PUBLIC NOTICE

SAUGATUCK TOWNSHIP BOARD

Notice of Public Hearing

The Saugatuck Township Board will hold a public hearing on October 2, 2019 at 6:00PM at the Saugatuck Township Hall, 3461 Blue Star Highway, Saugatuck, MI 49453. The purpose of this hearing is to obtain public input from residents and community stakeholders as the Township Board considers adding a special assessment back to the assessment rolls pertaining to a special assessment district that was originally established per a special election on July 7, 1980 for the purpose of funding the cost of the township providing or contracting for ambulance service for the benefit of the residents of the special assessment district which is described as:

The special assessment district is described as that part of the Township of Saugatuck, Allegan County, Michigan as located south of the Kalamazoo River in Section 14, south of the Kalamazoo River and east of the Village of Douglas in Section 15, south of the Village of Douglas in Section 17, all of Section 20, south of the Village of Douglas in Section 21, south and east of the Village of Douglas located in Section 22, south of the south branch of the Kalamazoo River in sections 23 and 24, and all of Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36.

Maps and assessment amounts are available for public inspection at the Saugatuck Township Hall, 3461 Blue Star Highway, Saugatuck, MI 49453. Further information may be obtained at (269) 857-7721.

The Township will provide necessary reasonable aids and services upon 48 hours notice to the Township Clerk, abigford@saugatucktownship.org or (269) 857-7721.

As is provided in Michigan Act 186 of 1973 and Michigan Act 64 of 1989, both as amended, appearance and protest at this hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of any special assessment included in the special assessment roll to the State Tax Tribunal, if an appeal should be desired. An owner or party in interest, or an agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest a special assessment. Alternatively, an owner or party in interest, or an agent, may file an appearance and protest by letter delivered to the Township Clerk by the close of the hearing; then personal appearance shall not be required. If the special assessment is protested as provided above, the owner or any party having an interest in the real property may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the Michigan Tax Tribunal or other court of competent jurisdiction within 30 days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll.