

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP  
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING  
May 19, 2015**

A meeting of the Grand Rapids Charter Township Board was called to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor Michael DeVries. The meeting was held in the Township Hall. The following were present: Supervisor Michael DeVries, Clerk Edward Robinette, Treasurer David Van Dyke, Trustees Rusty Merchant, David Pierangeli, and Lee Van Popering. Trustee Robert Roth was absent. There was one person in the audience.

**1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.**

**2. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT.**

There was no public comment.

The Supervisor requested an amendment to the agenda. Item 5b would consider the bid award for the Dean Lake Sanitary Sewer Project. David Pierangeli, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved approval of the amendment as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**3. APPROVE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING OF MAY 6, 2015.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved approval of the minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**4. CONSIDER BILLS TO BE PAID.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved payment of the Bills as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**5. CONSIDER BID AWARDS FOR TWO PROJECTS:**

**A. CRAHEN VALLEY PARK 'RIDGE TRAIL' PROJECT.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved approval of the bid award to Katerberg Verhage with a bid of \$151,200.00. The motion passed unanimously.

**B. DEAN LAKE SANITARY SEWER, PROJECT NO. 140215.1**

Rusty Merchant, seconded by Lee Van Popering, moved approval of the bid award to Nagel Construction, with a bid of \$287,520.00. The motion passed unanimously.

**6. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE RESOLUTION TO DEFER TAX PAYMENTS FOR QUALIFIED TAX PAYERS.**

Rusty Merchant, seconded by Lee Van Popering, moved approval of the resolution as presented. A roll call vote was taken.

AYES: Pierangeli, Robinette, Van Dyke, Van Popering, DeVries, Merchant.

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Roth

The Resolution is declared adopted.

**7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE OUTDOOR ASSEMBLY PERMIT FOR THE CELADON SUMMER CONCERT SERIES.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved approval of the Permit as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**8. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE DEMOLITION PROPOSAL FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 533 EAST BELTLINE AVE. NE.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Rusty Merchant, moved approval of the Proposal, in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00, as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**9. BOARD COMMENTS.** There were none.

**10. PUBLIC COMMENTS.** There were none.

**11. ADJOURNMENT.** The meeting was adjourned at 7:12 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk  
GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP