## COLFAX TOWNSHIP WEXFORD COUNTY, MI

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## FROM THE SUPERVISOR:

Colfax Townships 2024/2025 projects the township hall interior painting will be completed this summer. Colfax Township has applied for a DNR Trust Fund Grant for updates to the beach area of our township park including additional parking and more beach area. Colfax Township has contracted with PLM water management to do water quality testing on Lake Meauwataka testing will take place spring, summer and fall. We have the engineering firm of Prein & Newhof drawing up plans for the township campground to include water & electrical service along with additional campsites. Old small buildings have been removed from both cemeteries, if needed they will be replaced next year. Colfax & Greenwood townships have purchased new I-Pads for the fire trucks, this will improve communications with central dispatch. The Township supervisors from Colfax, Liberty, Greenwood, Cedar Creek, and the Mayor of Manton continue to meet several times a year to discuss issues in our area including fire protection and ambulance service. Colfax Township's current assessors, Great Lakes Assessing are retiring. Joel Bremer was hired to do Property assessing in our township. He is also Liberty Township's assessor and will conduct joint board of review sessions as a cost savings. In 2020 the Wexford County board of commissioners changed the county address ordinance so that no vacant property can have electrical service on it without submitting plans for at least an 800 square foot building with an approved foundation. The ordinance will not allow a power pole for electrical service for camping. For the last seven months I have been attending their meetings attempting to get the board of commissioners to change this ordinance to allow power on vacant land for any reason the property owner requests it. I will continue to attend these meetings until I get a vote on changing this section of the address ordinance.

Any comments or questions please call Michael Mix @ 231-824-9889

## Clerk's Corner

Dayhuff/Meauwataka and Soper cemeteries now have the water turned on for the season.

There is now a Dropbox at the township hall for the receipt of absentee ballots! Check out Michigan.gov/vote for more information on voting. Call Rebecca Stoddard for more information on voting or the cemeteries @

231-775-6540 or 231-878-1574