



Airport Manager Report

August 2024

Our AVGAS sales price is still competitive leading to steady sales of fuel. We are about one week from ordering our next fuel shipment. Our price is still \$5.39.

We have received the contract from Mead & Hunt for the design engineering services for the PAPI project. The cost is comparable to other MDOT approved projects that had similar size and scope as ours.

The windsock was damaged by a freak wind. Thankfully, Gary Todd was able to fix it and get it operational again in short order. He also took this opportunity to change out the faded sock for a new one.



On the 12th of August, the Airport hosted the 25th Annual Ice Cream Social and Concert Band performance. There was a large turnout (including 4 aircraft) and the ice cream was delicious.



Since Luke and the DPW crews quickly completed all the crack sealing of both runways, we were ready to get our paint marking done. Other airports delayed their projects allowing us to move up in the schedule. The paint marking is completed and provides for safer operations. The only items not yet finished are three, red runway number markings which use a new thermoplastic system that MDOT is testing on our main runway approaches.

The MSU Enviroweather Office hydrological rain gauge instruments are operational inside the segmented circle surrounding the windsock. These instruments measure precipitation events and provide better data gathering for flood forecasting in the Tittabawassee River Watershed.



Thanks!

Gabe Ambrozaitis

48D Airport Manager



Monthly Fire Department Activity Report July 2024 Incident Response: Monthly Total: 22 Year End Total: 123

July was a busy month with numbers near average. We respond to eight vehicle accidents. Six were accidents with injuries. Two had no injuries. One of the accidents was at the corner of fifth and McEwan St. where a motorcycle with two occupants was struck by a car. Both patients suffered severe injuries with their right legs being amputated. We were on scene for several hours while the MSP reconstruction team investigated the accident. We then used 5000 gallons of water to wash down the blood and etc. from the area. We had a close call at an AFC home on Forrest Ave. The oven was full of pots and pans and the lids. The oven was turned on to cleaning mode. Smoke alarm went off and we were able to remove the stove before things got outside of the oven. We were toned out to do tornado watch which resulted in a confirmed tornado near Lake George. We had multiple line and tree down incidents due to weather. Additional incident as listed.

Training:

1.5 hrs. Truck Check
2.0 hrs. Drivers Training / Size-up/ Street Familiarization
6.5 hrs. Jr. Fire Academy
0 hrs. Jr. Police Academy



Clare Fire Department

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Incident Reports by Incident Number

Incident	Alarm Date/Time	Incident Type	Address
2400102	7/2/2024 08:18	4441 - Line down - Communication	1508 N McEwan ST, Clare, MI 48617
2400103	7/3/2024 13:31	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	S Clare AVE & Colonville RD, Clare, MI
2400104	7/4/2024 21:31	6112 - Dispatched & cancelled at Hall	10400 S Clare AVE, Clare, MI 48617
2400105	7/5/2024 15:56	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	Schoolcrest / E. of McEwan st., Clare, MI 48617
2400106	7/5/2024 17:10	813 - Wind storm, tornado/hurricane assessment	Our Fire District, Clare, MI 48617
2400107	7/8/2024 06:03	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	Ludington Dr / E. of Harrison ave, Farwell, MI 48622
2400108	7/8/2024 16:50	412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	10303 Eberhart AVE, Clare, MI 48617
2400109	7/10/2024 07:12	113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	607 Forest AVE, Clare, MI 48617
2400110	7/15/2024 05:43	445 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	2242 E Stevenson Lake RD, Clare, MI 48617
2400111	7/15/2024 14:55	9002 - Lift Assist	275 E Ludington DR, Farwell, MI 48622
2400112	7/17/2024 02:22	445 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	114 W First ST, Clare, MI 48617
2400113	7/17/2024 13:57	611 - Dispatched & canceled en route	NB 127 / N of the Mackie, Clare, MI 48617
2400114	7/19/2024 23:27	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	E Fifth ST & N McEwan ST, Clare, MI
2400115	7/20/2024 00:56	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	NB 127 / S. of the Mackie, Clare, MI 48617
2400116	7/26/2024 21:35	6112 - Dispatched & cancelled at Hall	Surrey Rd. E. of Kapplinger, Farwell, MI 48622
2400117	7/27/2024 11:31	551 - Assist police or other governmental agency	EB US 10/ N. Leaton Rd., Clare, MI 48617
2400118	7/28/2024 09:52	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	S Clare AVE & E Surrey RD, Clare, MI
2400119	7/29/2024 07:29	324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	S. B. 127 / S. of Coleman Rd., Clare, MI 48617
2400120	7/29/2024 15:51	6112 - Dispatched & cancelled at Hall	W Seventh ST & Maple ST, Clare, MI
2400121	7/29/2024 20:03	444 - Power line down	E Sixth ST & Hemlock AVE, Clare, MI
2400122	7/30/2024 09:46	412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	2905 E Rock RD, Farwell, MI 48622
2400123	7/31/2024 12:55	6112 - Dispatched & cancelled at Hall	W Fifth ST & S McEwan ST, Clare, MI

Total Number of Incidents: 22

Incident Alarm Date/Time Incident Type

Address

Report Filter Settings

Report File Name: Incident Reports by Incident Number

Filter Name: Last Month

Filter Expression: (Not Is Null [IncidentNumber]) And ([AlarmDateTime] is between '7/1/2024 00:00' and '7/31/2024 23:59')

Monthly Director's Report, August 2024
City of Clare Parks and Recreation
Prepared by Joy Simmer



Continued, Current and Upcoming Programs and Events

Senior Cards and Coffee takes place on Thursday mornings at the Pere Marquette District Library from 10-12 p.m. in one of the small group rooms. The card games that are played are determined by what the group wants to play and the group is supplied with coffee and card decks.

Art in Sculpture is a collaboration between Clare Parks and Recreation, Middle Michigan Development Corporation, the Clare County Arts Council, local artist Jeff Best and is headed by C. Santini. The new installation pieces will be at their current location until April 30, 2025. The committee has been meeting on a regular every couple of weeks over the last few months to prepare for the May 7th Opening Ceremony Reception of the 2024 art installations. Simmer designed the evening program, the Facebook event page, the voting brochures and the survey monkey voting poll for the program.

The **2024 Clare Summer Concert Series** is wrapping up on August 15, 2024. The weather on most Thursday's this year has not been ideal, but we have had couple great weather days where we have been able to host over 200 people at the park for the series. Shamrock Park has been a great location since we moved over during COVID, with the series being more inclusive by having the availability of families to come out and listen to music and the children play on the playground, having the ability to seek shelter under the pavilions, if need be, and even people enjoying the music while paddling around Lake Shamrock in their canoes.

Soccer Registration ended on July 17th and since then Simmer has been working on securing coaches, referees, setting up teams and ordering supplies for the season. The coaches meeting is scheduled to take place in the evening on August 15th, the 7th and 8th grade team selection night will be on August 26th, the 7th and 8th grade night game under the lights at Brookwood will be on October 4th, the raffle drawing will end and the winners will be drawn on October 12th and the games will officially be run from 9/7 – 10/12/24.

The **Recreation Complex Raffle** is being hosted again by the Friends of Clare County Parks and Recreation and they have also sponsored the license cost. Tickets have been bundled and checked out to the youth soccer players and will handed out with their player bags. Tickets will be bundled in sets of 30 and each player will receive one pack and are able to request more if they want. The ticket cost will be \$2/each and all proceeds will go towards Emerald Isle Recreation Complex projects. The players who sell all of their tickets are able to request additional packs and for every pack they sell they are entered into a player drawing for various prizes. The raffle prizes are: 1st Place - \$500, 2nd Place - \$250 and 3rd Place - \$100. The drawing will take place on October 12, 2024 at 12 p.m. at the Emerald Isle Recreation Complex.

Clare Parks and Recreation and the Pere Marquette District Library have the independent town **scavenger hunts** available for people to grab from online and participate in on their own.

Gold Out Night - Clare Parks and Rec is partnering up with Woods Household again to do a Pediatric Cancer Awareness Night at the Emerald Isle Recreation Complex on 9/21/2024. September is pediatric cancer awareness month so to create more awareness we will be showing a movie and then having activities for the attendees and information. The Clare High School Boys Varsity Soccer team will be holding concessions (they are securing the food license with the health department for soccer season and this will also cover this night).

Past Programs and Events

The Ethan Gage Junior Fire Fighter Academy took place on July 19, 2024 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. giving area youth an opportunity to learn fire safety and prevention through hands-on activities and informative discussions. The Parks and Recreation Dept. along with volunteers from the Clare Fire Department assisted the children enrolled in the camp. The fee for the academy was \$12.00 per person, and included an award certificate, t-shirt, and lunch. The Brankel family sponsored a pizza lunch.

Wonders of Water Camp took place on August 2, 2024 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. This camp was a collaboration between Clare Parks and Recreation and Waste Water Treatment Department and new this year we also partnered with the MSU Extension and the Pere Marquette District Library. The participants were educated on the value of water as a resource and to do some educational activities involving water (water cycle activities, games, bug picking, water sampling, etc.).

Additional Information

- The Pere Marquette District Library has been hosting families on Fridays for story time at the Emerald Isle Recreation Complex and has also utilized the park for their end of summer celebrations.
- The city has been meeting and corresponding with MDOT to keep the project moving for the Pere Marquette Rail-Trail extension. Construction started on March 18, 2024 and they are still anticipating an end date from mid-July to October 1st (depending on if there are any delays). MDOT, MDNR and City of Clare reps (Simmer, Potter and Howard) have been holding Teams online meetings every couple of weeks to go over the project and progress of the construction. Simmer has been posting periodic construction updates on Facebook along with pictures. We are hoping to start planning for a ribbon cutting, but as of right now we do not have a date set as we do not know a more narrowed down completion date at this time.
- MMI has wrapped up their summer crew work in the parks and Simmer has finished up the work study program that she had with an independent worker through the Disability Network. The individual worked a total of 120 hours over the course of 6 weeks and finished his last day with Clare Parks and Recreation on 8/7/2024.
- MSU will be continuing their invasive species study of McIreland Trail.

- Simmer is working again with MMI to have a clean-up crew at the parks during the summer and also has a summer helper return to assist and learn (who will complete 120 total hours).
- Simmer submitted a Letter of Intent to Consumers Energy, in hopes to be invited in to apply for their recently launched Prosperity Grant Award. This is something that is required in order to prequalify for the grant award and currently we are awaiting notification if they will allow us to submit.

Ongoing

- Clare Parks and Recreation is represented by Simmer on the Friends of Clare County Parks and Recreation Board where Simmer has served as the board secretary since July 2015. The Friends board helps local parks and recreation within Clare County. The Friends board holds their annual Gateway Affair to raise funds towards parks and recreation projects and programming as well as fundraise for support of the Pere Marquette Rail-Trail. Simmer helps with the planning of the annual Gateway Affair and oversees the raffle for the event. The Gateway Affair has been scheduled for September 28th and the raffle license has been submitted to the state and the caterer has been secured. Simmer reached out to some larger corporations and organizations to secure donations for the silent auction and items have been trickling in.
- Clare Parks and Recreation is now a part of the MSU Extension – District 6 Advisory Council. This is a committee of outdoor recreation, agriculture, community leaders in the district to join together for the area. It is a newly formed council and will involve 3 meetings a year and is geared to keep everyone informed and involved within the district.
- Simmer will be attending an annual meeting with the Friends of the Pere Marquette Rail-Trail to provide updates on the Clare trail section and future plans.

NEXT PRAB MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2024

CITY OF CLARE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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City Manager Jeremy Howard and Clare City Commission,

This year, we hosted 11 participants in our Youth Academy. The program is designed to give young people a firsthand experience of what it means to serve in law enforcement and related fields. Over the course of the academy, these kids engaged in a variety of activities and discussions. They were introduced to physical fitness training, observed the dive team, and learned about the critical roles of our K-9 unit and drug interdiction efforts. The participants also had the chance to meet with members of the Emergency Response Team, learn about fire safety from the Clare Fire Department, and gain insight into the judicial process through the Clare County Prosecutor's Office. Additionally, they were given an exclusive tour of Camp Grayling military base, which was a highlight for many.

This program would not have been possible without the generosity of local businesses and donors who provided food and resources. Their contributions played a crucial role in the success of the Youth Academy, and we extend our deepest gratitude.

A special acknowledgment goes to Officer Brian David, who directed the program. His efforts were supported by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR), Michigan State Police (MSP), Clare County Sheriff's Department, and several Clare Police Reserve Officers.

In addition to the Youth Academy, our department assisted the Clare County Sheriff Department at the Clare County Fair. Several Reserve Officers were on hand to provide extra support and visibility throughout the events. I'm pleased to report that the fair concluded without any major incidents.

The Clare Police Department responded to several serious injury crashes at the intersection of 5th and McEwan. These incidents were primarily the result of intoxicated drivers, excessive speed, or a combination of both. While we are relieved that no fatalities occurred in the most recent accidents, these events serve as a sobering reminder of the dangers that reckless driving poses to our community.

Respectfully submitted,



Chief David Saad
City of Clare Police Department



CLARE POLICE DEPT

INCIDENTS BY INCIDENT TYPE

JULY 2024

08/13/2024

INCIDENT TYPE	DESCRIPTION	NUMBER THIS TYPE
11001	CSC 1 Penis/ Vagina	4
11008	CSC 4 Sexual Contact - Forcible	1
13001	Non-Aggravated Assault	11
13002	Aggravated/ Felonious Assault	1
13003	Intimidation/ Stalking	12
22001	Burglary - Forced Entry	1
23007	Larceny - Other	10
24001	Motor Vehicle Theft	1
26001	Fraud - False Pretence/ Swindle/ Confidence Game	2
29000	Damage to Property	2
35001	Violation of Controlled Substance	2
38001	Family - Abuse/ Neglect Non-Violent	1
38003	Family - Other	4
50000	Obstructing Justice	5
52003	Weapons Offense - Other	2
53002	Public Peace - Other	2
54001	Hit & Run Motor Vehicle Accident	2
54002	Operating Under the Influence of Liquor or Drugs	1
62000	Conservation	1
70000	Juvenile Runaway	1
91001	Juvenile Deliquent	2
93001	Traffic Accident	11
93001CD	Car/ Deer Accident	2
93001PI	Traffic Accident with Injury	4
93002	Accident, Non-Traffic/ Private Property	5
94001	Valid Alarm Activation	1
94002	False Alarm Activation	10
95001	Accident, Fire	1
98007	Suspicious Persons	13
98008	Lost & Found Property	4
98009	Drug Overdose	1
99003	Missing Persons	3
99008	General Assistance	35
99009	General Non-Criminal	2
ACO	Animal Control Complaint	4
AMBRUN	Ambulance Run	21
BOI	Be On the Look Out	9
GP	GENERAL PATROL	1
LINES DN	LINES DOWN	1
MA	Motorist Assist	9
ORV	Off Road Vehicle Complaint	1
OSTOP	ORV Traffic Stop	1
PC	Property Check	154
RD HAZAR	Vehicle/Object Road Hazard	1



CLARE POLICE DEPT

INCIDENTS BY INCIDENT TYPE JULY 2024

INCIDENT TYPE	DESCRIPTION	NUMBER THIS TYPE
REPO	Repo	1
SALV INS	SALVAGE INSPECTION	14
TP	TRAFFIC PATROL	1
TSTOP	Traffic Stop	91
Total Incidents		469

Ticket Totals Report

From 7/1/2024 12:00:00 AM to 7/31/2024 12:00:00 AM

Agency Name	Voided Ticket Count	Warning Violation Count	Total Ticket Count	Total Violation Count
Clare City Police Dept	0	6	12	18

Auxiliary Division

2024

July	Road Hours	Special Events	Meeting Hours	Training Hours	Other	Monthly Totals
Blackwell, Doug	7.5		0.5	1.5		9.5
Chinavare, Ken	11.5	5.5	0.5	2.5	3	23
Defoy, Mick (Retired Aug 31st)						0
Fassett, Lori		86	0.5	2		88.5
Gilmore, Travis	8.5		0.5	2	0.5	11.5
Gregory, Brendan	38	11	0.5		1	50.5
Hahn, Bill	8		0.5	1.5		10
Harger, Greg			0.5	1.5		2
Jenkins, Dan	9.5	13	0.5	1.5		24.5
Lemke, Shane	9					9
Lynch, Steve	8.5		0.5	1.5		10.5
Marshall, Orrin	7.5	57.5				65
Papenfus, Joel		6.5				6.5
Pedjac, John	6					6
Winter, Nick	10					10
Bryant, Daron	11.5		0.5	1.5	0.5	14
Kade, Robert	34.5	16	0.5	2		53
0						0
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Officer Totals	170	195.5	5.5	17.5	5	393.5

WATER TREATMENT DIRECTOR'S MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT July 2024

Wastewater Treatment Plant

In addition to their routine duties, our Operators performed the following tasks:

- Ran proficiency test for BOD test
- Changed the oil on screw pump upper bearing
- Need new pump for ground water model.
- New Scada switch over is going to happen in August.
- Cop car wouldn't start. Got that fixed and now the transmission is not working right.
- Truck 1 has some issues.
- Worked on the drying beds.
- Changed out the UPS on lift station 10.
- Replaced the 12-volt DC power supply for the Scada Webitat valves.
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Water Treatment Plant

In addition to their routine duties, our Operators performed the following tasks:

- Finished PFAS litigation paperwork.
- The water tower is having communication issues. The radios were reset and it seems to be working now.
- Did lab samples for Miller Development.
- New fence around well 8
- Sampled for Lead and Copper
- Sampled for total trihalomethanes and Haloacetic Acids

Landfill

In addition to their routine duties, our Operators performed the following tasks:

- Mowed the landfill.

Administrative Functions

During the month, the following administrative tasks were performed:

- Disinfection by product samples were mailed to the state.
- Sent lab quote to Fisher Scientific.
- Joe's first day was July 29, 2024.
- Tom's last day will be August 30, 2024.