

March 3, 2025
President's Report

- 2/11 DDA Meeting – Discussion held with regards to the “Our Place” building.
- 2/6 Village Budget Workshop
- 2/17 Planning Committee Meeting – Cancelled
- 2/18 Fair Board Meeting– discussion held on raffles, community sales, June concert, fair book & brochure design & printing, Friday night events (garden tractor races, tractor pull, and side by side barrel racing – all possibilities if we can get lined up), youth sweep stakes, sponsorship packages and Cast Iron Frying Pan Toss.
- 2/20 NEMCOG Meeting in Gaylord – Did not attend, snowy roads.

Roads

Spoke with Nico at NEMCOG we are going to set up a meeting and go over what the Village wants done for the Traffic study. Thank you to Gary and our snow removal crew for doing such a nice job during the recent snow events.

Other

Spoke with Kelly at EGLE. She is in the process of renewing the Village Drain Field Permit. Also contacted Lorne regarding the entering of sewer data.

Spoke with Kristen Rendon with EGLE regarding auto detailing waste water disposal. Received phone call back from Rachel & Palki with EGLE with regards to permitting.

Contacted C & C with regards to road repairs during the 2025 repair season in the Village.

Answered questions with regards to Brownlee Lake access.

Answered email with regards to solar ordinances and real estate.

Received phone call from Danny at Lincoln Sand & Gravel with regards to moving snow from the corner of Traverse Bay Rd and Barlow Rds. I told him he could place it at the ball fields, but don't damage any of the infrastructure that is there.

Had a phone call wanting to know if we snow plow at Flights, I indicated we do not.

Had a phone call asking us to remove snow that was too high at the stop sign on the corner of 2nd & Jordan.

I also received a call from a resident who was not happy with the Village plowing in their driveway. I explained that the driveway is the property owners responsibility, and commented that I pay a company to keep my driveway plowed out.

2/14 Spoke with Rick Castle @ Consumers Energy. He is emailing me a number to call to have the street light removed at the NW corner of Church St. and Traverse Bay Rd.

2/26 spoke with Shannon at Consumers Energy with regards to removal of the street light, she provided me with a Conf# for the work.

2/27 Confirmed via email with Tanya Gilroy at Consumers Energy the location of the street light we want removed.

2/27 Completed letters to townships with Fire Department Billing information for Budget year FY2025-26 and sent via email.

Upcoming Meetings Next Council Meeting: April 7, 2025 7PM @ the Village Hall.

- a. 3/10/25 Monday Fire Department Meeting @ 7PM Village Hall.
- b. 3/11/25 Tuesday DDA Meeting @ 5:30 PM Village Hall.
- c. 3/17/25 Monday Planning Commission Monday @ 7 PM Village Hall.
- d. 3/18/25 Tuesday Fair Board Meeting @ 7 PM Village Hall
- e. 4/26 Electronics Recycle at the ARA between 10am & 2pm.
- f. 5/17 Countywide Cleanup at the ARA between 8am & 2 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Sheila

