

IMPORTANT INFORMATION for Sandstone Property Owners,

The Covid-19 Pandemic has affected every aspect of our lives and as of the writing of this note the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has restricted the way that townships can provide property owners a means to protest their property taxes. In person meetings are currently not allowed. We hope the MDHHS changes their rulings before the March Board of Review meetings on: March 8, 2021 at 9 AM to 3 PM and March 10, 2021 at 3 PM to 9 PM Please check the Township web site for the latest information including how the Board of Review will be holding "virtual meetings" or "in person meetings" <https://sandstonetownship.org/> Another option is to call the office 517-784-4712 If you just have questions about your assessment Change Notice and not sure if you need to file a petition, please contact the assessor, Julie Pulling at 517-784-4712 Extension 6 and she will be glad to go over the assessed valuation and answer your questions. This assessor review option has to be done before March 1st. If after talking to Julie and you want to file a petition, then you can follow one of these paths below:

FILE PETITION IN WRITING OR E-MAIL

You can file a petition in writing by going on line and get the Petition to Board of Review Form. This form is available on: https://www.michigan.gov/documents/l4035f_2658_7.pdf. Complete this form and send any supporting documentation by mail to Sandstone Charter Township, 7940 County Farm Road, Parma Michigan, 49269 or drop the documents off at the township hall. If using the internet you can scan your petition and supporting documents and email them to assessor@sandstonetownship.org. The documents need to be received before 9 PM March 10th. If you want to discuss your situation with the Board of Review, you need to make an appointment by calling Julie Pulling between the work hours of 9 AM to 4 PM, M-F at 517-784-4712 Extension 6.

FILE PETITION USING VIRTUAL MEETING "ZOOM"

1. If MDHHS does not allow "in person" Board of Review meetings, then you are requested to call 517-784-4712 Extension 6 to a schedule a virtual appointment. Form L-4035 "Petition to Board of Review" and any supporting documentation should arrive at the assessor's office in the Township hall one day before your appointment time. If there is not time to do this you can file a petition during the virtual meeting but this may be more difficult.
2. You need to download the Zoom app in advance of the meeting. To sign in to the ZOOM meeting use:
Meeting ID: **373 193 0177** Passcode: **368910** (or you can call in: 1-312-626-6799).
3. Plan to sign in to the Zoom meeting 5 minutes before your scheduled appointment.
4. Another option is to send an email to lkacker1@gmail.com requesting to get an email invite to join the meeting. This email invite will have a link to allow you to join the meeting. Invites will be sent before your meeting time.

For additional assistance in joining the Zoom meeting, please call Keith Acker at 517-812-9441.

Americans with Disabilities (ADA) Notice

The Township will provide necessary reasonable services to individuals with disabilities for this meeting. A five day notice is required to make necessary arrangements. Contact Kim Britten, Clerk at 517-784-4712 Ext 4.

Respectfully,

Keith Acker, Supervisor