

# **\*\* Krakow Township Newsletter \*\***

**Krakow Township, Presque Isle County,  
Michigan  
Winter 2023**

## **A Note from your Supervisor**

The addition to the Township Hall is moving along despite the weather we have had lately. This addition is necessary for record storage. Presently, records are kept at the homes of the office holders. With the addition records will be kept in the Township Hall.  
Recycle Station: The Board has decided that installing cameras at the site will deter the dumping of non-recyclable trash. Now, others will not be forced to clean trash left by those choosing to disregard the rules. The cameras are small and are monitored remotely in real time through a cell phone. The recordings will include pictures of people and their cars as well as license plates. A sign has been posted at the Recycle Station to make people aware of the cameras. One again, I would like to thank those that use this facility in the way it was intended.

Have a Safe and Enjoyable Holiday Season

Michael Grohowski  
Krakow Township Supervisor

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## **From Your Treasurer**

**Winter Tax Bills** are due on or before **February 14, 2024** without interest/penalty. I will be available at the township hall from 9:00 am-5:00 pm to accept payments on 12/29/23 & 2/29/24. Cash payment **must** be exact change.

Treasurer's office hours are **9am - 5pm; Monday thru Friday; excluding holidays.**

Payments are **NOT** accepted at my residence. Please mail or come to the hall. As of this writing we do not have a drop box available at the hall for payment 24/7.

Credit Card payment can be made. Please email for further information. There is a 3% convenience fee added to the total to be processed.

Postmarks are not accepted as date paid. Payments are receipted on date received.

If you require proof of delivery, please do not require my signature. I have a full-time job and cannot be available to sign for or go to the post office to pick up. I suggest Priority Mail.

You can combine multiple parcels on one check. Please make sure to have receipts or correctly noted parcel numbers. If I cannot figure out where to apply, I will send it back for clarification.

**DO NOT** staple, paperclip or in any way attach items together.

**DO NOT** send postdated checks. These will be automatically returned. I cannot **"loan"** you time for processing nor **"hold"** your check.

I am **NOT** responsible for lost mail. Please send me an email to the address below if you wish to check status.

As of 2/15/2024 interest and penalties will be applied to all outstanding winter taxes.

My contact information is as follows:

Diane Mucciante, Treasurer

7624 Grand Point Road

Presque Isle, MI 49777

[Dianemucciante64@gmail.com](mailto:Dianemucciante64@gmail.com)

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**From Your Clerk: Elaine M. Misiak, 12470 North Grand Lake Highway, Posen MI 49776**

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL KRAKOW TOWNSHIP VOTERS

**RE: 9-Day Early-Voting**

A Municipal Agreement was signed by the Townships of Krakow, Posen, Pulawski and Metz to establish the early voting site at the POSEN COMMUNITY CENTER, 10813 Michigan Avenue, Posen, Michigan.

Dates and hours will be posted on the website, [krakowtownship.org](http://krakowtownship.org), and published in The Presque Isle County Advance. Election information is always available at the Michigan Voter Information Center, [Michigan.gov/vote](http://Michigan.gov/vote). 2024 Elections will be held in February, August and November. Absentee ballots will be handled by the clerk and voting on Election Day will be at the Krakow Township Hall, 12022 Bolton Road, Posen.

Township official's 4-year terms expire on November 20, 2024. Supervisor, clerk, treasurer and trustees (2) will be on the August and November ballots. Nominating petitions will be available by contacting the clerk.

Your Absent Voter Ballot Application will offer you the option of receiving YOUR BALLOT automatically for each future election for which you are eligible. You will be responsible for keeping your yearly mailing address/addresses current so your ballot will be mailed to the correct address. All voters have a constitutional right to state-funded prepaid return postage on absent voter applications and ballots.

## ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

- Arthur Lewandowski .....989-255-8129

[zoning@krakowtownship.org](mailto:zoning@krakowtownship.org)

[artlewand@hotmail.com](mailto:artlewand@hotmail.com)

**ZONING PERMITS: No building may be constructed, altered, enlarged upon, or moved without a Township Zoning Permit.**

This permit is required before the County Building and Zoning Department will issue a building permit. Contact your **Zoning Administrator, Arthur Lewandowski, at 989-255-8129** for information and/or zoning permit application forms or visit the township website [www.krakowtownship.org](http://www.krakowtownship.org).

**A gentle reminder.** All travel trailers must be removed from vacant water front lots by November 1<sup>st</sup>.

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**BUILDING INSPECTOR:** Once you have obtained a township zoning permit, you must also obtain a building permit by contacting the Presque Isle County Building inspector, Ken Robb, @ 989-734-2915 for an application form.

[pibuild@picounty.org](mailto:pibuild@picounty.org)

Forms can also be obtained from your Township Zoning Administrator.

**RECYCLING STATION:** Your recycling can still be brought to the location. Please feel free to walk in your recycling. We have moved the bins closer to the gate to assist you with this. This is a county run program. Contact Michael Darga 989-734-7219 or John Chappa 989-766-2738 with questions.

**STREET LIGHTS:** Report any township street light outages to the Township Supervisor or Clerk as soon as possible. Do not hesitate to report any unusual activity around the township hall, street lights, or the recycle station to a township official. Repairs due to vandalism are billed to the township, and continuous incidents at a specific light may result in a decision by the Township Board to discontinue future repairs to it.

**MEETINGS:** All meetings are held at the township hall at 12022 Bolton Rd. in Posen

**Board of Trustees:** Monthly, on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm.

**Planning Commission:** Quarterly @ 7:00 pm. on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month and on an as needed basis.

Rezoning and Special Use permit requests will be heard on dates and times agreed upon by the Planning Commission Chairperson. A fee will be charged to applicants for a hearing.

**Zoning Board of Appeals:** Meet annually for organization, and as needed to hear appeals.

Contact the Zoning Administrator for details. A fee will be charged to applicants for a hearing.

**Board of Review:** July, December and March of each year. Call the Supervisor for dates and times or visit our website.

**Meeting and Public Hearing changes and cancellations:** Notice is posted at the township hall and/or published in a local newspaper, and/or announced on radio station WATZ 99.3 FM and posted on our website.

If you need more information regarding meetings, please call Clerk Elaine Misiak @ 989-766-8804.

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

- Supervisor,** Michael Grohowski..989-306-1101  
12706 Blemke Rd, Posen, MI 49776 [supervisor\\_m@krakowtownship.org](mailto:supervisor_m@krakowtownship.org)
- Clerk,** Elaine Misiak .....989-766-8804  
12470 N. Grand Lake Hwy., Posen, MI 49776 [clerk@krakowtownship.org](mailto:clerk@krakowtownship.org)
- Deputy** Delphine Bisson.....989-595-6825
- Treasurer,** Diane Mucciante...989-464-8659  
7624 Grand Point Road, Presque Isle , MI 49777 [treasurer@krakowtownship.org](mailto:treasurer@krakowtownship.org)
- Deputy** Art Mucciante.....989-619-1316
- Trustee,** Michael Bennett .....760-218-0427  
15917 Shubert Hwy., Alpena, MI 49707....mikecaalaska@gmail.com
- Trustee,** Mitchell Mulka .....989-766-8153  
9913 Miller Rd, Posen, MI 49776. ....mitchmulka@hotmail.com

**BOARD OF REVIEW**

*(call for meeting dates and times)*

- **Secretary,** Michael Grohowski 989-306-1101
- **Assessors,** Allan & Jodi Berg ... 989-734-3555
- **Member,** Leroy Flanner
- **Member,** Helen Rygwelski
- **Member,** Arthur Lewandowski
- **Alternate,** Michael T. Smith

**PLANNING COMMISSION**

- Chairperson,** Chad Ernest 989-595-3775
- 14066 US 23 S, Presque Isle, MI 49777
- Secretary,** Mitchell Mulka 989-766-8153
- Member,** Bernadette Kenjorski
- Member,** Michael Rehling
- Member,** Howard Bixel

**TOWNSHIP HALL**

- 12022 Bolton Road
- Posen, MI 49776
- 989-766-8203

**From your Assessor, Allan Berg**

Please check your tax bill to ensure your PRE exemption is correct. If not, please contact us at 989-734-3555. Questions: Email [info@assessingoffice.com](mailto:info@assessingoffice.com) or call our office. Please allow 2 business days for replies.

20% Property Inspections: Krakow Township has completed inspections on all parcels in the Township throughout a 5-year period (20% per year). As recommended by the Michigan Department of Treasury, we are scheduled to continue 20% each year and start back through the Township. Therefore, you will notice staff inspecting your property again even though it was done 5 years ago.

- Jodi and Allan Berg. .... 989-734-3555  
P.O. Box 25, Rogers City, MI 49779

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

*(meets annually and per hearing)*

- **Chairperson,** Chad Ernest
- **Secretary,** Donna Couture
- Member,** Michael Bennett
- Member,** Alvin Grundy
- Member,** Kimberly Wisniewski
- Alternate,** Open

**PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY**

[www.presqueislecounty.org](http://www.presqueislecounty.org)

- Treasurer.....**989-734-4075
- Equalization.....**989-734-3810
- Clerk.....**989-734-3288
- Register of Deeds.....**989-734-2676
- Road Commission.....**989-734-2216
- Building & Zoning.....**989-734-2915

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Written correspondence should be addressed to the Township Clerk's home/office address.