# GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 2025 GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 21431 NORTHLAND DR. PARIS, MI 49338 6:00PM APPROVED

# **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

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

PUBLIC COMMENT- Residents discussed road conditions, attorney fees, Gotion.

# CORRESPONDENCE:

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA: Resolution to Amend the Sewer Budget of Fiscal Year 2024-2025, 2025-06. This resolution would add \$15,500 to 819 Engineering from 818 Contracted Services (\$12,500) and 817 WWTP O&M GN Twp (\$3,000). A motion was made by Walsh to approve Resolution 2025-06, supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

BEAD Grant; Supervisor Kruse gave an update on requests from various Internet companies asking for support from the township to expand fiber internet and make it more available to residents. There is no commitment, obligation or contract needed from the township.

Pursue a full CFIUS of Gotion. Supervisor Kruse is asking for board approval to contact other municipalities seeking support in filing a full CFIUS review of Gotion. CFIUS is the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States. A motion was made by Cushway to authorize the Supervisor to coordinate with legal council and other units of local government related to potential

review of the Gotion project by the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States.

Supported by Meads. Motion passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1. Approve Previous Minutes
- 2. March's Treasurer's Report
- 3. Sewer Department Report (Quarterly)
- 4. Legislative report-Jeff Jackson: A lot of meetings were cancelled due to spring break, so not a lot happening over the last month. Any townships that was to apply for marijuana money, it is now on the website. Someone just needs to come in when they apply and say what the money will be used for at a special meeting.
- 5. Planning and Zoning Report
- 6. Sheriff's Reports was given by Sheriff Miller. Trying to make it to as many meetings as possible, gave an update on the previous month and took some questions from board members and residents.

A motion was made by Walsh to approve the consent agenda. Supported by Cushway. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

 Clean Up Day. Supervisor suggested working with A1 Services. They bring in compactors, dumpsters and additional people to help. No decision or vote was made at this time.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Renew Interim Zoning Ordinance. A motion was made by Meads to renew the Resolution Extending Effectiveness of the Township Interim Zoning Ordinance. Supported by Walsh. Motion passed unanimously on a roll call vote.
- 2. Bids. There will be a Special Meeting on the mowing bids at a later date.
- Planning Commission Survey. Discussion was had about an upcoming survey that will be available on our website as well as paper copies available at the township to give feedback on the future Master Plan.

**FINANCIAL:** A motion was made by Cushway to approve checks 16836-16881 from GF and checks 4503-4508

from SF. Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Residents discussed Gotion and CFIUS review.

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Walsh at 7:06pm to adjourn the meeting.

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coordinate with Township legal counsel and representatives of other units of government related to potential review of the proposed Gotion project by the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States