



# **VILLAGE OF MUIR 2022 FALL NEWSLETTER**

**Village of Muir Office Hours:**  
**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**  
**9:00 am through 4:30 pm**  
**122 W. Superior St., Muir, MI 48860**  
<http://www.VILLAGEOFMUIRMI.GOV>

- Please see bulletin board posting outside the Village Office for holiday closures and meetings.
- Water/Sewer/Trash bill payments can be placed in the drop-box outside of the Village Office for action on the next business day.
- Muir Village Clerk, Susan Craft, is a Notary Public, services are provided at no charge for Muir residents. 989-855-2144
- Council Meetings are the second Tuesday of each month starting at 7:00 pm  
*The Village of Muir is an equal opportunity provider and employer.*

## **VILLAGE COUNCIL NEWS**

The large water main and street project is winding down. Contractors are in the final punch list stage. There have been issues with getting the service lines restored. Please be aware that the Village is working diligently with the engineer on getting compliance from the contractor. If you still have issues in October, let the office know.

Total debt incurred was \$1,457,000 through USDA at 1.75% over 40 years in the Water Fund. A previous loan was paid off in the Water Fund in April 2021. No rate increase in water was necessary this year because of the restructuring of debt. Some extra street work was paid for through the street funds. Muir was fortunate to get good surfaces on almost every street in town. The DPW garage received an upgraded parking lot and the cemetery driveways were paved. The Village applied for a grant from MEDC for the sewer lift station and force main. Unfortunately our project was not chosen this year but, with feedback from MEDC, we will apply again for the next round.

We will be renewing the Recreation Grant this spring as part of a Master Plan for the village. Having a Master Plan enables more grant opportunities. The village continues to apply for Recreation Grants to enhance the park along the trail.

The village has been working to get the speed limit lowered back down to at least 45 mph on M21. Meetings with MDOT have not gone in our favor so far. Be assured that the council knows the hazards but are at the mercy of MDOT and their decision.

## **TRUNKER'S NEEDED FOR THE TRUNK OR TREAT MONDAY, OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> ON THE CIS TRAIL**

Set up along the trail by 5:45 PM

- LIONS CLUB WILL BE DOING POPCORN
- BOY SCOUTS WILL HAVE HOT DOGS
- COME JOIN THE FUN





## Lyons-Muir Events Committee

Christmas On the River Event For 2022 Has Been Scheduled for December 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 Mr. & Mrs. Claus will be at the library.  
Call Patty Priest 616-240-8160

### FALL LEAF PICKUP

Leaves will have to be bagged in biodegradable bags for pickup or residents may haul their leaves to the Brush Dump on the east end of Garden Street.



### NO BURNING OF LEAVES

NO PLASTIC BAGS OR BUILDING MATERIALS ARE TO BE DUMPED AT THE BRUSH DUMP.

### HYDRANT FLUSHING

October 10th- 14th

You may experience discolored water during this week.



**NO PARKING IN THE DRIVE LANES OF THE STREETS.** When parking in the Right of Way you have to be far enough off the road on the shoulder so as not to be a hazard.

**NO ROAD SHOULDERS? NO PARKING !  
DO NOT PARK ACROSS the SIDEWALKS.**

Welcome to the new Lyons Township Library Director, Mattie Cook-Hildebrandt, MLIS

Mattie is doing a fine job with new programs, read the attached flyer for fall.



**CHRISTMAS TREES ON THE TRAIL WILL BE DONE AGAIN THIS YEAR**

**SET YOUR TREES UP ALONG THE TRAIL IN THE AREA OF THE TRAIL BEHIND THE POST OFFICE AND NEAR RAILROAD PARK, AFTER THANKSGIVING**

