

**GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD  
REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2026  
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-None**

**ADDITIONS TO AGENDA:** MET Funds-Kruse, We still have \$23,987 left to spend for our MET Funds. A motion was made by Meads to give the Supervisor permission to work with the county on the remaining MET Funds in the amount of \$23,987. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None

**CONSENT AGENDA**

1. Approve Previous Minutes
2. January Treasurer's Report
3. Sewer Department Report (Quarterly)
4. Legislative report- Jeff Jackson, not a lot has been going on in the county. There is still work on the courthouse updating their security. The west end is open but east end is currently closed for a few more days. The bills are being paid. There is a County Commissioner's meeting next Thursday at 4pm where the Tonkin drain will be addressed again.
5. Planning and Zoning Report
6. Sheriff's Report

A motion was made by Cushway to approve the Consent Agenda. Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Parks and Recreation Committee- Cindi Postema, Chair of Parks and Rec, she is still plugging away at the grant and getting things filled out. Looking at what needs to be done and what still needs to be done.
2. MTA Conference: A motion was made by Kruse to approve up to \$3000 to pay for the board to attend the MTA Conference. Supported by Riebow. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

3. Regular Schedule of Meetings 2026-2027- A motion was made by Meads to approve the Regular Schedule of Meetings 2026-2027. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.
4. Mowing Bids-A vote of 7 yays and 0 nays was taken to begin requesting bids for lawncare for the 2026 season.
5. Mecosta Conservation Hazardous Waste Disposal Program- Discussion was had over the program and request for donation. Will revisit at the March meeting.
6. MTA Principles of Governance-A vote of 7 yays and 0 nays was taken regarding signing the MTA Principles of Governance.
7. Resolutions 2026 1-4- Board Salary Resolution April 1, 2026 Resolution Number 2026-1, Employee Compensation Resolution Number 2026-2, Cemetery Fees Resolution Number 2026-3, Sewer Fund Employee Compensation Resolution Number 2026-4. A motion was made by Kruse to approve Resolutions 2026 1-4 with an adjustment to the mileage rate from .655 to .725. Supported by Cushway. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

**FINANCIAL:** A motion was made by Cushway to approve checks 17275-17307 from GF and checks 4587-4595 from SF. Supported by Walsh. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Trustee Ross Meads spoke on behalf of 2 residents who have been receiving notices that their land lines will be disconnected in November. The area they live in is a dead zone for cell service and internet. The wonder if there is anything that the township can do or are there any services available for people in their situation?

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made by Riebow at 7:05pm to adjourn the meeting.

Prepared by

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