



Gratiot County 9-1-1 Millage

ON THE BALLOT: AUGUST 6TH, 2024

What is the Gratiot County 9-1-1 Millage?

The ballot question seeks funding of 0.60 mill for the next 6 years for the purpose of funding the essential 9-1-1 emergency services in Gratiot County, to ensure continued operation and enhancement of 9-1-1 services, telephone answering, and dispatch services within Gratiot County, including facilities, equipment, maintenance, and operating costs.

Agencies We Serve

Alma Public Safety
Alma District Fire
Alma District Rescue
Ashley Fire Dept.
Breckenridge Police
Breckenridge/Wheeler
Fire Dept.
Gratiot County Animal
Control
Gratiot County
Emergency Management
Gratiot County Sheriff
Ithaca Fire Dept.
Michigan State Police
Michigan DNR
Perrinton Fire Dept.
St Louis Police Dept.
St Louis Fire Dept.

What Services does the 9-1-1 millage support?

- **PROCESSING of EMERGENCY CALLS:**
 - Gratiot County Central Dispatch employees answered **44,865** phone calls in 2023.
- **NEXT GENERATION 9-1-1:**
 - Gratiot County answered 224 text-to-9-1-1 sessions in 2023. Call when you can. Text when you can't.
- **TRAINING FOR DISPATCHERS THAT MEETS OR EXCEEDS STATE STANDARDS:**
 - Gratiot County Central Dispatch employees received 447 hours of training in 2023.
- **EMERGENCY ALERTS AND SMART911 TO HELP KEEP OUR COMMUNITIES SAFE:**
 - Gratiot County has a total of 2,745 RAVE Alert subscribers. This system allows the citizens to be informed of impending storms or large incidents in the county of Gratiot. To subscribe, text **GC911** to **67283**.
- **INFRASTRUCTURE & TECHNOLOGY:**
 - Provides the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) for taking information, Enhanced 9-1-1 for calls, Radio Equipment to dispatch and keep Public Safety Responders safe.

QUESTIONS?

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