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WWW.BREITUNGTPW.ORG

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday
7:30am-4:00pm

Fax:

906-779-2077

Treasurer:

906-779-2065

Clerk:

906-779-2050

Utility Clerk:

906-779-2052

Assessor:

906-779-2060

DPW:

906-779-2064

Code

Enforcement:

906-779-2053

Superintendent:

906-779-2055

Other Useful
Phone Numbers:

Dickinson County
Road Commission:
906-774-1588

Great American
Disposal:
906-774-9006

Dickinson County
Construction Code
906-774-4885

Dickinson County
Sheriff's Dept.
Non-Emergency
906-774-6262



Breitung Township

OFFICE: 3851 MENOMINEE ST.
QUINNESEC, MI 49876

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 160, QUINNESEC, MI 49876

SUMMER 2019

UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSURES:

Thursday, July 4, 2019—Closed
Friday, July 5, 2019—Closed
Monday, September 2, 2019—Closed
Thursday, November 28, 2019—Closed
Friday, November 29, 2019—Closed
Enjoy your holidays!

WELCOME KARIE TAFF!

Next time you're in the area, stop by and say hello to our new Deputy Clerk, Karie Taff! Karie, whose maiden name is Groeneveld, grew up in Norway but has lived in Breitung Township for the past 26 years. Karie and her husband Paul live in Quinnesec with their youngest son, Travis, and fur-baby Monte. They have four children, (Kelly, Kasey, Thomas, and Travis) and three grand-children (Penelope, Ellie, and Ryleigh) with one on the way, due in August. Two of their children, Kasey and Tommy, also live in Quinnesec with their growing families. Paul and Karie are currently restoring their 1925 home that previously belonged to Karie's grandparents. Outside of work, Karie spends most of her time with her grandchildren. Karie said, "I look forward to learning about the inner-workings of the township and I hope to be a part of it's promising future".



PAYMENT OPTIONS

When paying your utility or tax bill, we have a few different options for you to take advantage of:

1. In-person. Our office is open 7:30am-4:00pm, Monday through Friday. We accept cash, checks and debit/credit cards in the office.
2. 24-hour drop box. Can't make it in during normal business hours? We have a secure drop box located next to our front door that you can drop your payment into anytime.
3. Online. BS&A, our billing software company, provides our residents with the ability to pay their tax and utility bills online. You can find that option by going to our website, www.breitungtpw.org, and clicking on the "Payment and Parcel Information" link on the main page. Once on that page, please choose "BS&A Payment/Information Site". You will have to create a login if you haven't already and the website will walk you through the process from there.
4. Over the phone. If you're wanting to pay with your debit or credit card, you can call the Utility Clerk or our Treasurer and we can take payments over the phone.
5. Mail. You can mail in your payment to:
Breitung Township
P.O. Box 160
Quinnesec, MI 49876
6. ACH withdrawal. We offer FREE automatic withdrawal from either your checking or savings account on the day your bill is due. If you're interested in ACH withdrawal for your taxes, please contact the Treasurer. If you're interested in ACH withdrawal for your utility bills, please contact the Utility Clerk.

**When paying with a debit or credit card, please keep in mind the 3%, minimum of \$2, convenience fee that our third-party provider charges.*

REMINDER: Whether mailing or dropping off a bill payment, it **MUST be received in our office by the due date in order to avoid the late penalty.** Breitung Township **DOES NOT** accept postmarks for any payments, whether utility or tax.

A NOTE FROM OUR BANKS...

When writing a check out to Breitung Township, please make sure to only use BLUE or BLACK ink. Our banks use scanners when inputting our deposits that capture the image of your checks and colored inks are harder for the scanner to capture.



*Department of Public Works
Superintendent Guy Forstrom
was the main speaker for the
Memorial Day Ceremony held at
the Breitung Township Cemetery
on May 27, 2019.*



WELCOME STEVE MULKA!

BREITUNG TOWNSHIP'S NEW SUPERINTENDENT & ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

Steve and his wife Wendy have raised five boys, all of whom have attended Breitung Township Schools, with their youngest beginning his third year at Michigan Tech this fall. Steve attended Bay de Noc Community College and Northern Michigan University, majoring in mathematics & computer science. Steve had previously worked 25 years with the Kingsford Public Safety Department, and for the last 13 years with the City of Iron Mountain as the Planning, Zoning & Code Administrator heading the Department of Community Planning & Development. Since 2004, Steve has also worked part-time for the Township as our Code Enforcement Officer. Steve is well-versed in municipal budgets and accounting practices as well as general management principles.

In his free time, Steve is the Vice President of Our Place Community Center-Imagination Factory Kiwanis Children's Museum, a non-profit organization on a mission to provide a gathering place where children, youth, adults and the elderly all belong.

Steve will take the Superintendent/Zoning Administrator position over full-time as of July 2, 2019 and says he looks forward to meeting and working with the residents. *"I am grateful to have this opportunity to serve the Township and its citizens. Please feel free to stop in or call. I will always make myself available if you have any questions or concerns."*



Steve's hours will be Monday through Friday, 8:00am-4:00pm. He can be reached by calling his office phone number at 906-779-2055, or by email at: superintendent@breitungtwp.org.