

## S T A T E O F M I C H I G A N

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ALLEGAN

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS—APPOINT ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH BOARD OF APPEALS**

**WHEREAS**, on October 28, 2024, a resident appealed a decision by Environmental Health to deny a site in Laketown Township an on-site sewage disposal system based on the interpretation of the Allegan County Water and Sewage Regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, per the Allegan County Water and Sewage Regulations Section 701.00, a Board of Appeals shall be created, consisting of three members appointed by the Board of Commissioners (Board) to furnish the appellant with a written report of its findings and decision.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board appoints the following individuals to the Environmental Health Board of Appeals

- Todd Jensen
- Rod Carroll
- Chad Warner
- Rick Klingenberg (Alternate); and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that said members shall receive per diem at \$50 per meeting and be eligible to receive mileage reimbursement at 60% of the current IRS rate; and

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** compensation applies to members not already receiving compensation as part of their regular work duties or paid for by another source when attending meetings.



ALLEGAN COUNTY  
REQUEST FOR ACTION FORM

Date: 11/4/2024

Request Type Routine Items  
Department Requesting Health Department (Environmental Health)  
Submitted By Randy Rapp  
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Description

This activity aligns with 2210.611, Septic Permits. We do not anticipate this activity needs to be sustained by Information Services. A brief history: Upon receipt of an application for well and septic permits were issued, for 4502 Audubon, on August 14, 2023. On October 23, 2023, after careful consideration and additional information submitted that did not meet the Allegan County Water and Sewage Regulations, the permit was voided. On September 17, 2024, revised engineering plans were submitted by Larry Stephens, PE and were denied based on interpretation of the Allegan County Water and Sewage Regulations. On October 28, 2024, the owner submitted paperwork and the fee for an appeal. According to the regulations, Section 701.00 and 702.00 the appeals board is comprised of 3 individuals appointed by the Board of Commissioners. Environmental Health is requesting the proposed Board of Appeals be approved at the next available Board of Commissioners meeting.

**APPEAL REQUEST FOR 4502 AUDUBON**

**PP# 03-11-009-043-00**

**LAKETOWN TOWNSHIP**

**FRITZ RESIDENCE**

**PROPOSED BOARD OF APPEALS**

**Rod Carroll – Wray’s Septic & Development Co.:** **Wray’s Septic & Development Co.** is a family owned and operated company based in Allegan, Michigan that has been providing professional septic tank and excavations services since 1968.

**Todd Jensen – Jensen’s Excavating:** **Todd Jensen** is the President of **Jensen’s Excavating**. Jensen's Excavating was started in 1975 as Richard Jensen Hauling and Excavating in South Haven, MI. In the early days of the company Rick Jensen, along with his wife Sandy, and Don and Rob Mielke worked to grow the company in the South Haven area. The primary focus of the company during those years was on residential construction.

**Building Inspector: Chad Warden or current Building Inspector for Laketown Township**

**Rick Klingenberg (Alternate):** Owner of **RP Septic Systems and Excavating** located at 3055 Lincoln Rd, Hamilton, MI 49419, in Heath Township.