



# SHUR

## NEWSLETTER

### Sterling Heights/Utica Republicans



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## "Hello" From the Chair

### What Are Our priorities?

We always hear that Republicans are busy working and taking care of their families and that is why they don't have time to pay attention and or donate time to political issues and or candidates. Let me take time to commend all of you who are working hard and then coming home to take care of your family. You are my heroes. So please understand that I think this is a very important part of your life and what our Country was founded on, because it is and it was.

Still our taxes keep going up (May 5th vote to increase the sales tax to 7 cents) and yet there are still subsidies being given to Hollywood and we still are giving out corporate welfare...What are our priorities?

Do you look at your kids text books and see what your kids are being taught in school? Are you informed about Common Core, which has come to our schools. The state is in the process of changing state wide testing in schools, are you aware? Do you like the changes?

SMART Meters are being installed on our home and business, with or without our consent. Are you aware of what they are and what the opponents are saying about them?

Are you aware of how your elected servants are voting, from the Feds down to your school board? If they aren't voting the way you want them to, do you believe that they should have to face consequences and are you willing to participate in enacting these consequences?

I could go on regarding all of the above, but I'm running out of room. Just think about what your responsibilities are in keeping our country great, free and prosperous and please join your friends, family and neighbors in working to make this a great country for your children and grandchildren.

Have a grand and glorious day. God Bless! Your friend and neighbor,

*Philis*

## WHAT SAY YOU

### All about prop 1 (sales tax increase)

<http://michigantaxpayers.com/newtaxes.php>

### Say no to higher taxes and special interest deals Launches statewide ad campaign 'Special Interest Deals' (Sales Tax)

<http://bit.ly/1L3Qb90>

### Board of Canvassers to consider Road Ballot language

<http://on.freep.com/1EBGSek>

### Q&A: Detroit bankruptcy judge on pensions, DIA, fees

<http://on.freep.com/1ARC1Zd>

### 800,000 healthcare.gov customers given wrong tax info

<http://bit.ly/1LnuO2H>

### Snyder signs law setting March 8, 2016 presidential primary

<http://bit.ly/17IBuRC>

### Audit knocks state over enforcing warranties on road fixes

<http://bit.ly/1zVQX1m>

### Macomb County readies to sell \$45M in bonds for upgrades (Macomb County also would use more than \$10M from the general fund and a little over \$9M from insurance funds from a 2013 fire at the old county building for the project)

<http://on.freep.com/1FH4Qsp>

### SMART chief urges more communities use bus service

<http://bit.ly/1FH61lr>

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## "Heroes" Corner

**Our Hero this month is Roger Lonsway**



Roger has been involved for several years now. He has involved himself in helping candidates, telephone calls, donating money from time to time and has just been elected Vice Chair of the MCRP. Although he has a job that takes him out of town for days at a time he still finds the time to do diligence and volunteer to help our country to come back to freedom, prosperity and greatness. He is a true Hero at Home. Thank you Roger for helping to keep our country safe for our Heroes Over Seas to come home to. God Bless you!

### SOLUTIONS

**You can't give up on your government because the situation is not ideal. Great Governments aren't because they don't have disagreements. Its great because the people come together and care enough to work together to fix it!**

## DO YOU KNOW

Even though this is an off year for elections we are still faced with city elections and ballot questions. Some cities, like Sterling Heights, will be having council elections.

### Feb. Elections (Hope you voted)

City of Eastpointe

- Candidates for city council (partial term ending 11-30-17)
- South Macomb Oakland Regional Services Authority Fire and Police Authority

Ray Twp

- Millage Renewal for Ray Twp. Fire and Rescue Department Equipment and Truck Replacement
- Millage Renewal for Ray Twp. Fire and Rescue Operations

### May 5 Election: (There may be more to come)

- Armada School District has a ballot question to bond for \$4, 100,000
- State wide ballot prop to raise the sales tax to 7 cents
- Various other State, County, City, School, or Twp. Ballot questions possible

### Aug. primary and Nov. General Elections

- Various City Council and Mayoral Elections
- Various city, County, twp or state ballot questions possible

Please get involved with these elections and make sure your side wins. Make sure you get out and vote in May election.

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**YOU MIGHT BE A PART OF THE PROBLEM**