

GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD
REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, December 10, 2024
GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 21431 NORTHLAND DR.
PARIS, MI 49338
6:00PM
UNAPPROVED

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00pm ROLL CALL Cushway, MacFarlane, Meads, Riebow, Thorne, Walsh, Kruse present.

PUBLIC COMMENT- Steve O- Wants to ask again about the admin fee for taxes. Would like the township to consider removing this fee.

CORRESPONDENCE: Email from Radio Station

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA: Discussed choices for hiring out year-end payroll. There were 2 quotes, one from Lake Michigan CPA Services for \$175 and one from UHY for \$1000. A motion was made by Walsh to hire Lake Michigan CPA Services for our year-end payroll. Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approve Previous Minutes **Item A**
2. November Treasurer's Report **Item B**
3. Sewer Department Report
4. Legislative report
5. Planning and Zoning Report for June **Item C**
6. Sheriff's Report **Item D** A motion was made by Meads to approve the Consent Agenda. Supported by Cushway. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Snowplow and Salt Bids: A motion was made by Riebow to hire DML for snow plowing and salting contingent on receiving their liability insurance with workers comp. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Appoint New Board of Review Members: A motion was made by Walsh to appoint the new Board of Review Members. Supported by Cushway. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.
2. Road Commission Project List: Supervisor will contact Road Commission to discuss which road projects they have on the agenda for 2025. Will discuss 23 Mile and 190th Ave, as these roads have been mentioned by residents multiple times. Will revisit at a later date.

3. Schedule Budget Workshop: A motion was made by Meads to schedule the budget workshop for Wednesday January 8, 2025 at 4:00pm. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.
4. MTA Training: A motion was made by Walsh to approve MTA Training. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

FINANCIAL A motion was made by Walsh to approve checks 16705-16744 from GF and checks 4488-4492 from SF. Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Steve L.-How can we plan community road projects without knowing where and when Gotion is starting. Have we heard of their acceptance of their plan by the state? How do we do projects for more traffic? Have I missed something?

Marjorie- I have been following the Lame Duck sessions in Lansing. There are 100's of bills they are trying to pass. The board should act on. This could be in committee tomorrow. House Bill 6108, sand and gravel. The state is stripping townships of making decisions. Write and call Lansing. Talk to a clerk if you can. Send emails to the entire committee. Pay attention to issues and take action.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion was made by Riebow at 7:10pm to adjourn the meeting.

Prepared by

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