

Plymouth Township January 2009 e-News

Sheldon Road is now OPEN!

<http://www.plymouthtwp.org/Community/SheldonUnderpassProject/SheldonRoadUnderpassPhotoUpdate.htm>

2009 PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP CALENDAR:

The 2009 Plymouth Township calendar was mailed out in mid-December. Residents can pick one up at Township Hall if needed.

TREASURER'S OFFICE 734-354-3218:

Wednesday, December 31, the Treasurer's Office will be open special hours 8:00 am - 12:00 noon to collect taxes and other payments. Winter tax bills are payable this year through February 17, 2009 without penalty. They may be paid at the Township Hall counter or placed in the drop box located in the circular drive in front of Township Hall. All tax payments placed in the drop box by December 31 will be receipted as paid in 2008. Dog tags are now available for \$5.00.

NEW YEAR'S EVE AND NEW YEAR'S: Township offices will be closed Wednesday, December 31 and Thursday, January 1 for the New Year's holiday.

TRASH COLLECTION NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY:

There will be no trash collection on Thursday, January 1. If your trash is normally collected on Thursdays, it will be collected on Friday; Friday collections will be completed on Saturday.

HOLIDAY TREE COLLECTION:

Live holiday trees will be collected for composting January 5 - January 16, 2009. Please make certain that your tree does not have any tinsel or decorations left on it when you place the tree curbside.

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY: Township offices will be closed Monday, January 19 for the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.

END OF YARD WASTE (COMPOST) COLLECTION: Regular curbside collection of yard waste (grass clippings, leaves, branches, etc.) will end the week of Monday, January 12 through Friday, January 16, 2009 for the winter months. **Regular curbside collection of yard waste will resume again on Monday, March 30, 2009.**

2009 PARK RESERVATION SEASON INFORMATION:

<http://www.plymouthtp.org/Departments/ParksAndRec/ParksAndRecOverview.htm>

Scroll down the page until you see **Park Reservations**.

FACT SHEETS NOW AVAILABLE:

The Department of Public Services has created several Fact Sheets on topics such as Compact Fluorescent Lamp Disposal and Holiday Waste Reduction Ideas. They are available on the Plymouth Township Website.

<http://www.plymouthtp.org/Departments/PublicServices/FactSheets.htm>

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passport applications are available at the Clerk's Office.

<http://www.plymouthtp.org/Departments/Clerk/PassportInformation.htm>

ADDRESSES:

Is your address easily visible in the day and at night? Emergency personnel must be able to easily locate your house when responding to an emergency. Reflective house numbers and adequate outside lighting can help improve visibility.

STREET LIGHTS:

Please report all street light outages to the DPW at 734-354-3270, ext. 3. The information will be forwarded to DTE Energy.

NEW WEBSITE TO ASSIST THOSE NEEDING AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE:

The Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) announced a new website offering information to Michigan residents on how and where to find low cost or free health care.

<http://www.michigan.gov/healthcarehelp>

PLYMOUTH INTERNATIONAL ICE SCULPTURE SPECTACULAR:

January 23 - 25, 2009 in Downtown Plymouth.

MEETINGS:

Agendas and minutes are available at:

<http://www.plymouthtp.org/ReferenceDesk/AgendasMinutes/AgendasMinutesOverview.htm>

Zoning Board of Appeals, Thursday, January 8, 6:00 pm

Downtown Development Authority, Monday, January 12, 4:00 pm

Board of Trustees Tuesday, January 20, 7:00 pm

Planning Commission Wednesday, January 21, 7:00 pm

THE DIGITAL TV TRANSITION: February 17, 2009

<http://www.dtv.gov/>

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TOWNSHIP HALL HOURS: Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

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