## redford township: a community with a bright future

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Livelihood means to Redford and its citizens the quality of life in our Township.

The outlook for Redford's future growth is bright.

Much is now underway to ensure our-township of future prosperity and success, and more is being planned. Many programs are on the drawing board which will be of direct benefit to our township's youth, our senior citizens and our everyday homeowners.

Much activity is in the works, and being planned, which will encourage our industrial and commercial growth. This will broaden our tax base and provide convenience for our residents. Some of the projects now in progress are:

THE SMITH DRAIN— The enclosing of Smith Drain will go a long way toward upgrading roads and improving flood conditions. This \$5 Million project will also eliminate the multiple health hazards created by the open drain. This is indeed a giant step upward in the quality of livelihood for Redford Citizens.

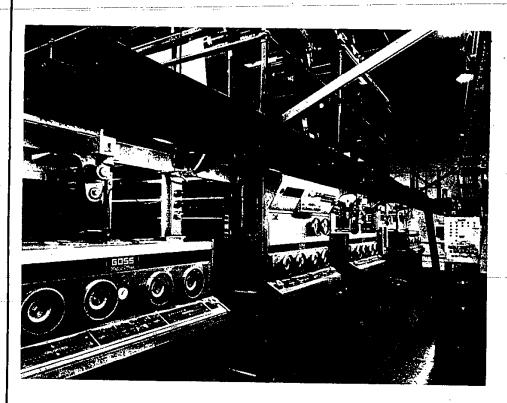
RECREATIONAL FACILITIES — The new enclosed ice rink will add much to Redford's recreational picture, as will the development of the Capital Park area. And while on this subject, a special thanks should go to our Rotary. Club for their proposed park next to Town Hall. This too will enhance the livelihood of Redford residents.

RECYCLING OF REF-USE — A program is now in effect in back of our Water. Building where we are recycling used bottles, tin cans, and many paper items." As all know, any operation which contributes to the reduction of environmental pollution to any degree is a step in the right direction and of benefit to us all. In addition, this will save many tax dollars now being spent in garbage handling.

CITIZEN INVOLVE-MENT - Committees made up of local citizens are now in operation and more are planned to involve the citizens in planning for the future. Some of these committees are: City Beautification Committee, Industrial & Commercial Site Committee, Buy Redford Committee, Historical Commission, Planning Commission, Senior Citizens Commission, Traffic & Safety Commission.

Through these committees we are trying to humanize township government. Our "hot line" telephone and citizen complaint forms were developed to further express our open-door policy and our interest in being of genuine service to Redford people.





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