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## 2023 Annual Meeting of the Electors Centerville and Leland Townships Kama Ross, District 5 Commissioner's Report

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Since January 2023, I have served as a representative of the Board of Commissioners on the Parks and Recreation Commission, the Myles Kimmerly Park and the Poor Farm Barn sub-committees. I also serve on the Solid Waste Council, Board of Public Works and the Leland Dam Authority.

Apart from my County assignments, I serve on the Lake Leelanau Community Association Board and the Lake Leelanau Lake Association Stewardship Committee.

## 2023 Updates:

- Progress of Broadband Expansion Project at <a href="https://leelanau.maps.arcgis.com/apps/instant/basic/index.html?appid=2135e72e">https://leelanau.maps.arcgis.com/apps/instant/basic/index.html?appid=2135e72e</a> 11b942d5bcf000a2c2957013
- Juvenile Detention Regional Facility exploring location and funding options
- Schomberg Drainage District, one of four currently being formed
- Scrap Tire & Mattress Collections on May 19 and June 23, Household Hazardous Waste, Electronics and Document Shredding Collection on May 20, schedule your drop off appointment by calling 256-9812 or email <u>planning@leelanau.gov</u>
- Eight County Recycling Sites are open, Ambassadors for Buntings Market, our newest site, are needed
- New 5 member Leland Dam Authority
- New Master Plan for Myles Kimmerly Park starting in April, public input needed
- Solid Waste Council will be asked to initiate regional composting
- As Townships write new Zoning Master Plans, looking to protect water quality

All residents are encouraged to attend Board of Commissioners meetings in person or via the county website – <a href="www.leelanau.gov">www.leelanau.gov</a> Your input is always welcomed.