville.us

Website: www.villageofstevensville.us



HOURS: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Second Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

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Pat Arter	President ProTem
Tiffany Moore.....	Clerk
Barbi Hammond.....	Treasurer
Ken Hansen.....	Trustee
Brian Liggett	Trustee
Carl Steinberger	Trustee
Amanda Pohyba.....	Trustee
Chris Mason	Trustee
Dan Sullivan	Police Chief
Ron Burkett.....	Fire Chief
Jim Pfeifer (Lincoln Twp)	Building Inspector
Ken Hansen.....	Street Administrator
Randy Hyrns.....	Attorney

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David Grosse	President
Cheryl Capiak.....	President Pro-Tem
Cindi Moynihan.....	Clerk
Lois Jones	Treasurer
Steve Graziano.....	Trustee
Darlene Heemstra	Trustee
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John Pappa	Trustee
Troy Zebell.....	Trustee
Dennis Buller	Police Chief
Charles Hilmer.....	Attorney
Adam Umbrasas.....	Village Manager



I Pledge Allegiance
To the Flag
Of the United States of America
And to the Republic
For Which it Stands
One Nation
Under God,
Indivisible
With Liberty
And Justice
For All

Police Officer's Prayer

Lord I ask for courage.

Courage to face and

Conquer my own fears

Courage to take me

Where others will not go.

I ask for strength of body

That I may protect others

Strength of spirit to lead others

I ask for dedication.

Dedication to do my job, to do it well

To my community I to keep it safe.

Give me Lord, concern

For others who trust me

And compassion for

Those who need me

And please, Lord, through it all,

Be by my side.

~Amen

IN MEMORY OF

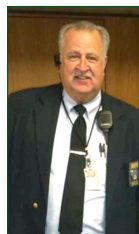
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