

# QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

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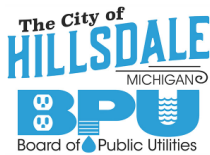


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97 North Broad Street  
Hillsdale, Michigan 49242

**Monday - Friday**  
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

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**1-844-427-8633**  
(after-hours emergencies)



## HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Hillsdale City Offices will be closed during office hours to observe the following holiday(s):



**INDEPENDENCE DAY:  
JULY 4TH (THURSDAY)**

Normal office hours will resume on Friday, July 5 at 8:00 AM.

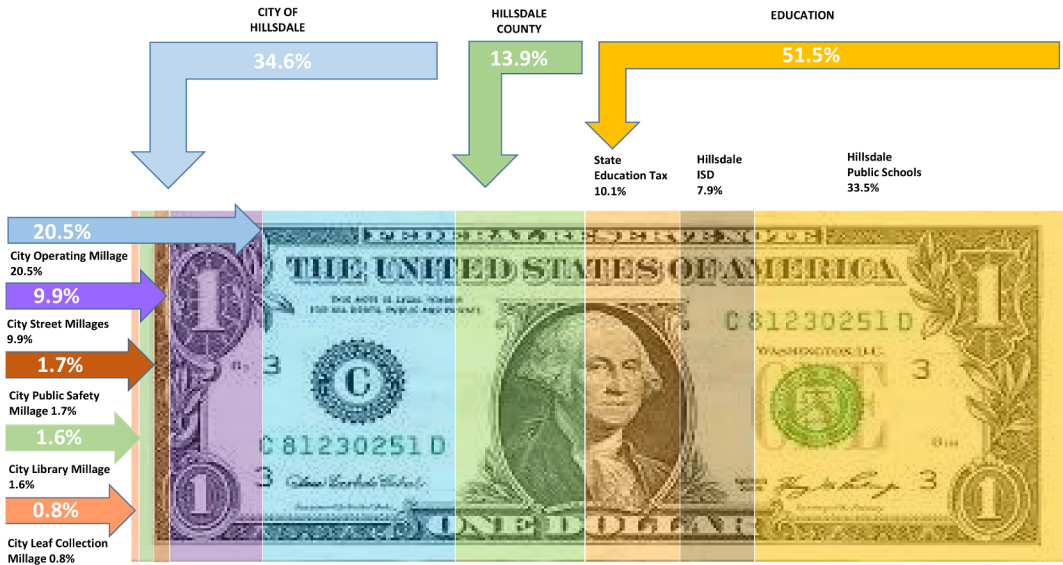
## SUMMER PROPERTY TAXES

2024 City of Hillsdale summer property taxes are due and payable to the City Treasurer without interest and penalty by:



**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2024**  
**(POSTMARK WILL BE HONORED)**

## YOUR PROPERTY TAX DOLLARS AT WORK



## CONSTRUCTION PROJECT UPDATES

### WESTWOOD AREA SAD 2023-7

Construction will continue on this project. Much of the work and paving the base course will be in July. Phase 2 will start in July with pavement removals and utility installations.

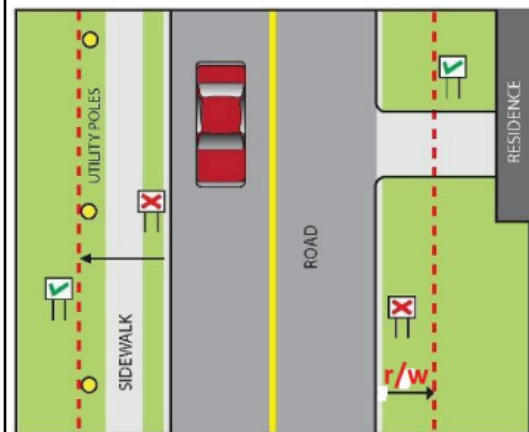
### W ST JOE ST/GRISWOLD ST SAD 2024-8

This project is planned to start in June or early July. Work will start on W St Joe St (between Bacon St and South St). This section of roadway includes total reconstruction with new concrete, road base, and paving.

Following substantial completion of the north section of the project, the contractor will pulverize W St Joe St/Griswold St (from South St to Waterworks Ave), complete culvert replacements, grade the section, and pave.

Access to parks near Baw Beese Lake will be off of Steamburg Rd as the St Joe/Griswold section will be closed to non-residents of the area.

## SIGNS IN PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY PROHIBITED



Planning on having a yard/garage sale this summer? Showing your support for your favorite local business or politician? Per the Hillsdale, Michigan Code of Ordinances, Chapter 26, Section 26-5. - Signs prohibited, signs located in the public right-of-way or on utility poles are prohibited.

Please see the above graphic to better understand appropriate locations for your sign.

## 2024 AUGUST PRIMARY ELECTION INFORMATION

### Important 2024 election dates

Feb. 27	Aug. 6	Nov. 5
Presidential Primary	Primary Election	General Election

Michigan.gov/VOTE

There are three (3) ways to vote these elections:

- 1) Absentee Voting
- 2) Early In-Person Voting
- 3) In-Person at Precinct on Election Day

For more information on these voting types, please contact the City Clerk, Katy Price:

**(517) 437-6441**

**clerk@cityofhillsdale.org**





# ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY™

**SUMMER READING  
JUNE 10 - JULY 22**



## SUMMER READING PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

Summer programming and activities will be available at the Hillsdale Community Library. Programs will be available for both adults and children. Participants can read to earn prizes!

For more information, please visit the Library on Facebook, their website, or in person.

- ☎ (517) 437-6470
- ✉ info@hillsdale-library.org
- 📍 11 E Bacon St  
Hillsdale, MI 49242

## HILLSDALE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT TERMINAL PROJECT WINS AWARD AT CONFERENCE



*Left to right: Nick Patterson, RS&H; Ginger Moore, Hillsdale Municipal Airport; and Andrew Laszczyk and Shirley Ghannam, Arconcepts (Courtesy of the Michigan Department of Transportation)*

At the 2024 Michigan Airport Conference held in East Lansing on February 22nd, the Michigan Aeronautics Commission (MAC) and the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) announced the award winners for achievements in promoting and improving aviation.

In a February press release from MDOT, they stated: "Arconcepts, an architectural, design, and planning firm based in Livonia for exceptional work on the Hillsdale Municipal Airport Terminal Project in Hillsdale. The firm's team brought this project from sketch to reality in a very short timeline, enduring all deadlines were met along the way. The newly designed terminal brings many modern amenities to the airport, creating a welcoming space for the public to enjoy. The building's forward-thinking concept will meet the needs of aviation enthusiasts for years to come."

### PLANT GROWTH LIMITED AND WEEDS PROHIBITED



Per the Hillsdale, Michigan Code of Ordinances, Chapter 14, Section 14-142. - Plant growth limited; weeds prohibited, "All premises and exterior property shall be maintained free from weeds or plant growth **in excess of 10 inches**. All noxious weeds shall be prohibited."

### INDIANA RAIL EXPERIENCE TRI-STATE SCENIC STEAM EXCURSION COMES ONCE AGAIN TO HILLSDALE



**SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2024**

- 9:00 AM - Departure from Edon, OH**
- 11:30 AM - Arrival in Hillsdale, MI**
- 3:00 PM - Departure from Hillsdale, MI**
- 6:00 PM - Arrival in Edon, OH**

Enjoy an all-day excursion on Father's Day weekend featuring historic Nickel Plate Road steam locomotive no. 765! These excursions will treat passengers to a summer train ride from Edon, Ohio to Southeastern Michigan for a three-hour layover in the historic downtown of Hillsdale, Michigan.

Departing at 9:00 AM, the train will arrive in town for lunch where passengers can enjoy lunch and area amenities on their own. Shuttles will be provided to assist guests in traveling the downtown area. Many businesses will have special operating hours to cater exclusively to the train.

Please visit [www.indianarailexperience.org/tri-state-scenic/](http://www.indianarailexperience.org/tri-state-scenic/) for more information on the excursion or to purchase tickets.

### 2024 GREAT AMERICAN CELEBRATION



**WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 2024**

For more information and details on events, please keep an eye on the Hillsdale County Fair's Facebook page.

### NEW HIRES



Please join the City in welcoming the following new hires:

- Dale Hogue - Wastewater**
- Kathy Declamp - BPU Customer Service Rep**
- Reno Smith - Lineman Apprentice**

We wish you the very best during your time at the City of Hillsdale. Welcome aboard!

Interested in joining the City of Hillsdale? If so, visit <https://www.cityofhillsdale.org/jobs> to see a current list of job openings.