

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
June 20, 2017**

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, and Trustees Lee Van Popering and Philip Yeiter. Trustees Beverly Wall and David Pierangeli were absent. There were three people in the audience.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

2. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT. There was none.

3. APPROVE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING OF JUNE 6, 2017.

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

4. CONSIDER BILLS TO BE PAID.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Philip Yeiter, moved approval of the bills as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

5. CONSIDER AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE AND SELL RIGHT-OF -WAY TO KENT COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION AND MDOT.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Philip Yeiter, moved approval of the property transactions and authorized the Supervisor to sign the sales agreements and warrantee deeds. The motion passed unanimously.

6. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION FOR NEW VOTING SYSTEM.

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

AYES: Yeiter, DeVries, Robinette, Van Dyke, Van Popering

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Pierangeli, Wall

The resolution is approved.

7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF CHANGE IN STATUS AND PAY RATE FOR DANIELLE COPE.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Philip Yeiter, moved approval of the change in status to regular part-time and the hourly pay rate of \$14.50 for Administrative Assistant/Receptionist Danielle Cope. The motion passed unanimously.

8. BOARD COMMENTS. There were none.

9. PUBLIC COMMENTS. There were none.

10. ADJOURNMENT. The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk
GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP