# GREEN CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 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, Thorne, Walsh, Kruse, present.

**PUBLIC COMMENT-** Theresa V.- Myself and a few others got together and got you a gift (to Supervisor Kruse). On January 2 the Mecosta County Board of Commissioners rescinded their support of Gotion. Brandi S-Listened to the last special meeting as best I could. Tried to find a schedule of meetings for the Parks and Rec Committee. Just wanted to share some ideas.

CORRESPONDENCE: Mecosta County Parks Commission Agenda

# **ADDITIONS TO AGENDA**

# **CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1. Approve Previous Minutes
- 2. December Treasurer's Report
- 3. Sewer Department Report
- 4. Legislative report
- 5. Planning and Zoning Report
- 6. Sheriff's Reports

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

# **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Energy Ordinances. Steve Olen from the GCT Planning Commission stated that they thought it was well written and the Planning Commission recommends that the board adopt the ordinance. A motion was made by Meads to approve the Energy Ordinances for Solar, Wind and Battery Storage. Supported by Thorne. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

# **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. Approved Regular Schedule of Meetings for 2025-2026. Tabled pending public input.
- Schedule Public Hearing for Budget. A motion was made by Thorne to schedule the Budget Hearing for 5pm on Tuesday, February 11, 2025, before our Regular Meeting at 6pm.
   Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.
- 3. Requests for Mowing Bids. Discussion was had regarding the request for lawn maintenance bids starting next month.

**FINANCIAL:** A motion was made by Cushway to approve checks 16747-16785 from GF and checks 4493-4494 from SF. Supported by Meads. Motion was passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Marjorie S.-My understanding is there is a lack of maintenance at SHP and lack of revenue. As we have seen with the ponds, lack of maintenance is tragic. We need to beef up the parks committee. Ask Brandi Sweet, she is very willing and capable.

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Walsh at 6:38pm to adjourn the meeting.

Prepared by

Corri Riebow

Clerk of Green Charter Township

Mecosta County