

# Village of Pigeon News

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## Village Officials

Michael LePage, President (2024)

Marc Hill, Trustee (2024)

Michael Wehner, Trustee (2024)

Kent Tibbits, Trustee (2024)

Shelly Gunden, Trustee (2026)

Kent Shetler, Trustee (2026)

Matt Zimmerman, Trustee (2026)

## Village Hours

Hall: 9am – 4pm

DPW: 7 am – 3:30pm

Monday through Friday unless otherwise posted.

## Village Council Meetings

Third Monday of every month at 7pm at the village hall.

## Holiday Closings

Independence Day, Tues. July 4, 2023

## Water and Sewer Rates

As of April 1, 2023

\$19.70 per 1,000 gal. Water

\$29.55 Water Ready-to-Serve Fee

\$9.03 per 1,000 gal. Sewer

\$13.55 Sewer Ready-to-Serve Fee

## Trash/Brush Collection

Every Wednesday unless a holiday falls on Mon., Tues. or Wed. then pickup will be on Thursday that week. Rate: \$20.54 per month includes fuel surcharges. Large items please call Emterra at 989-658-2594

## Utility Bill Due Dates

Utility Bills issued **June 1, 2023**, are due **June 25, 2023**. Late charges will be applied to any bill not paid by the due date.

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If you are doing any work in your yard and need utilities located please call 1-800-482-7171 or 811

## Dear Residents,

A very busy summer is in full swing in Pigeon.

Thanks to all of the volunteers that helped to put on the boys and girls baseball and softball tournaments last weekend at the Recreation Park. A record 42 teams participated in the Friday thru Sunday Tournament.

Also a huge thanks to Scheurer Health for the free concert on Friday June 2nd at the band shell. Food trucks were at the park, and nice door prizes were given away by Scheurer Health.

Girls and boys baseball, softball, and tee ball leagues are in full swing nightly at the park. Our Summer Recreation Program began on June 5th with 60 kids participating. Repairs have been completed to seal cracks on the Pickle ball and basketball courts. A new net has been installed for the tennis court.

In the very near future MDOT (fix the darn roads!) will be paving from the downtown intersection South Main Street, all the way to M142, and West Michigan from the downtown intersection to Caseville Road. This will be done at no cost to the Village.

The Municipal Parking lot by the Village Hall will be completely replaced with new asphalt in a joint project by the Village and Winsor Township. The ground millings will be used at the Pigeon Event Center to expand that parking lot on the south side of the building another 65 feet. All of these projects are scheduled to be done before our 50th Farmers Summerfest July 20-23. Have a great summer.

Mike LePage, Village President

## Emterra Yard Waste Collection

Please be sure to mark your container an “X” and face that “X” towards the street.

If you have branches, leaves or grass clippings that need to be taken care of please take them to the DPW Garage at 70 N. Main St. Please do not place tree branches, leaves and other yard debris out in the street. It creates a hazard for other residents.

## Charges for Mowing

Services of mowing in the village will be charged to the property owner at current DPW hourly rates, with a minimum charge of \$150.00. If charges for mowing are not paid, the amount will be applies to the summer taxes

## Site Permits

Site Permits need to be obtained any time you add a deck, fence, shed, addition ect... to your property, cost is \$40.00. If a permit is not obtained, a penalty of \$40.00 per permit will be assessed. If you have questions or unsure if you need a permit please contact the village hall.

## Utility Bill Online Payment

You can pay by **CREDIT CARD & ACH** online. If you would like to pay your Utility Bill Online please go to the village website at [www.pigeonmichigan.com](http://www.pigeonmichigan.com). In the header on the top of the Home Page click on “Pay your Bill” and follow the on screen prompts. Fees will apply.

## 2023 Farmer’s Summerfest

July 20-23, 2023 watch-

<http://pigeonchamber.com/summerfest/> for details.