# Township

ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF GRAND MARAIS RESIDENTS AND

PLANTING THE SEEDS FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE. BUILT

# What did we do in the 2019-20 fiscal year?

### **General Fund**

- Major Renovations
  - -New roof
  - -Siding
  - -Additional insulation
  - -All outbound plumbing replacement
  - -Electrical upgrades
- New shredder
- Computer replacements (old system no longer supported)
- New refrigerator
- Cemetery Management Software

## **DPW & Water Fund**

- Tree trimming
- Community Cleanup day 14.5 tons of garbage
- Continued upgrades to LED street lights
- New Kubota
- Repairs to fire hydrants
- Curf Cutter
- Installed the 30 new (donated) flower planters around town
- New sections of sidewalk on Main Street and Everett St.
- New 30ft Veterans Memorial flag pole
- Water department building repainted
- New Furnace in water dept
- Well #3 new level transmitter installed
- Cross connection/annual pump/consumer confidence reports
- Complete testing for PFAS and lead and copper

### **Road Fund**

- Paved Cemetery Road
- Dust Control (35,000 gallons)

## **Ambulance & Fire Fund**

- New ambulance!!!
- Dissolved the Burt Township Ambulance Corps and merged with Alger County
- Major repairs to the fire truck
- Grant application submitted for assistance in purchasing a new fire truck
- New skidder with DNR grant assist

# **Parks & Recreation Fund**

- Improvements to the garage shelving etc...
- New Kubota
- Tree removal/trimming/stump removal
- Rocks/landscaping
- New septic tank control panel
- Electrical improvements throughout the park
- Scheduled replacements of decking on the boardwalk New Trex material
- Coast guard point parking lot enhancements
- New water heater in the bathhouse
- 15 new picnic tables
- Transferred money to Marina to help offset cost of new bathhouse

## **Marina Fund**

• Completed the marina bathhouse and fish cleaning station

# What do we want to do in the 2020-21 fiscal year?

### **General Fund**

- Complete township building renovations
- Update recreational plan

### **Ambulance & Fire Fund**

- Payoff ambulance loan
- New computer for fire department
- Continue to pursue grant funding for better fire equipment
- Additional turn out gear for firefighters

### **DPW & Water Fund**

- Sidewalk repair/replace
- Continue to save for new well and water main replacements on Wilson Street
- Cemetery grave flag holders
- Cemetery mapping

### **Road Fund**

- Mixon road improvements
- Increased dust control

### Parks & Recreation + Marina Fund

- Continued replacement of decking on the boardwalk Trex material
- Community Center water heater
- New high quality garbage cans (10)
- Shower doors
- Improvements to the Beach bathhouse and marina bathhouse
- Transfer funds to marina to continue to support new bathhouse expenses
- Increased rates for boat dockage
- Improvements to the Marina parking lot/gravel and grade

### **Fuel System**

• Investigate the feasibility of moving and upgrading the fuel delivery system at the marina

# **Medical Center**

• Install bench, new sign, and memorial plaque for Sandee Sibbald dedication

# Revised 4 Year Estimated Improvement Schedule

Year	<b>Prioritized Project</b>	7	Total Cost	T	ownship \$
2020	Dust Control Mixon Road	\$ \$	15,000.00 96,000.00	\$ \$	15,000.00 48,000.00
2021	Dust Control Lowder Road Ridge Road	\$ \$ \$	15,000.00 72,200.00 29,200.00		15,000.00 36,100.00 14,600.00 65,700.00

- Possible switch in 2021 to repairs on Woodruff Rd.
- Looking to prioritize repairs to Wilson Street in 2022/2023

# Outstanding Loans – Payments Due 2020/2021

Water	\$83,000	Water System Replace – p/o 2052
DPW	\$10,000	Weston Building – p/o 2042
	\$2,500	Cherry Picker – p/o 2020
Ambulance	\$12,400	Weston Building p/o 2042
Fire	\$17,600	Weston Building p/o 2042
Park	\$2,500	Cherry Picker p/o 2020
	\$50,000	Line of credit/Water system upgrade
Total	\$178,000	