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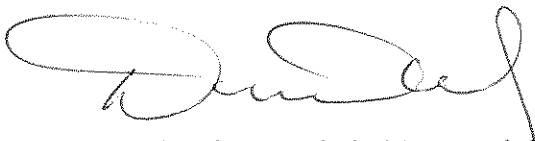
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Supervisor's Report August 8, 2023

- On Wednesday morning July 12, I met with two representatives from the Township Parks Committee to review and discuss their plans for future parks projects.
- Friday August 14th. I met with the RCRC at the intersection of Burdell and Murphy Rd. There is an ongoing problem with off-road vehicles tearing up the intersection requiring weekly repairs to the intersection.
- On Monday July 17th. the township elected officials, office staff and employees met to receive training for access to the building when the new security system is on-line. The equipment and operating system was purchased from Honor Security, the same company that services the GTPD. Township elected officials and staff loaded apps on their cell phones, and key fobs and key cards were also issued.
- Also, on Monday July 17th I attended the Act Now Annual Summer Picnic at the Gerrish Township Marina. A special thanks to the Marina Manager and staff for their assistance with the event.
- On Tuesday morning July 18th I attended the Township July Board of Review. This is a meeting to correct clerical errors, add veterans' exemptions, and correct mutual mistakes of fact.
- Thursday morning July 20th I met the RCRC at Church Street to identify damage to the road caused by heavy construction equipment that was used in the building of a new home.
- On Tuesday morning July 25th I watched a webinar relating to the Michigan Healthy Climate Plan. This was the rollout so-to-speak for Michigan cities, not-so-much for rural Townships at this point.
- On Monday July 31 we revisited the damaged section of road on Church Street (a non-certified paper road) along with the RCRC Manager and the building contractor. It was agreed that the property owner will pay for the RCRC to repair the damage. The road repair was completed that afternoon. Moving forward, a meeting is scheduled with Township Attorney Scott Hess to identify how we can avoid future road damage issues when new construction occurs on all township roads.
- On Thursday August 3rd I chaired a special meeting of the Township Board at 9:00 a.m. to discuss a draft copy of a resolution opposing the

establishment of a Special Assessment District for Higgins Lake as proposed by the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners. The Township Board decided to postpone any vote until the next scheduled Township Work Session scheduled for 9:00 a.m. August 3rd. The Board also approved Supervisor Udy to sign the 5-year contract extension for Township Assessor services with MVW and Associates.

- On August 3rd I chaired the regular work session to prepare for tonight's meeting. At that 9:00 a.m. work session the Board received a motion and second to vote on a resolution to oppose the creation of a Special Assessment District for Higgins Lake as proposed by the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners. The resolution passed. Other township issues were discussed.
- On Saturday August 5th. I attended the Higgins Lake Foundation summer picnic at the Ram Center. The Foundation has a long history of supporting environmental issues at Higgins Lake. Gerrish Township Trustee MaryJo Oppy also attended the event. One of the highlights had to be Gerrish Township resident Greg Semack winning \$3,000.00 first prize in the raffle ticket drawing.



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