



Holland Charter Township E-News

January - February 2019

Recreation Dance Team Competition

Congratulations to the Holland Township Recreation Competitive Dance Teams who competed in the Coopersville Dance Competition on December 1. The Middle School team took 2nd place in the Jazz category, the Upper Elementary School team took 1st place in the Jazz category and the Lower Elementary School team took 2nd place in the Hip-Hop category. Well done to the dancers and coaches! If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact the [Recreation Department](#).



Lower Elementary - 2nd place in Hip-Hop



Middle School - 2nd place in Jazz



Upper Elementary School - 1st in Jazz

January & February Township Meetings

Township Board (7:00 pm)

January 3 | January 17 | February 7 | February 21

Planning Commission (7:00 pm)

January 8 | February 5

Zoning Board of Appeals (5:30 pm)

January 22 | February 26

For agendas and meeting minutes, click [here](#).

Township Offices Closed for New Year's Day

Township Offices will be closed on **Tuesday, January 1** in observance of New Year's Day. The Township wishes you happiness and health in the new year.

Free Christmas Tree Recycling

Don't miss **FREE** Christmas tree recycling from **December 26** through **January 31**. Township residents may drop-off trees at Quincy Park (14025 Quincy Street). Follow the signs to the drop-off area. Trees may be brought to the park from dawn to dusk.

Please be sure to remove everything from the tree including tinsel, garland, lights and hangers for the bulbs.



Snow Removal

The Township encourages residents and businesses to use both caution and courtesy for snow shoveling and storage. Please do not store snow in locations where it could limit road visibility such as near intersections of sidewalks and driveways with streets. Do not store snow on bicycle paths or pedestrian sidewalks. Make sure that your fire hydrant near your home is cleared of snow and ice as well in the event of a fire. Please contact the Community Development Department at (616) 395-0151 if you have any questions. Thank you for your cooperation.

Winter Property Taxes Due February 14

Winter property tax bills were mailed out on December 1 and are due without penalty by **February 14, 2019**. The Treasurer's office is open Monday - Friday from 8 am - 5 pm. You may pay in person, drop off your payment in the secure drop box located in the front entrance, pay online (extra fee applies) or mail your payment to 353 N. 120th Avenue, Holland, MI 49424.

Register Rental Property by February 15

All rental properties must be registered with the Township annually on or before February 15. Newly constructed or newly converted rental units need to be registered within 30 days. A rental unit which is sold, transferred or conveyed needs to be registered by the new owner. A three or six-year rental certificate of compliance will be issued upon verification that the property is in compliance. Find forms and more information [here](#).

Basement Finishing Projects

The winter season is a time when many residents finish off their basement. Please remember that this sort of remodeling needs a permit from the Township not only to ensure your family's safety, but also to protect you from any home issues with future owners. Call the Building Department at (616) 395-0196 for assistance.

Next Election Day is Tuesday, May 7

There is only one election coming up in 2019 which is a special election for school proposals on **Tuesday, May 7**. More information to come but do not forget to mark your calendar!

Assessing Department

If you are looking for assessing information and forms, please visit the Township [website](#). Our Assessors are available during regular business hours. Residents may stop in without an appointment with questions.

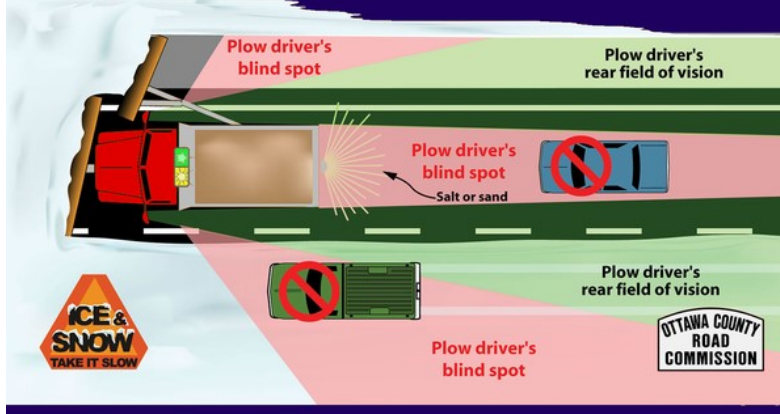
Respectful Flag Disposal



The Township has a box in the office for American flags you wish to honorably dispose of. The Daughters of the American Revolution will take the flags and ensure their proper disposal.

Community News

Snow Plow Safety



The Ottawa County Road Commission wants you to be aware of the many snow plow trucks that are out and about on the roads. Give them an adequate amount of space because they have blind spots while driving.

2019 Windmill Island Sculpture Garden

Windmill Island Gardens, in conjunction with the Holland Area Arts Council, are seeking sculptural artworks for their 2019 season featuring the theme "Catch the Wind". For additional information, please e-mail windmill@cityofholland.com or call Matt Helmus (Windmill Island Gardens Development Manager) at (616) 355-1030.

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Mission Statement

It is the mission of the officials and staff of the Charter Township of Holland to serve its citizens with courtesy, integrity, and efficiency, and to provide quality municipal services that will help to maintain and improve the overall manner in which our citizens live, work, and play.

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8 am - 5 pm

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