

# Library Building Update

Since groundbreaking on May 2, the new library building construction is in full swing.

**May & June** – The site was cleared, building pad prepared, footings set, rough site utilities installed and work started on two detention ponds. Construction began on the water line from the Neighborhoods of White Lake to Kroger. This water line was a \$400,000 unbudgeted expense that the Township Board required of the library before issuing a building permit.

**July** – The foundation walls were completed, detention ponds established and seeded along with additional work on the water line. Connecting the new water line to the building pad was necessary to meet the Township's criteria before continuing with the vertical structure of the library.

**August** – The structure of the building is starting to take place as shown on the front page of the newsletter. Steel beams and columns, interior/exterior masonry walls were erected. Site lighting and rough electrical underground were installed. The water main connection was completed, allowing installation of the water line to the library building.

We are on track to have the building enclosed in late fall to avoid winter conditions. The new library building should open in early summer 2019.

Monthly progress reports are on the library website, and timely pictures are on our Facebook page. Coming soon: a drone tour of the site!

## Current Floor Plan of Library

