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[Www.lwvus.org](http://Www.lwvus.org)

### Why the Census is Important...

Stand up and be counted—— all of you in this northeastern part of Michigan. The census is important to all of us in this area, because many of the federal and state programs as well as the distribution of funds are based on census figures. Census results impact how many seats Michigan has in the House of Representatives. Grant writers use census figures in needs assessments, and marketing people also need accurate figures for their work.

Brian White, Partnership Specialist with the U. S. Census Office located in Detroit will be our speaker on **September 14, Monday at 7:30 PM at Alpena Community College, in the Granum Theater**. We have invited many other groups and organizations to this meeting. We feel this is an important topic for our area. Please invite other interested community members to this important meeting.

### Candidates Forum

A Candidates Forum will be held at the Alpena George N. Fletcher County Library on Tuesday, October 13, 2009 from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m.

Candidates running for the offices of Alpena City Council, Alpena Public Schools Board of Education and the Alpena Community College Board of Trustees will be invited to participate.

We will need lots of help with this Candidates Forum. Please volunteer to be on the Voter Service Committee or assist with the forum by calling Marie Gilmet-Dully at 356-4953 or email [kmdully@charter.net](mailto:kmdully@charter.net).

