

# Holiday Edition!

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## THE MACOMB MINUTE

A Monthly Newsletter from Macomb Township

### Township Board of Trustees sworn in for 2024-2028 term

The Macomb Township Board of Trustees was officially sworn in for the 2024-2028 term during a ceremonial event at the Tuesday, November 26, Board meeting. Former Michigan Supreme Court Justice David Viviano, a special guest for the occasion, administered the oath of office. The six returning Board members also welcomed a new face to the position of Trustee, Dr. Ronald P. Papa Jr. The swearing in marks the beginning of another four years of service and commitment to the Macomb Township community.



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# Stay Up to Date!



Staying involved in the community makes Macomb Township an even better place to live. Get community updates sent right to your phone or email!

Sign Up for Notifications by Visiting [www.macomb-mi.gov/notifyme](http://www.macomb-mi.gov/notifyme)

## Attend the public engagement workshop on GLWA's Flood Mitigation Study

Macomb Township residents are invited to attend a public engagement workshop on Great Lakes Water Authority and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Detroit District Regional Flood Mitigation Study. The meeting will inform participants about the study and planning process and involve participants in shaping the study's objectives and vision. Head over to the Sterling Heights Community Center (40250 Dodge Park Road) on Tuesday, December 10, from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM to participate.



## Planning director reappointed to State Unarmed Combat Commission!

Township Planning Director Josh Bocks was recently reappointed to the Michigan Unarmed Combat Commission. Josh's term will last until June of 2028. On top of his work here in Macomb Township, Josh is an assistant wrestling coach at Livonia Stevenson High School and former MMA fighter, trainer and judge. We're very excited for Josh to continue his work on the commission. Great work, Josh!



# Check out the winners of the Macomb Township 2024 Fall Photo Contest!

## First Place

Isabella &  
Rosemarie Licavoli

*Photo taken at  
Altermatt Farms*



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## Second Place

Marie Krakosky

*Photo taken at resident's home*



## Third Place

Julie Martel

*Photo taken at Martel Farms*





## UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

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### MTPR HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING & AFTERGLOW

Head to the Macomb Township Municipal Complex for some holiday fun! This free event will feature the First State Bank Fireworks display, Santa's arrival, live reindeer, crafts and more.



**Friday, December 6, 2024**

Macomb Township Recreation Center  
20699 Macomb Street



### THE SANTA CRUISE PARADE

Grab a seat along the parade route and watch as beautifully illuminated Christmas vehicles cruise by. It will be FREE Christmas fun for everyone! Check out the MTPR Facebook Page for more details and the parade route.



**Sunday, December 8, 2024**

at 5:30 PM

Parade route starts at Corewell Health Hospital Care  
Center (Hall Road and Tilch Road)



### HOLIDAY OFFICE CLOSURES

Macomb Township Offices will be closed December 24, through January 1, 2025. On December 26, 2024, the Treasurer's Office **ONLY** will be open from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM for tax bill collection.



Normal office hours will resume on Thursday, January 2, 2025.

## Yard waste pickup ends the second full week of December!

Priority Waste will stop yard waste collection for the year beginning the second full week of December (December 9th - 15th). Pickup will begin again on April 1, 2024. As a reminder, **accepted** yard waste includes garden waste, leaves, lawn cuttings, shrubs, tree trimmings and pruning waste. Dirt, sod, large stumps, sand, gravel, animal feces and dead animals are **not accepted** yard waste.



W E L C O M E

# to the Neighborhood!

## Lettuce

50990 Romeo Plank

Southeast corner of  
23 Mile & Romeo  
Plank Rd.

