

# Summer 2020 Newsletter at home. by nature.

# **Meet your City Council:**





To Learn More about your City Council, Check out evart.org for our weekly Elected Official's Spotlight!

### Check out all the awesome activities your City has been up to:

The year 2020 has been challenging so far with unprecedented changes and obstacles. We will get through together! **#EvartStrong**! Check out some of the good things going on around our beautiful city. For additional details on any of these events visit **evart.org** or call us **(231) 734-2181**.

### 2020 Garden Club!

The garden club, made up of local volunteers, have dedicated hours to help beautify our Downtown.



### **Neighborhood Enhancement!**

Local residents received a total of two new roofs & eleven new windows through the MSHDA NEP Grant.



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### **Paving Roads!**

We have been paving and repairing several of our local roads, including Recreation Ave., S. Industrial Dr., N. Oak St., and Lauman Rd.



### **Replaced Waterlines!**

A total of forty residential waterlines were replaced through the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Pilot Grant helping to keep our drinking water clean and safe







# **New Staff!**

Three new staff members were recently hired to help support our City.



**Pepper Lockhart** Finance Director/

Treasurer

Favorite thing about Evart: The small town feel creates a sense of belonging.



**Melissa Rohen** Communications Coordinator

Favorite thing about Evart: The small town sense of community and the beautiful Muskegon River!



Kathy Fiebig City Clerk

Favorite thing about Evart: Its proximity to Nature, especially having the Muskegon River within easy walking distance.

## Events and improvements to watch out for in the coming year:

SAW GRANT: The City has been awarded funds from the Stormwater, Assessment Management, & Wastewater Programs to help improve our asset management plans and services
MUNICODE: The City is currently streamlining online access to all city ordinances for easy access
EVART DEPOT: Inspections and planning continue for the historical preservation and renovation of our Depot. Discussion has begun to move City Hall offices back here soon
MAIN STREET/DDA DIRECTOR: The DDA is currently holding interviews to fill this position

Let's Celebrate Evart!

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