Gas at its lowest price in nearly 4 years

National average price could be under $3 per gallon by Election Day

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Gas prices go up, gas prices go down. The roller coaster ride of the gas pumps has left many people wondering why.

No, it’s not because of Ebola, or ISIS, or the upcoming election, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com. While the actual reason for the gas price fluctuations are difficult to determine, GasBuddy.com says it has to do with seasonal price fluctuations and supply-and-demand changes, as well as price wars between some members of

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With absentee voter ballots, no excuse for not voting

Still time to make sure your vote counts on Nov. 4

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With so many proposals and races in the upcoming mid-term election on Tuesday, Nov. 4, residents who want to ensure their voice is heard may want to consider voting with an absentee ballot. Even though this election does not include a presidential race, it will determine who our next governor is, who our local legislators will be and who will be leading our schools.

Registered voters who know they will be out of town on Election Day can easily cast their vote ahead of time with an absentee ballot. Likewise, those with health restrictions or other approved reasons may contact their local clerk and fill out their absentee ballot.

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Hundreds of princesses at area Disney event

This home on Holly Bush Drive is part of the growth in sales in Oakland County. Holly is right behind Ferndale in sales.

Holly now a hot spot for home sales

Oakland County, village second behind only Ferndale

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Holly — Holly is one of the many areas in southeast Michigan that has seen a big surge in demand for buying, selling, and building homes. Since 2009, Holly has seen a 54.3 percent increase in home sale values, from $105,000 to $162,000 according to a recent Detroit Free Press article. This puts the village behind only Ferndale for highest value growth in Oakland County.

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Linden officials to enforce ordinance on water bills

Change in county program could force city to shut water off if bill not paid on time

By Yvonne Stegall
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Linden — The city will now be issuing water shut-offs for residents and businesses that are not paying their water bills. While at one time the unpaid bill would just roll over into the taxes for that year, Genesee County no longer can reimburse the city for the lax water payments. That means the city will now follow an existing ordinance, that says non-payment of water will result in water shut-offs.

The city’s water ordinance is in its Charter, under section 13.04.030 Water Rates Section C and states — “No free water service shall be rendered by said water supply system to any person, firm or corporation, public or private, or to any public agency or instrumentality.” It also states under Section H paragraph 2 “the city shall have the right to shut off and discontinue the supply

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Fun for everyone this Halloween in Fenton

Nightmare on Mill Street gives adults something to do after the kids have had their fun

By Yvonne Stegall
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Halloween is a time of fun for all ages. Fenton kicks off its Halloween celebration at 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24, with the Halloween parade. All ages are welcome, and visitors are encouraged to dress up in costumes.

John Strayer, Fenton Halloween Committee member said via email, “Our first year, with just word of mouth publicity, we had over 200 people turn out for the parade. The numbers have grown ever since and last year, even with the weather damp and cold, we had over 300 participants.”

While the parade is open to all ages, Strayer said, “Children are welcome, however, the parade is not necessarily ‘kid-friendly’ — some costumes may be quite scary.” He also pointed out that kids often wear some of the scariest costumes. If parents want to walk with their children in the parade, the parents must also be in costume.

While this is not a trick or treating opportunity, it is an opportunity to wear your costume, march through downtown Fenton, stop traffic and have fun.

The Fenton Halloween Parade starts at 6 p.m. sharp. Those who want to wear their costumes and participate in the parade can do so by meeting up at the tennis courts downtown where the parade will start. The route will go from there, around town and through Dibbleville, on the sidewalks. Police will be there to ensure the parade can safely cross the streets.

There will be surprises along the parade route. John Strayer said that in previous years there had been a thriller flash mob and even a zombie dinner party outside one of the businesses. The parade usually lasts about a half an hour and is immediately followed by the party on Mill Street, at the end of the parade route.

There will be popcorn, cider and doughnuts. A photo booth will be set up for costume photos. There is no charge for the event.

Parade members can also vote for the best piece of art in the Halloween Art Show during the party. Student artwork will be on display in tents, and winners will receive cash prizes, supplied by sponsors The State Bank and Sawyer’s Jewellers.

When this more kid-friendly event See HALLOWEEN on 5

Fenton grad donates to Fenton Education Fund

STEM and Robotics initiatives on receiving end of donation

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The Fenton Education Foundation (FEF) announced that additional funds of $5,000 have been donated to help fund the growing STEM and Robotics initiatives for Fenton Schools.

Roger Archbold, a 1979 graduate of Fenton schools and current Strategic Alliance Manager with Microsoft Corporation, gave a donation of $2,500 with matching funds coming from Microsoft Corporation, according to the FEF.

Archbold is one of seven children in his family to graduate from Fenton Schools. He is reported as saying, “I think it is fantastic that Fenton is taking the lead in developing a Robotics and STEM program and I am honored to support those efforts.”

Pat Lockwood, FEF Chairman, said, in the release, “We are truly grateful for Roger’s donation to the Foundation. He is a great example of giving back to your community and Fenton students are the lucky recipients.”

Archbold currently winters with his wife in Phoenix, Arizona and spends his summers in northern Michigan.

The FEF exists for the purpose of supporting and fostering strong academic, athletic and art programs within our schools. For more information visit www.FentonEducationFoundation.org.
**The busy business of FIRE SERVICES**

**Your five local departments, by the numbers**

By Tim Jagielo

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When a home in Tyrone Township became fully involved (the term fire departments uses for a house completely engulfed in flames), five fire departments responded.

Fenton Fire Department (FFD) technically is the lead agency, as the house was located in its jurisdiction, but Fenton Township Fire Department and the Hartland Fire Department also responded, which cover parts of Tyrone Township. The Linden and Deerfield fire Departments were there as well.

The North Oakland County Fire Authority (NOCFA) was also on standby to cover the city of Fenton if help was needed while attention was in Tyrone.

Each department that responded has the same first priority—handling fire emergencies in their municipalities. But each is as different as the area it covers, and who dispatches them.

When fire departments from other cities respond to assist other departments, it is called mutual aid. FFD supplied between 25 and 40 mutual aid runs per year. Some of these calls are dispatched automatically, others, like calling on NOCFA last week, are done personally by the chief.

What technically qualifies as a run depends on the municipality. Some departments only go on fire runs, some, like NOCFA, are also the primary medical first responders. FFD personnel is also trained medically, but STAT EMS is the lead.
Obama’s second-term slide mostly about us, not him

As President Barack Obama heads into the final half of his final term, many of us Americans wonder whatever happened to the fresh promise of that charismatic optimist who dominated the political stage back in 2008.

Obama’s slump isn’t all that special. Every two-term president in recent decades has suffered a dip in approvals half way through his second term. But Obama’s slide is starting for a man who, only two years ago, became the first Democrat since FDR to win a majority of the popular vote in two elections.

Why has the thrill gone? I can think of three big reasons:

ONE: Public impatience. After six years in office, any president has been seen and heard too many times to satisfy the public’s relentless appetite for something fresh and new.

TWO: An anti-incumbent reflex in news media. The most powerful media bias is our bias against any political narrative that sounds like old news.

THREE: Obama’s own distaste for the politicking that is an inevitable and, in many ways, essential part of presidential leadership.

A fair historical accounting will show Obama did get some things done. He reversed the recession with a stimulus that injected billions into the economy. Recovery has been sluggish and low-wage workers have not benefited as much as upper-income earners. But unemployment is down, so is the deficit, and the stock market, for all of its bounces, has hit record highs.

The president’s healthcare plan still suffers in the polls, but not enough for Republicans to carry through with their plans to make attacks on ‘Obamacare’ a central theme of their midterm campaigns. As for social issues, the Obama era has reversed the conservative culture wars, particularly in women’s rights, same-sex marriage and reproductive rights, among other issues.

Yet there’s little doubt that he could have done more had he engaged his relentless opposition more effectively early on.

Gary Young, at Britain’s liberal newspaper The Guardian, observed that Obama’s campaign slogan, ‘Yes we can,’ seems to have become, ‘At least he tried.’ The next two years offer him a big opportunity to try harder.

TO THE PERSON who took down all the stuff at Brian Zaffer’s tree, Brian is dead! He is never coming back and you took away a place where his loved ones could go and talk to him, feel like he was there, and be with him. For what reason could you possibly do this, there is NONE.

You’re an embarrassment to mankind and I hope you have a terrible rest of your life.

I AGREE WITH the hotliner who said that our school board should be populated with parents of students, not retirees. Vote for the young, involved candidates.

A LESSON for all you political puns. I will make it simple so everyone can understand. The Right is right and the Left is wrong.

REGARDING THE RURAL roads speed limit of 55 mph. You’re incorrect in saying there is not a minimum speed limit law. According to police, the minimum speed limit on the freeways is 55 mph. There is not a specific minimum speed limit for rural roads, but it is illegal to interrupt the flow of traffic.

IN RESPONSE to the comment, ‘Hey hunters stop chasing and killing the deer,’ the entire reason for a hunting season is to reduce the population of deer to not only preserve the balance of the ecosystem but to also reduce damage to crops and deer-related car accidents.

TO THE UNEDUCATED Democrat, tax breaks for businesses aren’t meant to increase employee wages. They are meant to entice the business to come to our state. Collecting some tax at a percentage is meant to entice the business to come and increase employee wages. They are

no tax at all, and it makes us competitive for future businesses.

WENT TO THE Fenton Tigers football game tonight and enjoyed it, even if I don’t know much at all about the sport. I don’t think I have the right skills to call even a high school game.

FOR THE PERSON to suggest taking some Ebola patients and sending them to ISIS, that was quite a crude way and insensitive of you. I don’t know if you thought it was funny. The Ebola crisis is serious and nothing to make light of.

FENTON SCHOOLS, how can you take money from people for school parking spots, excused homework assignments and even for better grades? First of all, this seems very unethical, and secondly, isn’t it unfair to the people who do not have the extra money to bid on these auction items?

REPUBLICANS PREFER SLAVES to stagnant wages and owners of big business capital. Democrats prefer slaves to destructive handouts and crippling regulations. If you’re not wealthy or privileged, both established parties are your enemy. All governments eventually disappoint into the elite exploiting the people.

AS YOU ARE SITTING in your comfy chair thinking, ‘OK I’ll do it tomorrow,’ I would like to think about all the corruption and the string of serious scandals we’ve endured under the Obama Administration: Remember Gary Peters is an Obama puppet that loves and supports Obamacare. Do you?

See HOT LINE throughout Times.
Wildlife Committee hopeful for new goose deterrent works

Bursts of water from sprinkler keeps foul at bay

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Fenton, MI — Monday night at the Fenton Township Board of Trustees meeting, Dan Daniels, with the Lake Fenton Property Owners Association’s Wildlife Committee, spoke about his work to find something to keep the geese off of people’s yards. He believes he has found something that actually works.

Daniels said it took a lot of trial and error to find an item that worked. He tried a fake coyote, which scared people, not geese. He tried a fake mute swan, since the geese and swans don’t seem to get along. That didn’t work either.

After trying numerous ways to scare off the geese, Daniels decided to try the ScareCrow. According to paperwork that Daniels supplied the Board, the ScareCrow protects any open area of the garden or yard that receives the unwanted attention of animals. It contains a passive infrared sensor that uses temperature to detect animals, and movement. When triggered, the ScareCrow releases a three-second burst of water through a sprinkler.

Daniels said, “With one ScareCrow out the geese soon learned where the spray was and would avoid that area.” He added a second, then a third, which was the apparent key to keeping the geese off the yard. He said that after a few months the ScareCrow was shut off and geese continued to avoid the yard.

This device isn’t just for geese; it can also be used for keeping cats, dogs, rabbits, deer and other wildlife out of your yard or garden. They cost $48 each, according to Daniels. He said, “It is a beautiful technological development.”

This device also removed the need for geese roundups in which the wildlife is cruelly treated and euthanized. Those interested in learning more about this device can contact the LFPOA.

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Dan Daniels
Lake Fenton Property Owners Association’s Wildlife Committee

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ends at 8 p.m., fun for the adults begins with “Nightmare on Mill Street.” This zombie-themed costume party runs until midnight, across from the Fenton Post Office on Mill Street between South LeRoy and South Adelaide streets. This is a fundraising event for the Fenton Firefighters Charities sponsored in a large part by Vic Canever Chevrolet of Fenton.

Nightmare on Mill Street is a 21 and older event with $10 cover charge that includes entrance into the event tent, automatic entry for prize drawings every half hour and for best-dressed costume, dancing to DJ and spooky games, photo booth and a “Thriller” dance-along at 11:45 p.m.

Only 400 tickets are available to this event, and can be purchased in advance at Vic Canever, The State Bank, VG’s Silver Parkway, and Berkshire Hathaway Home Services Real Estate.

Bar-B-Q will be available for purchase from Fenton Fire Hall. Craft beer and specialty cocktails will be available for purchase from The Laundry.

EVENTS
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• Fenton Halloween Trick-or-Treat time is usually between 6 to 8 p.m. The Board of Trustees will approve the time at its next meeting, Oct. 27.
• Saturday, Oct. 25, from 3-5 p.m. is “Holly-ween” in downtown Holly. Bring your little ghosts and goblins for the annual Holly-ween merchant Trick-or-Treating. Last year, more than 900 children joined in the spooky festivities.

Is your energy bill haunted?
Rarely used electronics may cost you $100 annually if left plugged in

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The Halloween season is the perfect time to talk about “phantom load” and “energy ghosts,” but your energy bill is likely haunted by them anytime throughout the year.

Phantom load is the electricity that is consumed by appliances and electronic devices when they are either turned off or not performing their primary function. Examples include TVs, cable boxes, cell phone chargers, microwaves and video consoles. According to Consumers Energy, there may be up to 40 of these devices lurking in your home and wasting electricity.

The U.S. Department of Energy says these phantom loads cost the average U.S. household about $100 per year, powering devices that are turned off or in standby power mode.

While it’s impossible to get rid of all your home’s phantom loads, there are actions you can take to save time and money:

• Unplug devices that are rarely used, i.e., a TV and DVD player in the guest room.
• Use a power strip with a switch to control groups of computer clusters (such as computer, printer, speakers) or entertainment centers (TV, stereo, game console). Keep devices such as a cable box and wireless transmitter on a separate circuit to avoid losing a connection.
• Use “smart” power strips for computers, which can sense when a device is turned off or not being used and will automatically shut off the power.
• Buy Energy Star certified appliances and electronic devices. These typically draw less standby power than standard models.

When you register to the Times Online site, you will be automatically entered to win.
Already a member?
No worries, you’re automatically entered!
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the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) and concerns about the global health of the economy.
As of Monday, Oct. 20, retail gas prices in Flint averaged $3.13 per gallon, having risen 10.9 cents in the past week, according to GasBuddy.com. This compares with the national average that has fallen 6.1 cents per gallon in the last week to $3.12.
Including the change in gas prices during the past week, prices yesterday were 36.5 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago, and are 15.6 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has decreased 22.9 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 23.1 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.
The national average stands now at its lowest point since Jan. 18, 2011. The nation’s 10 most expensive markets are in states on the West Coast and in the Northeast, led by Hawaii ($4.08), Alaska ($3.80), California ($3.50) and New York ($3.45). The least expensive price at the pumps is in Missouri, where customers are paying $2.77 per gallon.
By the end of this week, gas prices could stand at the lowest since late 2010. Patrick DeHaan, senior petroleum analyst at GasBuddy.com, predicts that the national average will break under the $3 per gallon mark by Election Day.
Every day, Americans are spending over $100 million less on their gas purchases than they did a year ago. Doug “Smitty” Smith, owner of Sunoco Exit 80 in Fenton, is smiling more these days. “People are loving it,” he said, adding that his gas prices went down to $2.99 last Thursday. “The rack price went back up 8 cents over the weekend, but people are still filling up their tanks and bringing in their gas cans.”
He expects prices will go up slightly, between 12 and 15 cents, in the next few weeks, but are basically stabilizing. “People are still topping off their tanks,” he said. “They’re a lot happier.”

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We are paying $1 per pound for your Halloween candy. We will accept donated candy through Nov. 7th, 2014.

Police & Fire report
DRIVER OF CRASHED TRUCK Sought
Deputies with the Genesee County Sheriff’s Department is attempting to locate the driver of a black Ford F-250 pickup truck that was abandoned on I-96 just after 2 a.m. on Thursday, Oct. 16. Gino Gaticka said the truck crashed and the driver fled on foot.

Drones and the law
The subject of ‘drones’ has certainly been in the news lately in both negative and positive ways.
Although the term has a variety of definitions, the drone I am referring to is a type of unmanned aircraft system, which is remotely piloted by a human being.

Drones are no longer the “radar for coast guards and other enforcement agencies” they were a few years ago. They have become a threat to human life and property, and more people are concerned about them than ever before.

There are several reasons why this is the case. First, there is a growing awareness of the potential for drones to be used for malicious purposes, such as attack or surveillance. Second, the technology behind drones has become more advanced and affordable, making them more accessible to people who might use them for nefarious purposes. Third, there is a lack of regulation and oversight when it comes to drones, which can lead to them being used in ways that are dangerous or illegal.

The issue of drones is a complex one, and it will likely require a multi-faceted approach to address. This might include developing new regulations and oversight mechanisms, increasing public awareness and education, and promoting responsible use of drones.

In the end, it is up to us to take responsibility for our use of drones, and to ensure that they are being used in ways that are safe and ethical. This will require a collaborative effort, involving governments, businesses, and individuals alike.

If you are interested in learning more about drones, or if you have any questions or concerns about them, please feel free to reach out to me.
# Hashtag this, hashtag that... Exactly what is a hashtag?

> Use them to link your posts and photos with other similar groups and postings.

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A pound sign (#) used to mean a measurement when writing or a football player’s number.

Now today’s tech-savvy generation uses the pound sign to denote a “hashtag” phrase on social media like Facebook, Twitter, et al. Using them enables the content of your post to be accessible to all people with similar interests, even if they’re not your followers or “friends.”

“They started using Twitter in 2007 as a means to organize Twitter conversations,” said Chelsea Mills, owner of Behind Your Design, a web development and marketing firm in Fenton. “In 2013, hashtags migrated to Facebook. They’re used to group and categorize photos and videos and to make them easily searchable and accessible to others.”

For example, if you’re an Apple fan and thinking about buying a new iPhone 6. A simple “#iPhone6” search on any social network will open a dedicated news feed with all iPhone 6 latest updates, stories, and rumors and hacks.

People also use them socially on Facebook to identify with other groups and link to images or statuses like theirs. “They use hashtags to identify with trending news issues, or maybe even a college class of incoming freshmen might have a hashtag,” said Mills. “They are especially popular at weddings, where the bride and groom request the guests to use a specific hashtag to organize and tag all the images from their wedding.”

Usually, users don’t actively search for hashtags, but simply spot them. Hashtags appear as clickable links on posts they see, and a click of the mouse will display a real-time live feed of every other post tagged with the same name. The hashtag symbol (#) makes them both searchable and linkable.

According to Mills, hashtags have an increasing presence in online searches as brands become aware of the hashtag’s potential to be a link that unites and identifies message across a social media atmosphere. “They’re useful in gaining momentum in a product launch or news event,” said Mills. “They’re also useful for identifying communities of like people or increasing awareness about social issues or topics. Businesses also have to be careful with their marketing in using trending topic hashtags, because without careful research, they may find their hashtag was linked to a sensitive topic.”

For more casual everyday usage, some Facebook users use hashtags as a way to sum up their posts. “I don’t even really look for the information,” said Amanda Fegan, 44, of Fenton Township. She’s been griping about something silly on Facebook, and then sum up the post with a comical hashtag. It acknowledges that there are lots of other people out there in the same boat.

## HOW TO CREATE AN EFFECTIVE HASHTAG:

You can use hashtags on any of these social media platforms: Facebook, Instagram, Google+, Tumblr and Pinterest.

- **Keep it simple.** All you need to do is include a # and a relevant key word or phrase.
- **You can insert hashtags anywhere in your posts:** front, middle or end.
- **Just like links, hashtags can appear to be spam if they are used too often.**
- **Don’t use more than three hashtags in one post.**
- **Give context to your hashtag.** Just using a hashtag is not only confusing, but boring.
- **Don’t use a space, because this will break the link.** If you want to differentiate between words, use capitols instead. Upper-case letters will not alter your search results.
- **Numbers are supported, but punctuation marks are not.** Commas, periods, exclamation points, question marks and apostrophes are out. No asterisks, ampersands or any other special characters.

Sources: Behind Your Design, and mashable.com

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### WATER BILLS

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of water for any premises for the non-payment.”

Those 30 days behind on payments will receive a notice in the mail and if the bill is not paid they will get their water turned off. City Treasurer Beverly Vondra, said, at the city council meeting on Oct. 13, “We should start taking a stance and start pushing it. We can’t supply free water service.”

It is the City’s funding limitation and the belief of city officials that delinquent water bills will no longer be reimbursed to the city after being rolled over to individual taxes.

Vondra said via email, “Prior administration chose to not enforce the turning off of water/sewer due to non-payment because the bills would get rolled into the property tax bill.” The current administration is now choosing to enforce this ordnance because they were recently informed that future delinquent bills that are rolled over to the summer tax bills in delinquent water bills may not be reimbursed any longer.

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### News briefs

**PEG submission approved by Fenton Township**

A combined PEG (Public Education Grant) application has been submitted for Lake Fenton, Linden and Fenton schools. This grant should the FACT (Fenton Area Cable Television Consortium) choose to continue to fund this project, goes toward the continuation and growth of Channel 191. The money awarded by the grant, goes for equipment needed to continue the production of Channel 191. According to the submission proposal from the schools, if this grant is not approved, the quality of Channel 191 programming will quickly fall behind that of other channels. The Fenton Township Board of Trustees agreed unanimously to move forward with the grant application that would supply things like cameras and other equipment to the school for use strictly for channel 191.

**Appointment of Fenton Township Fire Code Board of Appeals**

On Monday, the Fenton Township Board of Trustees agreed to combine the appointments of the Construction Code and Fire Code Board of Appeals. The Fenton Fire Code Board of Appeals had expired; the board had not met in several years. In addition to a board of appeals for the Construction Code, the Town- ship is also required to appoint a board of appeals for the Fire Code. The Construction Code requires two-year staggered terms. The Fire Code does not specify terms — only that the members serve at the pleasure of the governing body. The Township Board appointed five board members to serve on both boards concurrently. They are Jack Darrell, Mark Mustola, David Franz, John Shayna and Chris Weir.

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“Obviously the market is much stronger now than it has been in several years,” said John Wentworth of John Wentworth Re/Max Platinum. Wentworth said that Holly was a good living alternative to Fenton and it saw increasing demand due to its proximity to expressways U.S. 23 and I-75.

This year has been good for real estate agent Coldwell Banker Professionals as well, said sales manager Michael Wagner. The average price for sales for Wagner’s office in Fenton was $145,000. Two years ago, it had been around $110,000. The highest sale Coldwell Banker made this year was $600,000.

“I would say that it’s better than it’s been in a long while,” Wagner said. “By the time something’s on the market, it’s jumping and selling.”

Wagner notes that the supply of homes for sale has yet to keep up with demand. This has been both good and bad. While it has led to increased sale value, it creates an element of uncertainty.

“When you have that demand, and a lack of inventory, people are afraid they are going to lose and they’ll pay whatever they have to in order to get it,” he said.

Another issue for Wagner is winter. The company had struggled with sales last winter as snow prevented some people from viewing the property they wanted. Still, Wagner remains hopeful due to increased building development in places such as the Pulle subdivision. “It has been both good and bad. While it has led to increased sale value, it creates an element of uncertainty.

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### Holly Area Schools

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Holly Area Schools is accepting applications (October 31, 2014 - November 17, 2014) for grades Kindergarten through Twelve for its 2014-2015 Schools of Choice program.

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- Community Contributor

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Ann Fischer – Pupil Services
Holly Area Schools – 920 Baird Street, Holly, MI 48442
Call (248)328-3106 or fax (248)328-3145 or www.has-k12.org
FIRE
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ambulance service for Fenton.

The Times has compiled the basics on each department. Fenton and Linden departments are actually smaller than the departments that cover the outer townships.

Fenton Fire Department (FFD)
The FFD is dispatched through the city of Fenton 911 dispatcher. As Fenton covers a portion of Tyrone Township, those calls are dispatched through Livingston County 911.
The department is supported by the general fund of the city budget, which comes from city property taxes.
The $700,000 annual budget includes the truck fund, equipment, maintenance, fuel, the fire hall building and personnel.
Chief Bob Cairnduff is the only full-time staff member, though there are 35 on-call firefighters and a part-time secretary.

Last year, FFD did 505 runs, with 350 in the city, and 150 in Tyrone Township. Cairnduff said call volume and need determines the staff, which in some cases doesn’t require a full-time chief, depending on the size of the department.

Year to date, FFD has done 400 total runs. Each run costs about $1300, which includes salaries of the personnel and equipment depreciation. This is the same fee Tyrone Township pays to Fenton Fire Department. Tyrone Township residents pay for fire services out of a public safety assessment.

FFD has seven fire vehicles, which include two command vehicles, an engine, tanker, ladder, light and heavy rescue, and the utility brush truck.

Fentontownship Fire Department (FTFD)

Ryan Volz is the fire chief for the FTFD. Township residents pay a public safety assessment to cover fire services.

Aside from Volz, there is a deputy chief, two captains, two lieutenants, two sergeants and 16 firefighters.

Volz said his department goes on approximately 700 calls per year, supplying mutual aid about 30 times. FTFD handles the northwest district (west of U.S. 23) of Tyrone Township for fire services.

FTFD is dispatched by Genesee County 911, for calls that happen in the county.

FTFD has eight vehicles in their fleet. There are two medium duty rescue trucks, two attack pumper trucks, two pumper/tankers, one utility truck and one command vehicle.

Linden Fire Department (LFD)

Chief Brian Will said Linden residents, like Fenton, pay for fire services out of their property taxes, and there is no cost-per-run income. Will said there are 17 total members of the department.

Will said they had 331 total medical/fire calls for the year 2013. “Last year we assisted other departments for mutual aid 31 times,” he said.

LFD is dispatched through Genesee County 911, and only covers the two square miles of the city, with no outside contracts. LFD has two engines, one medical rescue and a grass truck.

North Oakland County Fire Authority (NOCFa)

NOCFA is the fire service agency for Holly and Rose townships, making it the largest department, with the largest area to cover. Jeremy Lintz serves as chief, and NOCFa recently celebrated 30 years of service.

NOCFA is also the only EMS service for the area it covers. “That can almost double the cost of your operating budget,” he said, which include ALS (advanced life support) services.

Lintz said that NOCFa is supported in Holly Township by an assessment, and with a millage in Rose Township. Each municipality pays $441,000, and the cost per run averages $1020, he said.

The department goes on approximately 800 runs per year, with 15 or so mutual aid runs.

There are 15 vehicles in their fleet, with 44 personnel.

Holly/Groveland Fire Department

The village of Holly is covered by the Groveland Township Fire Department by way of contract, and shares Chief Steve McGee between the two departments.

Combined, Holly/Groveland Fire Department ran the most runs of any department, with 940 calls for just the village, and 2,241 for the township.

In Holly, the department is part of the general budget, and Groveland Township residents pay through a fire millage, with a budget of $733,000. Either department is dispatched through the Oakland County Communication Center.

News briefs

Free car seat safety checks

The Fenton Fire Department is teaming up with Hurley Trauma Center and the Safe Kids of Greater Flint to offer a free car seat safety check this coming Saturday, Oct. 25 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Fenton fire station. Certified child passenger safety technicians will be performing installation teachings and checks. The fire station is located at 205 East Caroline St. in downtown Fenton. For details, email SafeKids@Hurleymc.com.

Fenton Village Players adds performances of Jake’s Women

Fenton Village Players have added two additional performances of “Jake’s Women.” Neil Simon has created a human story and character in Jake with such a touch of humor that you cannot help but to laugh and cry. Director Mary Smith Powers has put together a talented powerhouse cast. Fenton Village Players takes pride in putting this one on stage. For more information visit their website our pick up their ad in the Tri-County Times. Performance Dates: Oct. 23, 24, 25 and Nov. 1 at 7 p.m., Oct. 26 and Nov. 2 at 2 p.m.
**SEX TAPE**

Jay (Jason Segel) and Annie (Cameron Diaz) are a married couple still very much in love, but 10 years and two kids have cooled the passion. To get it back, they decide - why not? - to make a video of themselves trying out every position in The Joy Of Sex in one marathon three-hour session. It seems like a great idea, until they discover that their most private video has gone public. In a panic, they begin a wild night of adventure - tracking down leads, roping in friends, duping Annie’s boss - all to reclaim their video, their reputation, their sanity, and, most importantly, their marriage.

**R**, 1 hr. 34 min.

**EARTH TO ECHO**

Tuck, Munch and Alex are a trio of inseparable friends whose lives are about to change. Their neighborhood is being destroyed by a highway construction project that is forcing their families to move away. But just two days before they must part ways, the boys begin receiving a strange series of signals on their phones. Convinced something bigger is going on, they team up with another school friend, Emma, and set out to look for the source of their phone signals. What they discover is something beyond their wildest imaginations: a small alien who has become stranded on Earth. In need of their help, the four friends come together to protect the alien and help him find his way home.

**PG**, 1 hr 29 min.

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Disney event a big deal for little princesses

Local school hosts Enchanted Princess Ball, draws 1,000 over weekend

By Tim Jagielo

Fenton — The gym full of little princesses managed to sit patiently in their seats until Elsa from “Frozen” stepped up and sang “Let It Go.”

The actor was quickly surrounded by 50 adoring children, who breached the barrier between performer and audience with their excitement. The performers rolled with it — after all, interaction was kind of the point of the Enchanted Princess Ball.

Streamers waved, bubbles floated, and Disney came alive as little princesses took over the World of Wonder (WOW) Early Childhood Center.

For this one weekend, the gym is transformed in order to transport hundreds of kids to a world they usually only see on a screen. They are able to interact with their favorite Disney princesses and other characters in a two-hour performance.

Enchanted Princess Ball Productions of Port Huron has come to Fenton a second time, bringing in 1,000 fans over the weekend.

The set up basically looks like a Disney prom for toddlers. Attendees and their families cross a lush, decorated entry, which is a small bridge over a pond stocked with live fish, and faux wildlife.

The show was a seamless program leading viewers from one Disney story vignette to the next. Many of the Disney songs were performed by actors themselves, others were lip-synched, and all included movement and dancing.

It was also interactive. Prince Charming from Cinderella combs the crowd with the missing slipper. Snow White leads her seven dwarfs between tables, and performs under the gazebo in the middle of the seated area.

Sandi Jablonski is the co-owner and operator of the Enchanted Princess Ball, along with husband John. They do one weekend performance a month during the school year, and this show was their first one back since May.

In November they’ll be in Macomb, in December, Rochester with one location per month from October through May.

This one brought a minimum of 500 kids for the weekend, and about 1,000 total, for all four shows. “We’ve never sold out a show anywhere we go,” she said.

Jablonski said they will sell 10,000 tickets throughout the year.

Most, if not all of the attendees were girls between 2 and 9 or so, though Jablonski said boys like the show too.

While the classics like Cinderella are represented, the newest and most popular edition to the show is Anna and Elsa from Frozen, for which they recently secured the rights.

This brings up an interesting point also — a lot of these young girls are far more familiar with the more recent princesses. Jablonski said they’re mainly interested in the characters from Frozen, Brave, and The Little Mermaid, Tiana, Sofia the First and Tinkerbell. “That’s the most shocking thing to me,” she said.

Sleeping Beauty, Snow white, and Belle are lesser-known to the young princesses.

Jablonski also hopes the little princesses learn something from the show.

“There are many lessons in etiquette, teaching morals and values that we bring to life,” she said. The lesson of “kindness wins in the end,” is also illustrated. “All these stories are set up for teaching morals and values that we bring to life.”

Jablonski said that other cultures are explored through Aladdin and Mulan. Of course, these are the Disney-version of “other cultures.”

With all the details, props, lights and sound system, it will take 12 to 15 hours for set up. The production enlists a cast of 28 and a crew of nine for set up. One member sings and plays guitar, while also helping set up the show, adding details to the forest entrance.

The performers themselves are of a high caliber — the actor playing Peter Pan was a contestant on American Ninja Warrior, and they pull from universities all over Michigan.
HOCKEY

Q Who said "All hockey players are bilingual. They know English and profanity?"

It was Mr. Hockey himself, Gordie Howe. Of course, Howe played for the Red Wings from 1946 until 1971.

HOLLY AT STATE TENNIS MEET

The Holly Bronchos tied for 22nd place at the Division 2 state meet held at Kalamazoo College. The only Holly flight to capture a victory was Mitch Hughes at No. 4 singles. Hughes defeated Portage Northern’s Alastair Allen by a 6-1, 7-5 score. However, Hughes lost to Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central’s No. 2 seeded Jacob Wiljer in his next match 6-4, 6-0. Holly’s No. 1 singles player Evan Vergith came closest of the Bronchos’ other flights to winning. He lost to Grosse Pointe North’s Max Stallings 7-5, 3-6, 6-4 in his opening-round match.

GIRLS DIVISION 2 STATE MEET

Linden’s Hannah Joslin finished in a tie for 22nd place at the Division 2 meet held at Forest Akers West Golf Course. Joslin opened the 36-hole tourney with a 91 on Friday, and closed with an 89 on Saturday, scoring a 180.

There was a field of 89 players at the event. She finished fifth out of the 14 individual qualifiers at the meet.

Tigers remain perfect, crush Flushing, 49-21

Fenton earns co-title, looks for outright championship against area rival Linden on Friday

By David Troppens
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Fenton — The Fenton varsity football team has been at least co-Metro League champions for the last three seasons in football.

On Friday, the Associated Press’ ninth-ranked team in Division 2 assured themselves of at least a fourth co-title and in the process made a pretty impressive statement.

The Tigers decimated the Flushing Raiders during Fenton’s annual Wounded Warrior Project game, defeating Flushing 49-21.

In the battle of the two first-place squads the Tigers (6-0, 8-0) earned outright possession of first place. It also sets up a battle at Linden Friday for a chance to win the title outright. If Linden (5-1, 7-1) wins the contest, the Eagles will earn a share of the crowns. However, a Fenton win will lock up not only a perfect Metro season, but also a perfect 9-0 record overall. The last time the Tigers finished the regular season 9-0 was in 1985.

“This meant a lot to us,” said Fenton running back Bryce Roney, who had 126 rushing yards and a one-yard TD run in the Tigers’ victory. “We had a really hard week of practice. Our linemen stepped it up. We all knew what we wanted to accomplish tonight and I think we did a good job doing it.”

“It feels great. It feels amazing,” junior offensive lineman Kobe Lookbill said.

“I’m just glad we were able to give it to them — show them what the Metro is all about, what Fenton is all about.”

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Eagles qualify for playoffs for 13th straight year, defeat Mustangs

By Jordan Climie
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Clio — It could have been a season of ‘what if’ for the Linden Eagles. They were expected to challenge Fenton for the Flint Metro League title. Then the injuries hit, with key players going down week after week. It seemed as if the season would be a loss.

After a 48-23 win over the Mustangs, however, they’ll take a 5-1 league record (6-2 overall) into their rivalry game against the Tigers next week with a chance to earn a share of the league crown. The Eagles are also in the playoffs for a 13th straight season.

“It feels great,” senior quarterback Ethan Quesnelle said. “A lot of guys who haven’t gotten to play have been stepping up for us.”

The win didn’t come easy however, no matter what the score tells.

Clio got off to an early lead with the first score over halfway through the first quarter. A one-yard touchdown run by Jacob Hardaker capped off an impressive drive by the Mustangs that saw them convert two fourth downs.

Linden didn’t answer immediately, going three-and-out. But the Eagles’ defense did stand strong the next time Clio had the ball, forcing them to go three-and-out as well.

“We have a lot of character,” Quesnelle said.

“We’ve been in this situation before. We just find out what they do and then adapt to it.”

It was during the next drive that Linden got on the board. After a scrambling Quesnelle found junior receiver Bailey Davis for a big gain, junior running back Ryan Young, who

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SPORTS TRIVIA

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Linden soccer beats Fenton again, wins district crown

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Linden — For the second straight season, the Linden varsity boys soccer team won a Division 2 district championship game by defeating area rivals Fenton.

The Eagles earned five of their six goals from seniors, leading Linden to a 6-0 victory against the Tigers at Linden High School early Saturday afternoon.

Linden played Madison Heights Lamphere in the semifinals of the Ortonville-Brandon regional at Ortonville-Brandon High School on Tuesday with the winner of that game playing in Thursday’s regional title game against either Marysville or Bloomfield Hills at 6 p.m., also at Brandon High School. For more information about Tuesday’s game, go to www.tctimes.com.

The Eagles have defeated Fenton six straight times over the last two seasons, including three victories this season.

“Six in a row against Fenton, it feels great,” Linden senior Ben Thornton said. “We are 2-0 against Fenton the last two years in district finals. It feels amazing.

“This being our last game at home (for the seniors), last game against Fenton, last game at districts — winning this game meant everything.”

“There is no better feeling than beating Fenton,” fellow senior Kevin Wright said. “Every single time it feels awesome. We’ve beat them six times in a row, but it’s a great game every time we play them. It’s an honor to play them, and winning back-to-back championships my senior year is awesome.”

The Eagles (19-2-1) dominated both halves, scoring three goals in each. Seniors Kevin Wright and Marcos Toledano scored twice for the Eagles, while Ben Thornton had a goal as well. Junior Tyler Ziccardi provided the other Linden goal.

It took Linden 12 minutes to break the scoreless tie, and the goal came on a nifty shot by Toledano. Derek Deighton crossed a bouncing ball to Toledano, who took a shot off one of the high bounces and placed it into the Fenton net from about 15 yards out. Toledano set up the second goal with a three pass to Wright with 22:05 left. Linden led 2-0 and the Eagles were in complete control.

If the second goal didn’t lock up the victory, the third did.

Wright took an initial shot which was saved by Fenton keeper Tim Geib, but the rebound came back out about five yards from the goal. Wright found the ball and scored into an empty portion of the net.

In the second half, Ziccardi scored off a direct kick from about 18 yards out with 30:25 remaining. Less than two minutes later, Thornton scored on a set piece from about 13 yards from the box on an indirect kick. Ziccardi touched it, allowing Thornton to score on his shot. The final goal came off a header by Toledano with 17:55 remaining.

“I think everybody is on the same page and everyone is looking at the big picture,” Thornton said. “Everyone wants to get that state championship, wants to take it to the next level. We are coming together.”

Linden enjoyed a 20-8 shot edge and controlled the ball most of the contest. Linden dominated the district tourney, outscoring its foes by a combined 25-0 in three games.

Jay Howard started and got the win in net, making four saves. Andrew Coppler finished in net helping preserve the clean sheet.

Linden’s seniors are Thornton, Wright, Cameron Davis and foreign exchange student Toledano.

“This means a lot more as a senior because as a junior you have one more year to show what you have,” Wright said. “As a senior, once you get into districts, every game could be your last game, so you have to leave everything on the field. Today was Ben, Cam and my last game on that field. We had to leave everything out there.”

The Tigers (9-8-1) completed the season with a chance to win the league title until a loss to Linden. They did finish third with a 7-4-1 record.

Lake Fenton only tossed the ball five times, but one of the passes went for a TD. Chad Christian hit Chris Bell with a three-yard TD pass with just five seconds left in the opening half, giving Lake Fenton a 13-12 lead entering the half.

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Swartz Creek 26, Holly 23 OT

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Blue Devils’ ground game sparks 27-26 victory vs. Corunna

▶ Bronchos lose thriller in overtime, remain winless

By David Troppens dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789

The Lake Fenton varsity football team has had its share of hardships this season.

The Blue Devils finally got a chance to celebrate a little bit on Friday night, defeating Corunna 27-26.

It was a thriller, however, Trailing 26-21, the Blue Devils put together an 80-yard drive in the closing minutes, scoring on a one-yard TD run by Trent Hilliger with 52 seconds left in the game.

The Blue Devils’ running game sparked the squad’s thrilling victory.

Hilliger had 164 rushing yards on 35 carries. He also had a three-yard TD run in the opening quarter, giving Lake Fenton a 7-0 lead at the time. Mitchell Bollinger chipped in 161 rushing yards and also scored a TD. His came on a five-yard run late in the third quarter, giving Lake Fenton a 21-18 lead at the time. Trevor Wright also had 85 ground yards.

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Lake Fenton’s Trent Hilliger breaks a tackle to earn a touchdown in a past Blue Devils’ contest. Hilliger scored the game-winning TD for Lake Fenton in a 27-26 victory against Corunna on Friday.

Creek tied it up on one of Smith’s three TD passes. The two-point conversion attempt was no good and the game was tied with 1:03 left in regulation.

Holly travels to Brandon on Friday.
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finished with 200 rushing yards, found the end zone from 10 yards out for the first of many trips.

Young would add a 45-yard touchdown run on Linden’s next offensive drive, and later in the first half,他振found sophomore receiver Trenton Strang for a huge passing touchdown that encompassed half the field.

Clio was driving as the clock was winding down, hoping to score before the game came to a close, but Davis had great hands again to find the ball. This time, he was on defense, and the pick of Jared Sherman’s pass ended the Mustang threat to give the Eagles a 20-7 halftime lead.

It was a defensive start for both teams in the second half, with the first score coming courtesy of a punt. Linden was forced to punt on their first offensive drive after the break, but solid punt coverage by the Eagles netted them a cought-up ball by Clio, with senior Michael Gold coming up with it for a quick jog into the end zone.

Later in the quarter, after showing his skill through the air, Quesnelle used his feet to score a touchdown from 15 yards out.

Not to be outdone, Young showcased his dual threat value as he picked off a pass from Sherman, which then resulted in a 3-yard touchdown run for senior running back Devyn Daul to end the third quarter.

Clio would not go quietly, as the team had found new life both in the fourth quarter and this season overall. After going 0-9 the previous four seasons, the Mustangs weren’t about to lay down for Linden.

A 60-yard touchdown pass from Kane Williams to Zachary Takacs silenced the Linden sidelines, with a two-point conversion to show the Mustangs still had some fight left in them.

Williams followed up that toss with a run from 57 yards out to find the back of the end zone. Another two-point conversion brought the score to 41-23 in favor of the Eagles.

Another Davis interception, however, brought the momentum back to Linden. For icing on the cake, Young scampered 61 yards for a score.

The injury plaque that Linden has felt all season didn’t end, unfortunately, with senior tackle Jacob McQueen taking two hard hits on unsportsmanlike attempts by Clio. The second had enough force to knock one of his cleats off, sending it flying 20 yards or more.

“His a rough teammate down,” Quesnelle said. “But we find a way to come together and play how we know they would want us to play.”

As for facing their rival next week, Quesnelle promises they won’t have a playoff berth hanging in the balance.

“It’s going to come naturally,” he said. “We’re going to stay focused. It’s a huge game for us.”

Quesnelle completed 12-of-24 passes for 132 yards.

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The Tigers certainly did that. After a scoreless first quarter, Fenton exploded for 42 points in the second quarter, earning a 42-14 lead by the half.

Flushing’s running game came into the contest with the notorioty, but it was Roney and Dominick Weiss (122 rushing yards and TD runs of 1 and 15 yards) who ended the game earning the headlines. Fenton began the second quarter with Roney’s one-yard TD run to the right side of the line. Fenton kicker Evan Gornick made the first of his seven extra points and the Tigers led 7-0.

The Tigers’ defense stopped Flushing in seven plays on the Raiders’ next possession, and it took Fenton just three plays to score again. A 62-yard run by Roney helped set up Weiss’ one-yard TD run up the middle, making it a 14-0 Fenton lead with 7:08 left in the second quarter.

Flushing’s offense did some damage in the second quarter as well, scoring on its next possession on a 37-yard TD run by David Jordan. The Fenton lead was cut to 14-7. However, a nice 52-yard kickoff return run by Roney (it would’ve been a TD if not for a penalty) helped set up the Tigers’ next scoring drive. It was a six-play, 36-yard drive capped by Shane Kolin斯基’s two-yard scamper. The lead was back to 21-7 with 3:21 left in the half. Flushing powered right back in the third three plays later on an 82-yard TD pass from Garrett Oginski to Chris Triplet, cutting the lead back to 21-14, but the Tigers weren’t done yet. Fenton took just 51 seconds to drive 61 yards on six plays, scoring on Kolin’ski’s second two-yard TD run of the contest. Fenton led 28-14 with 1:36 left in the half.

Fenton, unbelievably, scored two more times before the half was over. The first one was set up by an interception by Fenton’s Connor Kovacs. On the next play after the pick, Fenton quarterback Ross Ebert hands to Thomas for a 45-yard TD pass, raising the lead to 35-14 with 1:08 left in the half. On Flushing’s next possession the Fenton defense did the scoring. Fenton’s Scott Becker tore the ball out of a Flushing player’s arms and scored on an 86-yard fumble return. Fenton had scored 42 points in just over 10 minutes of game action and led 42-14 entering halftime.

Fenton scored one more time on a 15-yard TD run up the middle by Weiss with 4:00 left in the third quarter. The Raiders were able to score a TD with 2:36 left in the fourth on a 14-yard TD run by Nolan Martin.

“We’ve been waiting for this game and it was a really good opportunity,” Fenton coach Jeff Setzke said. “Our kids were ready to play. We knew they were a good football team, but we also knew this was a time for us to show people we are a really good football team. I don’t know if we get the credit for how good we really are. This, probably when people see (the results), will make people understand that we are a better football team.”

Ebert connected 11-of-16 passes for 169 yards. Five of those completions were to Thomas who had a TD and 102 yards. Fenton’s ground game amassed 292 yards.

“The running game was really good,” Roney said. “Our linemen got their blocks done. The running backs got their blocks done. Dom and I did a really good job blocking for each other. We knew exactly where we were going, so there was a lot of teamwork today.”

“I think it started with us losing someone, our left guard, to injury (Forrest Spitzer) this week,” said Lookbill said. “I think it forced us to play better.”

And now Linden looms.

“Now we just have Linden to beat,” Roney said. “We had to beat Flushing so we had to keep going and take it one game at a time. Now we’ll look back, see what we did wrong so we can improve for Linden.”

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(Above) Fenton running back Dominick Weiss (right) runs for some yards in the Tigers’ 49-21 victory against Flushing. (Below) Fenton’s Alex Thomas made this catch with one hand. Fenton earned a Metro League title with the win.
AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2006 AND TO PRESCRIBE THE FORM OF THE BONDS, TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF REVENUES FROM THE SYSTEM SUFFICIENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE COSTS OF OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM AND TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SEGREGATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE REVENUES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RIGHTS OF THE BONDS; AND TO STAND BONDS OF THE SYSTEM IN ENFORCEMENT THEREOF; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE SYSTEM AND THE BONDS OF THE SYSTEM.

THE VILLAGE OF HOLLY ORDINANCES:

Section 1 Definitions. Whenever used in this Ordinance, except when otherwise indicated by the context, the following terms shall have the following meanings:


(b) “Adjusted Net Revenues” means for any operating year the excess of revenues over expenses for the System determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, to which shall be added depreciation, amortization, interest expense on Bonds, and any payments to the Issuer in lieu of taxes, to which may be made the following adjustments: (i) Revenues may be augmented by the amount of any rate increases adopted prior to the issuance of additional Bonds or to provide for, in effect, the time principal or interest on the additional Bonds becomes payable from Revenues as applied to quantities of service furnished during the operating year or portion thereof that the increased rates were not in effect. (ii) Revenues may be augmented by amounts which may be derived from rates and charges to be paid by new customers of the System.

The adjustment of revenues and expenses by the factors set forth in (i) and (ii) above shall be reported upon by professional engineers or public accountants or other experts not in the regular employment of the Issuer.

(c) “Authorized Officers” mean the Village Manager and Clerk/Treasurer, each individually.

(d) “Bonds” means the Series 2014 Bonds and any additional bonds of equal standing hereafter issued.

(e) “Bond Purchase Agreement” means the Bond Purchase Agreement relating to the purchase of the Series 2014 Bonds by and between the Village and the underwriter.


(g) “Issuer” or “Village” means the Village of Holly, County of Oakland, Michigan.


(i) “Outstanding Ordinances” means Ordinance Nos. 323, as amended and 379 of the Village.

(j) “Refunded Bonds” means all or a portion of the Series 2006 Bonds as shall be finally determined pursuant to the Sale Order referred to herein.

(k) “Revenues” and “Net Revenues” mean the revenues and net revenues of the System and shall be construed as determined pursuant to Section 3 of Act 94, including with respect to “Revenues”, the earnings derived from the investment of moneys in the various funds and accounts established by the Outstanding Ordinances and this Ordinance.

(l) “Sale Order” means the Sales Order to be executed by an authorized officer of the Issuer respecting the sale of the Series 2014 Bonds.


(o) “Series 2014 Bonds” means the Water Supply System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2014, authorized pursuant to this ordinance.

(p) “Sufficient Government Obligations” means direct obligations of the United States of America or obligations the principal and interest on which is fully guaranteed by the United States of America, not redeemable at the option of the issuer, the principal and interest payments upon which, without reinvestment of the interest, come due at such times and in such amounts as to be fully sufficient to pay the interest as it comes due on the Bonds and the principal and redemption premium, if any, on the Bonds as it comes due whether on the stated maturity date or upon earlier redemption. Securities representing such obligations shall be placed in trust with a bank or trust company, and if any of the Bonds are to be called for redemption prior to maturity, irrevocable instructions to call the Bonds for redemption shall be given to the paying agent.

(q) “System” means the entire Water Supply System of the Village as defined in the Outstanding Ordinances.


Section 2 Necessity. Public Purpose; Estimated Cost. It is hereby determined to be necessary to issue public purpose warrants of the Issuer to refund all or part of the Refunded Bonds. The estimated cost of refunding the Refunded Bonds, including legal and financing expenses, in an amount of not to exceed Four Million Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($4,525,000), is hereby approved.

Section 3 Payment of Cost; Bonds Authorized. To pay the costs associated with the refunding of the Refunded Bonds, including legal, financial and other expenses incurred thereby and incident to the issuance and sale of the Series 2014 Bonds, the Issuer shall borrow the sum of not to exceed Four Million Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($4,525,000), as finally determined in the Sale Order and issue the Series 2014 Bonds therefor pursuant to the provisions of Act 94. The remaining costs, if any, shall be defrayed from System funds on hand and legally available for such use, including money in the bond and interest redemption fund established for the Refunded Bonds.

Section 4 Bond Details. The Series 2014 Bonds shall be designated WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2014, or such other series or designation as provided in the Sale Order. The Issuer shall be payable solely from the Net Revenues, as set forth more fully herein, shall consist of bonds of the denomination of $5,000, or integral multiples of $5,000 not exceeding in any one year the amount maturing in that year, dated as of the date of delivery or such other date as shall be determined in the Sale Order, numbered in order of authentication, and shall mature on October 1, annually through and including 2026, in such amounts as or otherwise as may be provided in the Sale Order.

The Series 2014 Bonds shall bear interest at a rate or rates determined on the sale thereof, but in any event not exceeding 5.00% per annum, payable on April 1 and October 1 of each year, with the first interest payment date determined in the Sale Order, by check by check or draft mailed by the Transfer Agent to the person or entity which is, as of the 15th day of the month preceding the interest payment date, the registered owner at the address as shown on the registration books of the Issuer maintained by the Transfer Agent. The date of determination of registrant is the date of payment of interest as provided in this paragraph shall be changed by the Issuer to conform to market practice in the future. The principal of the Series 2014 Bonds shall be payable at the principal corporate trust office of the Transfer Agent.

The Series 2014 Bonds may be subject to optional or mandatory redemption prior to maturity as determined in the Sale Order.

Section 5 Execution of Bonds. The Series 2014 Bonds shall be executed in the name of the Issuer with the usual or facsimile signature of the President and the Village Clerk and shall have the Issuer’s seal impressed or printed thereon. No Bond signed by facsimile signature shall be valid until authenticated by an authorized signer of the Transfer Agent. The Series 2014 Bonds shall be surrendered to the Transfer Agent for authentication and be delivered by the Transfer Agent to the purchaser thereof in accordance with instructions from an Authorized Officer upon payment of the purchase price for the Series 2014 Bonds in accordance with the Sale Order and therefor when accepted. Executed blank bonds for registration and issuance to transferees shall simultaneously, and from time to time thereafter as necessary, be delivered to the Transfer Agent for safekeeping.

Section 6 Registration and Transfer. Any Bond may be transferred upon the books required to be kept pursuant to this section by the person in whose name it is registered, in person or by the registered owner’s duly authorized attorney, upon surrender of the Bond for cancellation, accompanied by delivery of a duly executed written instrument of transfer in a form approved by the Transfer Agent. Whenever any Bond or Bonds shall be surrendered for transfer, the Issuer shall execute and the transfer agent shall authenticate and deliver a new Bond or Bonds, for like aggregate principal amount. The Transfer Agent shall not require payment by the bondholder requesting the transfer of any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to the transfer. The Transfer Agent shall not be required (i) to issue, register, transfer the transfer of or exchange any Bond during a period beginning at the opening of business 15 days before the day of the giving of a notice of redemption of Bonds selected for redemption as described herein and ending at the close of business on the day of the giving of notice, or (ii) to register the transfer of or exchange any Bond so selected for redemption in whole or in part, except the unredeemed portion of Bonds being redeemed in part.

The Transfer Agent shall keep or cause to be kept, at its principal office, sufficient books for the registration and transfer of the Series 2014 Bonds, which shall at all times be open to inspection by the Issuer; and, upon presentation for such purpose, the Transfer Agent shall, under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, transfer or cause to be transferred, on said books, Bonds as herebefore provided.

If any Bond shall become mutilated, the Issuer, at the expense of the holder of the Bond, shall execute, and the Transfer Agent shall authenticate and deliver, a new Bond of like tenor in exchange and substitution for the mutilated Bond, upon surrender to the Transfer Agent of the mutilated Bond. If any Bond issued under the Sale Order shall be destroyed or stolen, evidence of the loss, destruction or theft may be submitted to the Transfer Agent and, if this evidence is satisfactory to both and indemnity satisfactory to the Transfer Agent shall be given, and if all requirements of any applicable law including Act 354, Public Acts of Michigan, 1972, as amended (“Act 354”), being sections 129.131 to 129.135, inclusive, of the Michigan Compiled Laws
have been met, the Issuer, at the expense of the owner, shall execute, and the Transfer Agent shall forward to the Issuer a bond or certificate of redemption on the first call date, as specified by the Issuer. The amounts held in the Escrow Fund shall be such that the cash and investments and income received thereon will be sufficient without reinvestment to pay the principal of and interest on the Refunded Bonds when due and to call for redemption at the Maturity Date, at the Premium Price, if any, set forth in the Series 2014 Bonds. The remaining proceeds of the Series 2014 Bonds shall be used to pay the costs of issuance of the Series 2014 Bonds. Any proceeds in excess of the proceeds deposited in the Escrow Fund or required to pay costs of issuance shall be deposited in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and used to pay interest on the Series 2014 Bonds on the next available interest payment date. The Authorized Officers are each authorized to appoint a bank or trust company eligible to serve as Escrow Agent for the Series 2014 Bonds and to negotiate and enter into an Escrow Agreement on behalf of the Issuer.

Section 14 Bond Form. The Series 2014 Bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
VILLAGE OF HOLLY
WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE REFUNDING BOND, SERIES 2014

Interest Rate Maturity Date Date of Original IssueCUSIP___% October 1, 20152014
REGISTERED OWNER:

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: $OLLAR

The Village of Holly, County of Oakland, State of Michigan (the “Issuer”), acknowledges for value received, hereby promises to pay, solely and only out of the hereinafter described Net Revenues of the System (hereinafter defined), the Principal Amount shown above in lawful money of the United States of America, to the Registered Owner shown above, or to the registered assignee, on the Maturity Date shown above, unless prepaid prior thereto as hereinafter provided, with interest thereon (computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months) from the Date of Original Issue shown above or such later date to which interest thereon has been paid or credited, at the Rate per annum shown above, payable on ___, __, ___ and semiannually thereafter. Principal of this bond is payable upon surrender of this bond at the designated corporate office of the System at the City of U.S. Bank National Association, Detroit, Michigan or such other transfer agent as the Issuer may hereafter designate by notice mailed to the registered owner not less than sixty (60) days prior to any interest payment date (the “Transfer Agent”). Interest on this bond is payable by check or draft mailed by the Transfer Agent to the person or entity who or which is, as of the fifteenth (15th) day of the month preceding the interest payment date, the registered owner of record, at the registered address as shown on the registration books of the Issuer kept by the Transfer Agent. For prompt payment of principal and interest on this bond, the Issuer has irrevocably pledged the revenues of the Wastewater System of the Issuer (the “System”), including all appurtenances, extensions and improvements thereto, after provision has been made for reasonable and necessary expenses of operation, maintenance and administration (the “Net Revenues”), and a statutory first lien thereon is hereby recognized and created.

This bond is one of a series of bonds of even Date of Original Issue aggregating the principal sum of $_______, issued pursuant to Ordinances Nos. 323, as amended, 379 and ___ of the Issuer, duly adopted by the Village Council of the Issuer (together, the “Ordinances”), and under and in full compliance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of Michigan, including specifically Act 94, Public Acts of Michigan, 1933, as amended, for the purpose of paying the cost of refunding certain outstanding Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2006. For a complete statement of the revenues from which and the conditions under which this bond is payable, a statement of the conditions under which additional bonds of equal standing as to the Net Revenues may hereafter be issued and the general covenants and provisions pursuant to which this bond is issued, reference is made to the above-described Ordinances. The bonds of this issue are of equal standing and priority of lien as to the Net Revenues with the Issuer’s Water Supply Revenue Bonds, Series 1999 and the Issuer’s Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2006 (together, the “Outstanding Bonds”). The Issuer has reserved the right to issue additional bonds of equal standing with the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds on conditions stated in the Ordinances.

Bonds maturing in the years 20__ to 20__, inclusive, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity. Bonds or portions of bonds in multiples of $5,000 maturing in any year 20__, and thereafter shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Issuer, in any order of maturity; provided, however, that the Issuer, in its sole discretion, may call for redemption at the Maturity Date shown above, unless prepaid prior thereto as hereinafter provided, with interest thereon (computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months) from the Date of Original Issue shown above or such later date to which interest thereon has been paid or credited, at the Rate per annum shown above, payable on ___, __, ___ and semiannually thereafter. Principal of this bond is payable upon surrender of this bond at the designated corporate office of the System at the City of U.S. Bank National Association, Detroit, Michigan or such other transfer agent as the Issuer may hereafter designate by notice mailed to the registered owner not less than sixty (60) days prior to any interest payment date (the “Transfer Agent”). Interest on this bond is payable by check or draft mailed by the Transfer Agent to the person or entity who or which is, as of the fifteenth (15th) day of the month preceding the interest payment date, the registered owner of record, at the registered address as shown on the registration books of the Issuer kept by the Transfer Agent. For prompt payment of principal and interest on this bond, the Issuer has irrevocably pledged the revenues of the Wastewater System of the Issuer (the “System”), including all appurtenances, extensions and improvements thereto, after provision has been made for reasonable and necessary expenses of operation, maintenance and administration (the “Net Revenues”), and a statutory first lien thereon is hereby recognized and created.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the registered owner of any bond or portion thereof called for redemption by mailing of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption to the registered address of the registered owner of record. A bond or portion thereof so called for redemption shall not bear interest after the date fixed for redemption, unless so provided. Any interest or premium not, or provided funds are on hand with the Transfer Agent to redeem said bond or portion thereof.

This bond is a self-liquidating bond and is not a general obligation of the Issuer and does not constitute an indebtedness of the Issuer within any constitutional, charter or statutory debt limitation of the Issuer but is payable solely and only, both as to principal and interest, from the Net Revenues of the System. The principal of any bond or portion thereof which is called for redemption prior to maturity shall be paid in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Ordinances.
this bond are secured by the statutory lien hereinafter mentioned.

The Issuer has consented and agreed, and does hereby covenant and agree, to fix and maintain at all times while any bonds payable from the Net Revenues of the System shall be outstanding, such rates for service furnished by the System as shall be sufficient to provide for payment of the interest on and the principal of the bonds of this issue, the Outstanding Bonds and any additional bonds of equal standing and as when the same shall become due and payable, and to create and maintain a bond redemption fund therefor, to provide for the payment of expenses of administration and operation and such expenses for maintenance of the System as are necessary to preserve the same in good repair and working order, and to provide for such other expenditures and funds for the Bonds, the Outstanding Bonds and the System as are required by the Ordinances.

This bond is transferable only upon the books of the Issuer kept for that purpose at the office of the Transfer Agent by the registered owner hereof in person, or by the registered owner’s attorney duly authorized in writing, upon the surrender of this bond together with a written instrument in form satisfactory to the Transfer Agent duly executed by the registered owner or the registered owner’s attorney duly authorized in writing, and thereupon a new registered bond or bonds in the same aggregate principal amount of the bonds transferred shall be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor as provided in the Ordinances authorizing the bonds and upon the payment of the charges, if any, therein prescribed.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by law to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the series of bonds of which this is one have been done and performed in regular and due time and form as required by law.

This bond is not valid or obligatory for any purpose until the Transfer Agent’s Certificate of Authentication on this bond has been executed by the Transfer Agent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Issuer, by its Village Council, has caused this bond to be executed with the facsimile signatures of its President and its Village Clerk and a facsimile of its corporate seal to be printed on this bond, all as of the Date of Original Issue.

VILLAGE OF HOLLY
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
STATE OF MICHIGAN

By:

President

(Seal)

Countersigned:

By:

Village Clerk

Certificate of Authentication

This bond is one of the bonds described herein.

U.S. Bank National Association
Detroit, Michigan

Transfer Agent

By:

Authorized Signatory

Authentication Date: 2014

Sealed.

Section 15. Additional Bonds. The Issuer reserves the right to issue Additions of equal standing with the Outstanding Bonds, provided however, the Adjusted Net Revenues of the System for the then last two (2) preceding twelve month operating years or the Adjusted Net Revenues for the last preceding twelve month operating year, if the same shall be lower than the average, shall be equal to at least one hundred twenty percent (120%) of the maximum amount of principal and interest thereafter maturing in any operating year on the then Outstanding Bonds and on the Additional Bonds then being issued. If the Additional Bonds are to be issued in whole or in part for refunding Outstanding Bonds, the annual principal and interest requirements shall be determined by deducting from the principal and interest requirements for each operating year the annual principal and interest requirements of any bonds to be refunded from the proceeds of the Additional Bonds. The Issuer may elect to use as the last preceding operating year any operating year ending not more than sixteen (16) months prior to the date of delivery of the Additional Bonds and as the next to the last preceding operating year, any operating year ending not more than twenty-eight (28) months prior to the date of delivery of the Additional Bonds. The Issuer’s determination as to the existence of conditions permitting the issuance of Additional Bonds shall be conclusive.

Section 16. Adjustment of Bond Terms. The Authorized Officers are each hereby authorized to adjust the final bond details as set forth herein to the extent necessary or convenient to complete the sale of the Series 2014 Bonds and in pursuance of the foregoing is each authorized to exercise the authority and make the determinations pursuant to Sections 7a(1)(c) of Act 94, including but not limited to determinations regarding interest rates, prices, discounts, maturities, principal amounts, denominations, date of issuance, interest payment dates, redemption rights, designation as qualified tax-exempt obligations and other matters within the parameters established by this Ordinance.

Section 17. Bond Purchase Agreement and Award; Authorization for Negotiated Sale. The Authorized Officers are each hereby authorized on behalf of the Issuer to negotiate the sale of the Bonds with the Comerica Securities, Inc., or to select and negotiate with a different underwriter subject to the parameters set forth in this Ordinance, negotiate and execute a Bond Purchase Agreement, to execute a Sale Order evidencing the final terms for the Series 2014 Bonds, and to take all other necessary actions required to effectuate the sale, issuance and delivery of the Series 2014 Bonds within the parameters authorized in this Ordinance, provided that (i) the Series 2014 Bonds shall be sold at a price not less than 97.50% of par, (ii) the minimum gross savings achieved from the refunding shall be at least $350,000, and (iii) the maximum underwriter’s discount shall not exceed 1.50%.

The Issuer has considered the option of selling the Series 2014 Bonds through a competitive sale and a negotiated sale and determines that a negotiated sale of the Series 2014 Bonds will allow more flexibility in accessing the municipal bond market, to sell the Series 2014 Bonds at the time that is expected to best achieve the most advantageous interest rates and costs to the Issuer, and will provide the Issuer with greater flexibility in structuring bond maturities and adjust terms for the Series 2014 Bonds.

Section 18. Tax Covenant; Qualified Tax Exempt Obligations. The Issuer, shall, to the extent permitted by law, take all actions within its control necessary to maintain the exclusion of the interest on the Series 2014 Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), including, but not limited to, actions relating to any required rebate of arbitrage earnings and the expenditures and investment of Series 2014 Bonds proceeds consistent with the same being deemed to Series 2014 Bonds proceeds. The Issuer hereby designates the Series 2014 Bonds as “qualified tax exempt obligations” for purposes of deduction of interest expense by financial institutions pursuant to the Code.

Section 19. Continuing Disclosure. The Issuer covenants to enter into a continuing disclosure undertaking for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Series 2014 Bonds in accordance with the requirements of Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission, and the Authorized Officers are each hereby authorized to execute such undertaking prior to delivery of the Series 2014 Bonds.

Section 20. Other Matters. The Authorized Officers are each authorized and directed to (a) approve the circulation of a preliminary official statement describing the Series 2014 Bonds and to deem the preliminary official statement “final” for purposes of Rule 15c2-12 of the SEC, (b) solicit bids for and approve the purchase of a municipal bond insurance policy for the Series 2014 Bonds; (c) apply for ratings on the Series 2014 Bonds; and (d) do all other acts and take all other necessary procedures required to effectuate the sale, issuance and delivery of the Series 2014 Bonds.

Section 21. Approval of Bond Counsel. The representation of the Issuer by Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, P.L.C. (“Miller Canfield”), as bond counsel is hereby approved, notwithstanding the periodic representation by Miller Canfield of the Underwriter, and other potential parties, in unrelated matters.

Section 22. Appointment of Financial Advisor. The Issuer hereby appoints Beattie Financial Co. Multi-Family Finance Advisors, as its Registered municipal advisor with respect to the Series 2014 Bonds.

Section 23. Savings Clause. The Outstanding Ordinances shall continue in effect, except as specifically supplemented or altered herein.

Section 24. Severability; Paragraph Headings; and Conflict. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance. The paragraph headings in this Ordinance are furnished for convenience of reference only and shall not be considered to be part of this Ordinance.

Section 25. Publication and Recordation. This Ordinance shall be published in full in the a newspaper of general circulation in the Issuer, qualified under State law to publish legal notices, promptly after its adoption, and shall be recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Issuer and such recording authenticated by the signatures of the President and Village Clerk.

Section 26. Effective Date. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 6 of Act 94, this Ordinance shall be approved on the date of first reading and accordingly this Ordinance shall immediately be effective upon its adoption.

Adopted and signed this 14th day of October, 2014.

Signed:

President

Village Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the Village Council of the Village of Holly, County of Oakland, Michigan, at a regular meeting held on the 14th day of October, 2014, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

I further certify that the following Members were present at said meeting: Village President Ryan Bladzik, Village President Pro-Tem Debra Musgrave, Council Member Robert Allsop, Council Member Jake Campbell, Council Member Suzanne Heiple, Council Member George Kullis, Council Member Jackie Campbell, and that the following Members were absent: None.

I further certify that Council Member Rankin moved adoption of said Ordinance, and that said motion was supported by Council Member Musgrave.

I further certify that the following Members voted for adoption of said Ordinance: Campbell, Kullis, Heiple, Musgrave, Rankin, Allsop, Bladzik, and that the following Members voted against adoption of said Ordinance: None.

I further certify that said Ordinance has been recorded in the Ordinance Book and that such recording has been authenticated by the signatures of the President and Village Clerk

Village Clerk

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NOVENA TO ST. JUDE. Many the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. O Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day, by the 8th day your prayers will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. EA.

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT
American Red Crossecsavailable. Call 810-893-6651.

JOBS

Help Wanted

GENERAL LABOR
Company in North Oakland county seeks mechanically inclined person, Peter Golf Cars, 483-917-7067.

INSURANCE CSR
needed for Fenton insurance agency. Experience preferred but not required. Please send resume to: ejankowski@bmsrich.com.

KENNEL ATTENDANT
Needed Day time hours. Apply in person between 3:00p.m., Tuesday-Thursday, 2359 E. Hill Rd., Grand Blanc, 810-694-3669.

NOW HIRING
ALL POSITIONS! Apply at The Fenton House, 413 S. Leroy, Fenton, 810-629-0661.

CNA's
Needed for 2nd & 3rd shifts Must be certified ARGENTINE CARE CENTER, INC. 9051 Silver Lake Rd. Linden, MI 48451 Phone (810) 735-9487 Fax: (810) 735-9035

NOW HIRING CLASS A CDL DRIVERS and heavy equipment operators. Semi dump, truck drivers, Tri-Axle dump truck driver w/trailer, heavy equipment operators, pipe layers and general laborers. TÄRN ROUND WORK. Email gerry@fortressfoundations.com or 810-625-2844.

PART-TIME
Knowledgeable in Quickcen 2014, Fenton area person to assist office savvy senior. 810-444-4420.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

RESPONSIBLE NANNY
A responsible and experienced mother who is looking to share her enthusiasm and creativity as a full time nanny for a family seeking help with daily activities and childcare needs. CPR and first aid certified. Available in Grand Blanc and Fenton Monday- Friday, 7:30a.m.- 5:30p.m., with reliable transportation. Currently a stay at home mother of a 9 month old who would be with me during the time of service. Call Randi at 810-701-8802.

GUEST ASSISTANTS

Caretel Inns of Linden is looking for GUEST ASSISTANTS for our New Assisted Living Unit NOW OPEN! We have IMMEDIATE OPENINGS available on all shifts. Responsibilities include providing daily personal care, meal service, light housekeeping, and social interaction.

If you would like to be part of an elite direct care giving team please apply in person at 202 S. Bridge St, Linden, MI 48451.

PROFESSIONAL CHIMNEY TECHNICIAN

Will train, $15/hr. Must have clean driving record, drug test and physical required and provided, background investigation performed. Send resumes to: stansfireplace@gmail.com

GREAT OPPORTUNITY

A well known Genessee County funeral home is seeking retired - professionals, school teachers, GM employees, police force, fire fighters, bankers or executives to fill open positions for drivers and visitation staff. Hourly wages available.

Join our family owned business with years of excellent service and caring for the community.

To apply send resumes to: Tri-County Times, PO. Box 1125-FC, Fenton, MI 48430

VILLAGE OF HOLLY
PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Holly Village Council has adopted a new location to hold Village Council Meetings and the various Boards and Commissions meetings of the Village of Holly. Effective 10/14/2014 the meetings will be held at the Karl Richter Center in the Holly Area Schools Board of Education Meeting Room located at 920 E. Baird Street, Holly, Michigan unless otherwise indicated and posted in accordance with the Michigan’s Open Meetings Act.

Cathrene A. Behrens
Clerk/Treasurer
Village of Holly

HOLLY, MI 48441
**Notice**

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**I NEED YOUR SCRAP METAL**

Washers, dryers, water heaters, furnaces, aluminum, copper piping, etc. Please call 810-735-5910.

**OBITUARIES**

*Using your own words, express your sympathy.*

A kind word about the person who has died is always appropriate. If the family wants to talk, they usually simply need to express their feelings; they aren’t necessarily looking for a response from you. The kindest response is usually a warm hug and to simply say, “I understand.” While you don’t want to offer only clichés, there are some commonly used expressions that you can rely on if you don’t know what to say. You want to keep your remarks simple, direct and honest. **Source:** doctoryourobit.org

**OBITUARIES**

*Alexander W. Zuk - 1929-2014*  

Alexander W. Zuk - age 85, of Holly, passed away on Tuesday, October 14, 2014. He was the beloved husband of 65 years to Nina; dear father of 5 children, Bunny (Craig) Schmeissner, Darline (Don) Skinner, Gary (Sharon) Zuk, Tamara (Daniel) Kostecke, and Sherry (Leonard) Galanty; 11 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren. Mr. Zuk was born in Detroit on February 25, 1929, the son of Jacob and Mary (Kowalewko) Zuk. He was a good husband and was a family oriented man who loved his family. He was a retired engineer. Private family memorial services will be held. Memorial donations may be made to Reverence Hospice, 5445 Bridge Lake Hwy., Fenton, 48439. **www.dryerfuneral-ahomeholly.com**

**DIDOCE BIBLICAL OBITUARIES**

*Patricia Margaret Sullivan - 1944-2014*  

Patricia Margaret Sullivan - age 70, of Holly, died Saturday, October 18, 2014 at her residence. Visitation was held from 4-8 PM on Tuesday and will be held 4-8 PM Wednesday with a prayer service taking place at 6 PM on Wednesday, October 22, 2014 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Patricia was born September 6, 1944 in Chicago, IL, the daughter of Michael and Lydia (Michel) Heischberg. She attended and is a graduate of Jones Commercial High School. Patricia married David James Sullivan on October 3, 1964 at St. Theodore Catholic Church in Chicago. Patricia moved to Brownstown and later to Rose Twp. where she resided for 23 years. Patricia spent her years as a homemaker and also worked as a librarian. Surviving are: husband, David; two sons, Daniel of Highland, James of Royal Oak; as well as sister, Marilyn Madril of Clinton. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Michael Heischberg, and son, Steven Sullivan. Tributes may be shared on the obituary page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.
TOWNSHIP OF HOLLY
NOTICE OF ADOPTION AND SUMMARY

Notice is hereby given that on October 15, 2014 the Holly Township Board adopted amendments to the Holly Township Code of Ordinances Chapter 22 Private Roads.

A true and complete copy of Holly Township’s Code of Ordinances can be viewed online at www.hollytownship.org/Services/CodeofOrdinances or can be inspected or obtained at the office of the Holly Township Clerk, 102 Civic Drive, Holly, Michigan, 48442, at all times said office is open for business.

THE FOLLOWING CONSTITUTES A SUMMARY OF HOLLY TOWNSHIP’S AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF ORDINANCES:

SECTION 1 – AMENDMENTS

Sec. 22-1. (a) Intent and findings. The township finds that unobstructed, safe, and continuous access to all properties within the township is necessary to promote the health, safety, and welfare of the public through police and fire protection and ambulance service. The township further finds that such access is necessary to ensure that such services can safely and quickly enter and exit private property at all times. The township further finds that access to the interior of certain sections within the township should meet minimum standards and specifications to permit the subsequent upgrading and dedication of such access to the Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC), or other municipal corporations, when public dedication is desirable or required.

(b) Minimum standards. The procedures, standards, and specifications.

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS TO Sections 22-2 to Section 22-10:

Sec 22-2 Definitions.

Sec 22-3 Deletions and Additions to General access and permit requirements.

Sec 22-4 Additions to Maintenance of private roads and private shared driveways.

Sec 22-5. Existing Private Roads.

Sec 22-6 Authority.

Sec 22-7 Fees.

Sec 22-8 Variances.

Sec 22-9 Miscellaneous Provisions.

Sec 22-10 Violations.

SECTION 2 - INVALIDITY

SECTION 3 - EFFECTIVE DATE

SECTION 4 - REPEALING CLAUSE

SECTION 5 - ADOPTION

CERTIFICATION

I, duly elected clerk of the Township of Holly, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Notice of Adoption and Summary of the Holly Township Ordinance Chapter 22, Private Road Amendments adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the Township of Holly at the regular meeting held on the 15th day of October, 2014 at which a quorum was present.

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