
Welcome to Redford!

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Welcome to Redford Township

Redford is a dynamic community of nearly 49,000 people residing in an area of 11.25 square miles along Detroit's western border. As a township, local services are overseen by a 7 member Township Board comprised of 3 full time administrators (Supervisor, Clerk and Treasurer) and 4 part time legislators (Trustees). In addition, an elected 7 member Park Commission works in concert with the Township Board in matters concerning the Township's 13 park facilities.

Some of the regularly scheduled Township events include:

- *Martin Luther King Day Community Prayer Breakfast
- *Bunny Brunch
- *Spring Perennial Exchange
- *Memorial Day Parade
- *Dog License Program
- *Township Festival
- *Concerts in the Park
- *Biannual Garden Walk
- *Fall Perennial Exchange
- *Octoberfest
- *Pumpkin Patch
- *Olde Fashioned Christmas
- *Santa Brunch

The Parks and Recreation Department have ongoing activities throughout the entire year.

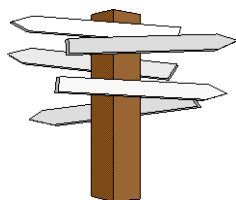
You are encouraged to get involved in your new community by taking advantage of the wide variety of opportunities offered.

The Gateway to the Suburbs

We have: Beautification * Block Grant Authority * Board of Canvassers * Board of Review * Building Authority * Downtown Development Authority * Election * Employees Civil Service * Genealogy and Historical * Library * Lighting * Neighborhood Association * Parade Authority * Planning * Police and Fire Civil Service * Police and Fire Pension Board * Senior Citizens * Sister City * Site * Rehabilitation Review Board * Youth * and * Zoning Board of Appeals * Commissions.

If you are interested in joining any of these, please contact us at Township Hall.

Volunteers are always needed!



Township Facilities

Township Hall

15145 Beech Daly Road
Redford, Michigan 48239
(One block South of Five Mile Road)
8:30am – 4:30pm

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees, Finance, Bookkeeping, Assessing-Homestead, Civil Service, Fire Center, Information Services, Elections, Garage Sales and Passports, Dog Licenses

Glenhurst Golf Course

25345 West Six Mile Road
Redford, Michigan 48240
(1/8 mile East of Beech Daly)
Open daily weather permitting

Leo Snage Public Service Building

12200 Beech Daly Road
Redford, Michigan 48239
(Across from the US Post Office)
8:30am – 4:30pm

Public Services, Building, Water and Central Maintenance, Dial-A-Ride

Community Development

12121 Hemingway
Redford, Michigan 48239
(At the end of Capitol)
8:30am – 4:30pm (administration hours)
Hours may be extended due to youth or senior programs

Home Information Center, Leisure Services, Senior Services, Youth Services, Meals on Wheels, After School Program, Parks and Recreation Administration and Commissioners

Ice Arena

12400 Beech Daly Road
Redford, Michigan 48239

937-0979 for information

District Library

25320 West Six Mile Road
Redford, Michigan 48240
(Across from Glenhurst Golf Course)
Hours are changed seasonally

Police Station

25833 Elsinore
Redford, Michigan 48239
(Behind Town Hall on the Southside of the parking lot)
8:00am – 4:00pm (administration hours)

17th District Court

15111 Beech Daly Road
Redford, Michigan 48239
(Southside of Town Hall)
8:30am – 4:15pm

For voting purposes, your new home is located in the:

United States 11th Congressional District

Rep. Thaddeus McCotter
415 Cannon House Office Bldg.
Washington DC 20515
(202) 225-8171 local (734) 632-0314
Thaddeus.McCotter@mail.house.gov

State 6th Senate District

Sen. Glenn S. Anderson
610 Farnum Building
125 W. Allegan, P.O. Box 30036
Lansing, MI 48909-7536
1-866-262-7306 (toll free)
SenatorAnderson@senate.mi.gov

State House 17th District

Rep. Philip M. Cavanagh
696 N HOB
PO Box 30014
Lansing, MI 48909-7514
517-373-0857 fax 517-373-5976
PhilCavanagh@house.mi.gov

Wayne County 9th Commission District

Comm. Diane Webb
600 Randolph, Ste. 446
Detroit, Michigan 48226
(313) 224-0930
dwebb@co.wayne.mi.us

There are three (3) school districts:

Clarenceville; 248-919-0400
Redford Union; 313-242-6000
South Redford; 313-535-4000



Voter Registration

This can be done in the Clerk's office (1st floor Township Hall). You must register at least 30 days prior to any election. If you request, you can also be placed on the Automatic Absentee Ballot Application List.

Note: changing your voter registration will also change your driver's license.

Homestead Affidavits

Upon closing on your new home, bring your homestead affidavits to be filed with the Assessor (2nd floor Township Hall) to ensure that your property taxes reflect this savings. This should be done immediately upon ownership of the property.

Sanitation – Special Pickup

The DPW - Sanitation (Public Service Building) charges for pickup of special items and they must be scheduled and pre-paid, call 387-2690 for information.

Residents are encouraged to participate in the Wayne County Hazardous Waste Days held throughout the year.



**Check out our website:
www.redfordtwp.com**

Township Directory

Assessing	387-2730
Building	387-2680
Clerk	387-2750
Comm. Development	387-2765
17 th District Court	387-2790
Dial-A-Ride	387-2770
Public Works	387-2690
Fire-non emergency	387-2625
Ice Arena	937-0979
Leisure Services	387-2650
Library	531-5960
Parks & Recreation	387-2650
Police-non emergency	387-2500
Sanitation	387-2690
Senior Citizens	387-2788
Supervisor	387-2705
Treasurer-Tax Office	387-2740
Water	387-2670
Youth	387-2775

General Township Information
387-2751 or Supervisor Office 387-2705

Greetings from the Clerk

The information presented in this newsletter is intended to give you a quick reference to your township government.

A welcome packet with more detailed information is available at the clerk's office. We encourage all new residents to pickup this packet after they file their Homestead Affidavit with the Assessor.

We also encourage all our residents to go to our website, www.redfordtwp.com and watch our cable channel 8 on Bighthouse Cable, Channel 99 on At&t Uverse and WOW will soon have us as well, all of which are updated daily. Ordinances, minutes, agendas and our action center can be found on our website as well.

Our township has much to offer; 15 parks, Glenhurst Golf Course, Redford Ice Arena, Historical Center, District Library, Community Center, Neighborhood Associations Events, Concerts in the Park, and so much more!

Please call us if you are interested in additional information on how to become more involved in your new community.

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