

NOTICE

To the Qualified Electors of HOPE TOWNSHIP, BARRY COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, COUNTY OF BARRY, STATE OF MICHIGAN ON TUESDAY AUGUST 4, 2026

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Electors who wish to receive an Absentee Voter ballot for the election by mail may submit an AV application by 2:00 p.m. on August 1, 2026. Electors qualified to obtain an Absentee Voter Ballot for the election may vote in person in the Township Clerk’s office up to 4:00 p.m. on Monday August 3, 2026

QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE

- Citizen of the United States
- At least 18 years of age on or before August 4, 2026
- Resident of Michigan and the township/city where you are applying to vote.

Persons with special needs, as defined in the Americans with Disabilities Act, should contact the Township Clerk. Persons who are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired may place a call through the Michigan Relay Center TDD#1-800-649-3777.

HOPE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE

EARLY VOTING SITE

TO ALL QUALIFIED ELCTORS IN HOPE TOWNSHIP, BARRY COUNTY, MI

Notice is hereby given by resolution of the **Hope Township** board under authority granted in Public Act 81 of 2023, that the location of the **early voting site only** for all Federal and statewide election dates will be the following:

Rutland Township Hall

2461 Heath Rd

Hastings MI 49058

All qualified electors in Hope Township have the right to mark a ballot and deposit the ballot in a tabulator beginning the second Saturday before an election and ending the Sunday before the election. Early voting will be available at the early voting site for the following hours:

Saturday 7/25/26	9 am – 5 pm
Sunday 7/26/26	9 am – 5 pm
Monday 7/27/26	9 am – 5 pm
Tuesday 7/28/26	9 am – 5 pm
Wednesday 7/29/26	9 am – 5 pm
Thursday 7/30/26	9 am – 5 pm
Friday 7/31/26	9 am – 5 pm
Saturday 8/1/26	9 am – 5 pm
Sunday 8/2/26	9 am – 5 pm

For those who wish to vote on Election Day - The General Election will be held as normal for Hope Township Electors at Hope Township Hall on Tuesday August 4, 2026 7am to 8pm.

HOPE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Notice is hereby given that the Canvas/Close of in person early voting for Hope Township for the August 4, 2026 Election will take place at 8 pm on August 4, 2026 at Rutland Towsnhip Hall, 2461 Heath Rd Hastings MI 49058.

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Deborah Jackson
Hope Township Clerk
5463 S. M-43 Hwy
Hastings MI 49058
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NOTICE

The Hope Township Election Commission will

meet Monday July 13, 2026 at 6:30pm

to appoint a Receiving Board, appoint representative for accuracy test, appoint Election Inspectors for the Election to be held on August 4, 2026.

Meeting to be held at the Hope Township Hall,

5463 S M-43 Highway, Hastings MI. 49058

This notice is posted in compliance with PA267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MCLA 41.72a (2) (3) and the Americans with Disabilities Act. (ADA)

The Hope Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 7 days notice to the Hope Township Board. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Hope Township Board by writing or calling the following:

[Deborah Jackson](#)

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HOPE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Notice is hereby given that the PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST for EARLY VOTING for the August 4, 2026 Election has been scheduled for Monday June 29, 2026 at 11:00 am at Hope Township Hall; 5463 S. M-43 Hwy; Hastings MI 49058

The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to demonstrate that the program and the computer that will be used to tabulate the results for the election have been prepared in accordance with law

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HOPE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Notice is hereby given that the PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST
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at Hope Township Hall; 5463 S. M-43 Hwy; Hastings MI 49058

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