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Dear Neighbor,

I am pleased to serve as both your county commissioner and representative voice.

The Board of Commissioners encourages open communication with our constituents, and feedback and public involvement at our meetings. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or suggestions on how we can make Macomb County an even better place to live, learn, or do business. You will find my contact information throughout this newsletter.

To attend a monthly full board or committee meeting, check www.MacombBOC.com for meeting dates and agendas, or call our office at (586) 469-5125. The BoC meets on the 9th Floor of the Administration Building, 1 S. Main, Mount Clemens.

Happy Holidays,

Roland R. Fraschetti



County-issued Veteran ID Cards Now Available

A new photo ID card is now available to Macomb County veterans through the Office of Clerk/Register of Deeds, Carmella Sabaugh.

Many businesses offer veterans special benefits, discounts, or services as a way to express gratitude for their service to our country. The ID card can be a way to provide veterans with proof of service (while being more portable than DD214 forms), and does not exclude some veterans, (as in the case of health care ID cards.) The cards are an optional form of ID, and are available to veterans at no additional cost to the county.

Veterans may obtain a card by bringing the following to the county clerk's office:

- Military discharge papers: (such as a DD214)
- Photo identification: (MI driver's license, or MI ID card)
- \$10 fee: (cash, check, credit card)

Not all merchants offer special services or discounts to veterans, but an unofficial list of participating businesses is available at:

www.themilitarywallet.com.

For more information regarding the veterans photo ID card, please call the Clerk/Register of Deeds office at (586) 469-5205. Assistance with any other veteran-related issues can also be directed to Veterans Services at (586) 469-5315.

Seminars for Macomb County Senior Citizens

Macomb County Senior Citizen Services Grandparents Raising Grandchildren program, CARE of Southwest Michigan and PNC Bank will present "Budgeting in Retirement," a free, one hour session, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. January 13 at the Senior Auditorium, 21855 Dunham Road. At this free event, retirees can learn how to create a personal budget to fit a new lifestyle, reduce debt, and discover some cost cutting ideas.

Pre-registration is requested. Call Heather at (586) 541-0033, ext. 212, or email her at hbattaglia@careofsem.com.

Are you turning 65? If so, you won't want to miss "Happy Birthday 65," a seminar hosted by Macomb County Senior Citizen Services from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. February 15 at the Senior Auditorium, 21855 Dunham Road.

Resource advocates will give presentations on a number of topics of interest for senior citizens, including: social security, veterans benefits, Medicare (Parts A, B, and D), Medicare Advantage, and low-income subsidy.

In addition, newly disabled individuals on Medicare are also invited to attend.

To register for this informative event, or for more information, call Senior Citizens Services at (586) 469-6313. For information on other programs and services for seniors, visit: www.macombcountymi.gov/seniorservices.



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Tips on Proper Hazardous Waste Disposal

Do you know how to properly dispose of your household hazardous waste? The following items are toxic, flammable, corrosive or are reactive and can explode or give off poisonous gases: Anti-freeze, fungicides, gasoline glues, herbicides, household cleaners, most automotive solvents, paint thinner, pesticides, and oil-based paints.



If you are not sure how to get rid of an item, call the Macomb County Hazardous Waste Hotline at (586) 466-7923 (Press 5) for more information on the safe disposal of a substance. Also, the City of St. Clair Shores website lists a waste disposal guide on its Department of Public Works page. Visit www.scsmi.org and click on "Department of Public Works" under the "Departments" tab to find the guide.

Macomb County Office Closures:

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County offices and courts will be closed on the following days:

January 2 (New Year's Day)
January 16 (MLK, Jr. Day)
February 20 (Presidents Day)

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Macomb County Phone Numbers:

- Animal Shelter:** (586) 469-5115
- Clerk/Register of Deeds:** (586) 469-5120
- Community Mental Health:**
 - Access Center: (586) 948-0222 V/Collect
 - Crisis Center: (586) 307-9100 V/TDD/Collect
- Office of the County Executive:** (586) 469-7001
- Substance Abuse Access:** (586) 541-2273
- Friend of the Court:** 24-hour case info: (586) 469-7618
- Health Department:** (586) 469-5235
- Land File Division:** (586) 469-5312
- Senior Citizen Services:** (586) 469-6313
- Sheriff's Department:** (586) 469-5151
- Treasurer's Office:** (586) 469-5190
- Veterans Services:** (586) 469-5315