

**December 2014**

- We are moving towards going completely digital for the information contained in our newsletters. If you want to keep up to date and informed visit Peninsula Township’s website, [www.peninsulatownship.com](http://www.peninsulatownship.com). This is updated daily. The home page lists all the upcoming public hearings, job postings and events. The “I Want To...” tab lets you search and pay tax information and find and print forms. Use the “Visit” tab to explore our parks and lighthouse. Use the “Residents” tab to read agendas and minutes, election information and the lost & found. The “Departments/Services” tab lets you discover what each individual department does, compactor rates and information, ordinances and sewer & water information. The “Township Directory” tab lets you contact us direct and review Staff bios. The “Links” tab links you to Peninsula Township points of interest, Grand Traverse County, the City and Events, the State of Michigan and links of interest.
- Board of Review is December 9, 2014, 9 am to 11 am; call the Assessor for questions or an appointment.
- The Township will be closing on The Orchards (Bower’s Harbor Park extension) property by December 31, 2014.
- The Little League Fields at Bower’s Harbor Park were dedicated October 29, 2014.
- Thanks-Grandpa’s Garage on Blair Townhall Rd. for donating, delivering & picking up vehicles for the Fire Dept. for training.
- The Peter Dougherty Society continues its Capital Campaign to raise funds to fully restore the Dougherty “Mission House”. It is our goal to obtain sufficient funds to raise the house, build a foundation and crawl space under it, repair and replace floor and sill beams, and then replace the house on its new foundation beginning in the late spring of 2015. Since the Summer Kitchen/Carriage Shed is almost fully restored, it is expected that both will be open to visitors to illustrate historically appropriate artifacts on Log Cabin Day, Spring 2015.
- As of the end of October, The Commission on Aging is currently serving 87 in-home clients in Peninsula Township, up 30 from January. The Commission on Aging wants residents to know they are there to serve them, either in home or through the many activities at the Senior Center. For information on services they offer call Sandra Busch at 231-947-5606, their office at 231-922-4688 or online at [www.gtcoa.org](http://www.gtcoa.org).
- Remember orchards/vineyards/open land is private property. Please do not trespass without the owner’s permission.

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<b>Fire Department (non-emergency)</b>	223-4443
<b>Old Mission Peninsula School</b>	933-7420
<b>Peninsula Community Library</b>	223-7700
<b>Sheriff (non-emergency)</b>	223-4525

**Meeting Schedule\***

Township Board-second Tuesday at 7 pm & fourth Monday at 1 pm  
 Planning Commission-third Monday at 7 pm  
 Zoning Board of Appeals-second Thursday at 7 pm  
 Park Commission-first Wednesday at 7 pm  
 Fire Board-first Monday at 7 pm

**\*Go to <http://www.peninsulatownship.com/agendas-minutes-and-special-meeting-notices.html> for exact dates, agendas and minutes.**

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