

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

**18 September** - Township Board Meeting, Township Hall at 6:30 PM In addition to the standard AGENDA, the Board will discuss: <u>Unfinished Business</u>: IT Update, Generator <u>New Business</u>: Snowplowing, Air Conditioner
**15 October -** Township Board Meeting, Township Hall at 6:30 PM

**BOARD BYTES:** Jamie Knight, Supervisor; Lorraine Bush, Deputy Supervisor (Cemetery)

General township issues or questions, email <u>supervisor@irvingtownship.org</u> or call / text 269-908-7688. Cemetery questions call / text Lorraine Bush 269-251-8849

CLERK CLIPS: Sharon Olson, Clerk; Shelly Lake, Deputy Clerk

General Election is November 5, for election matters email or call 269-948-0633. To schedule an appointment email <u>clerk@irvingtowsnhip.org</u> or <u>deputyclerk@irvingtownship.org</u>

TREASURER TALK: Douglas Sokolowski, Treasurer; Wanda Shuford, Deputy Treasurer

Summer tax bills have been mailed to avoid interest please pay by 16 September or file for Deferment of Property Tax Form and drop off or mail to the Treasurer. Here is the link to the form: <u>471, Application for Deferment of Summer</u> Taxes (michigan.gov).

For tax issues or feedback on the ELETTER please email treasurer@irvingtownship.org

This will be the last issue of ELETTER, a member of the new Board, taking over in November, will need to volunteer to continue. It has been a pleasure to publish this monthly, hopefully you have found it informative and enjoyable.

## **DID YOU KNOW**

September 11, 2024 will be the 23<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of the deadliest terrorist attack in history taking the lives of 2,977, and injuring thousands more. Among those killed were 343 fire-fighters and 71 law enforcement officers, 55 military personnel and 1 fish and wildlife officer. The immensity of the tragedy often causes the fact that approximately 15,400 people were successfully evacuated from the towers before they collapsed, a credit to the first responder's actions. September 11 was a test of the American Spirit, most people old enough to remember can tell you exactly what they were doing when they heard the news. Patriot Day, September 11, is remembrance of those we lost, flags should be flown at half-staff and a moment of silence should be observed at 8:46 Eastern, which is the time American Airlines Flight **11** hit the north tower.

## MONTHLY THOUGHT

"The attacks of September 11th were intended to break our spirit. Instead, we have emerged stronger and more unified. We feel renewed devotion to the principles of political, economic and religious freedom, the rule of law and respect for human life. We are more determined than ever to live our lives in freedom." — Rudy Giuliani

For me and my family personally, September 11 was a reminder that life is fleeting, impermanent, and uncertain. Therefore, we must make use of every moment and nurture it with affection, tenderness, beauty, creativity, and laughter." - Deepak Chopra