



## **NEWARK TOWNSHIP BOARD:**

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### **AUGUST 2, 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION**

Newark Township will have several very important ballot questions on the Ballot for August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022.

We encourage all to get out and vote or apply for an Absentee Ballot. Gratiot County as a whole will have 3 Proposals for Renewal: Senior Services Millage Renewal Proposal, Gratiot County Agricultural and Economic Development Millage Renewal Proposal, and the Gratiot County Library Millage Renewal Proposal.

Newark Township will also be voting on the Gratiot Emergency Services Authority Fire Protection and EMS Millage increase. Please see the attached flyer for this important explanation of this increase.

### **ARPA FUNDS:**

United States Federal Government signed into Law on March 11, 2021 The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 as a Stimulus bill to aid in the loss of revenue during COVID. Newark Township has received \$110,000.00 from those funds. Newark Township also applied for ARPA Funding from Gratiot County and received \$55,000.00.

These funds need to be used by 2024; funds will be used for township hall repairs and renovations. We have already installed a new furnace with A/C and lighted exit signs. In the near future, a new ramp and siding renovations will begin.

### **HEARTLAND WIND PROJECT:**

Gratiot County Planning Commission approved the Heartland Wind Farm Project Special Use Permit for Newark Township on March 10, 2022 (Resolution No. 2022-286) and on May 11th, 2022, the Site Plan was approved for 27 wind turbines. Construction to take place in 2022-2023.

Did you ever think you may be interested in being a Newark Township Official...if so the Position of Supervisor, Treasurer and Clerk will be available in 2024, if you are? Interested in finding out what the Duties of this positions do please ask a Board member. Come and join us at a Meeting to find out how Newark Township Operates.