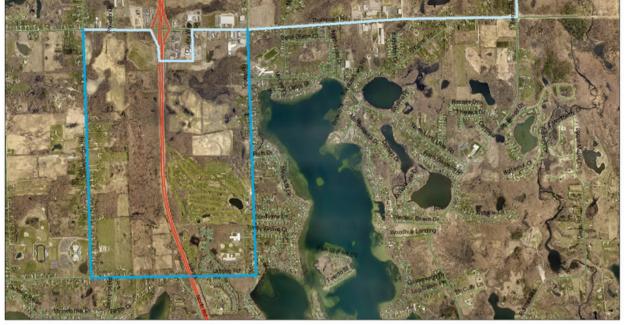
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Proposed Water Line Phase 1-2022 Phase 2-2023

Thompson Road Corridor Proposed Water Project November 2021



CHARTER TOWNSHIP of FENTON

# Fenton-Thompson Watermain Extension Project

The Genesee County Drain Commission is leading the Fenton-Thompson Watermain project, as the project is an extension of the Genesee County Water Supply System that will bring water to the southern area of Genesee County.

In October 2021, the Genesee County Board of Commissioners allocated \$6.5 million to the project from the American Rescue Act Funds (ARPA) that the county received.

The watermain project is part of the development plan for the Thompson Road Corridor and the updates to the Fenton Township Master Plan taking place via the Planning Commission throughout 2023. The water system will bring options to homeowners, businesses, and the Lake Fenton School District buildings that are located within the Thompson Road Corridor.

In addition, the project will allow for new business development within the Thompson Road Corridor and be an option for further development of the park space on Thompson Road that currently is home to the Thompson Road Regional Dog Park to include more offerings for the community.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE PROJECT, OR THE MASTER PLAN, YOU CAN CONTACT THE FENTON TOWNSHIP ZONING ADMINISTRATOR MIKE DEEM AT (810) 629-1537 OR BY EMAIL MDEEM@FENTONTOWNSHIP.ORG

## Watermain Project Phase 1 and Phase 2

#### Phase 1

Having broken ground in late November 2022 on Fenton Road. The first phase of the project will extend from the Mundy Township board south on Fenton Road to Thompson Road. The watermain will then continue west along Thompson Road to Jennings Road.

#### Phase 2

The proposed second phase would see the watermain head south on Torrey Road (from Thompson Road) to Lahring Road then west to Jennings Road and back north to Thompson Road.

Phases 1 & 2 will bring the water system to all four Lake Fenton School District buildings.

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Happy New Year! Upcoming Meetings and Holidays

February

#### January

2nd - New Year's Day (Office Closed) 3rd - Township Board Meeting (6:30 p.m.) 12th - Planning Commission Meeting (6 p.m.) 16th - Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Office Closed) 23rd - Planning Commission Meeting (6 p.m.) 17th - Township Board Meeting (6:30 p.m.) 24th - Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting (7 p.m.)

7th - Township Board Meeting (6:30 p.m.)

9th - Planning Commission Meeting (6 p.m.)

21st - Township Board Meeting (6:30 p.m.)

28th - Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting (7:00 p.m.)

26th - Planning Commission Meet		
Report Streetlight	Fenton Township	Winter 2022 Property Tax
Outages, Issues	Rental Hall Remodel	The Winter 2022 Property Taxes
Has the streetlight outside your house started flickering? Has it gone out completely?	The Fenton Township Rental Hall, located in the lower level of the Fenton Township Civic	became available on December 1, 2022.
Consumers Energy has made it easy to report these issues directly to them online.	Community Center, will not be available during the remodel. The remodel is expected to be	The 2022 taxes are due to the Fenton Township office by close of business on February 28, 2023.
The Consumers Energy Streetlight Outages map populates all of the streetlights so you just select the light on the map to report any issues.	complete before the 2023 summer rental season. For more information regarding the Fenton Township Rental Hall:	There is no card reader at the <u>Township Office</u> . Payments may be made via credit or debit card online on the Fenton Township website, though there is a processing fee.
You can view the map online: https://streetlights.consumersen ergy.com/	https://www.fentontownship.o rg/community- dept/page/banquet-hall- rental-information	Check or money order payments may be mailed or dropped off at the Township Office. You can either have it processed over the
Heading out of Stop by the Fenton Township Offic form. This way the Genesee County check on your property while you ar If you will be gone for several mo change of address form to have the Township communications mailed be reached. The United States P	ce and fill out a Vacation Check Deputies are aware and they can e away. onths, you will want to fill out a he sewer bills, tax bills, or other to the address in which you can	counter or in the afterhours drop box. Cash payments are accepted at the Township Office. The Township Office will be closed January 2nd and 16th. Payments not made by close of business on February 28, 2023 will
sewer bill postcards. You may sign up for e-billing for emailed to you rather than receiving VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR PREV TOWNSHIP NEWS: A NEWSLET	the sewer bill so that the bill is	be rolled over to the Genesee County Treasurer's Office. Please contact the Deputy Treasurer Lisa Lawrence if you have any questions regarding property tax at (810) 629-1537.

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#### Be part of the weekly "Where in Fenton Township are we today?" series on the official Fenton Township social media channels

Every Friday on social media there are pictures posted that from around the Township in the "Where in Fenton Township are we today?" social media series.

Those that follow Fenton Township social media (Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter) can make a guess as to where the image of the week is.

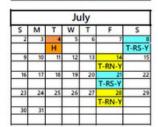


If you would like to submit your pictures from around the Township to be highlighted on, the township social channels please email them to mmcalister@fentontownship.org along with where the image was taken and by whom.

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**Curbside Waste Collection** 

The 2023 Republic Services collection schedule is now available

With the new contract for Republic Services, vard waste collection has been extended through the end of December for 2023.

Yard waste will be collected weekly in 2023 starting April 7th.

Recycling is still every other week and that is dependent upon if you are in the yellow or the blue section of the map (these did not change for 2023 from 2022; however, the map is available on the Fenton Township website or in the Township Hall lobby.

For large item pick up, you need to call Republic at 888-872-7455 to schedule a large item pickup prior to collection that week.

If you need a second recycle bin due to the amount of recycling your household does there is a form on the Township website to request one from Republic: https://www.fentontownship.org/ community-dept/page/extrarepublic-trash-or-recycle-bin

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#### Genesee County Recycling Options for Non-curbside Collection

The Genesee County Metropolitan Planning Commission has several resources available to Genesee County residents regarding recycling items that are not accepted via curbside collection. In the summer they typically organize one countywide recycle day a month for items to be dropped of at a designated location.

You can find Genesee County Recycle/Disposal information on batteries, paint, automotive, and other items at: *https://www.fentontownship.org/community-dept/page/genesee-county-recycling-information* 

For recycling information from the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) you can visit their recycling information website: *https://recyclingraccoons.org/* 



### E-Notifications and Social Media

First, if you have read to the bottom of the final page of this newsletter we want to thank you for taking the time to read The Fenton Township News. The newsletter is available monthly in hard copy in the Township Office lobby.

Additionally, the current and previous editions of the newsletter are all available on the Fenton Township website. **FentonTownship.org** 

Those interested can sign up for e-notifications on the website for the monthly newsletter, or even for meeting information emails, or sign up for "news" in which is used for single event items that may come up between newsletters.

Fenton Township is also on social media: Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter.

#### Plots Available at Gage Cemetery

Did you know that Fenton Township owns and operates a cemetery?

After many years of inactivity, a new section of Gage Cemetery was surveyed in the late 1990's and has been available for use since that time.

Gage Cemetery is located on the east side of Fenton Road between Thompson and North Long Lake Roads.

The newer section is located immediately south of the old part of the cemetery, which was established in 1856. Burial plots are available and may be purchased at the Fenton Township office.

The cost of an individual burial space is \$400.00.

Please contact the Fenton Township Building Coordinator Julie Lewis if you have any questions regarding Gage Cemetery at: jlewis@fentontownship.org or (810) 629-1537