

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
November 2, 2021**

A meeting of the Grand Rapids Charter Township Board was called to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor 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 Vas Christopoulos, Meghan Mott, Lee Van Popering and Phil Yeiter. There was one person in the audience.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

2. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT. There were none.

Supervisor DeVries asked the Board to amend the agenda to consider the resignation of a Paid on Call Firefighter. The Board agreed, without objection, to amend the agenda.

3. APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING OF OCTOBER 19, 2021.

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

4. CONSIDER CASH DISBURSEMENTS AND BILLS TO BE PAID.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Phil Yeiter, moved to approve the cash disbursements and bills to be paid as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

5. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING THE 2022 GRAND RAPIDS TOWNSHIP BUDGET.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved to open the Public Hearing. The motion passed unanimously. There was no public comment. Lee Van Popering, seconded by Meghan Mott, moved to close the public hearing. The motion passed unanimously.

6. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF THE 2022 GRAND RAPIDS TOWNSHIP BUDGET.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Phil Yeiter, moved approval of the 2022 Budget as presented. A roll call vote was taken.

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

NAYS: None

ABSENT: none

The 2022 Grand Rapids Township Budget is approved.

7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE 2022 FUND BALANCE POLICY AND RESTATED 2022-2027 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN.

Phil Yeiter, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved approval of the Policy and Plan as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

8. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE BUILDING PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE.

Phil Yeiter, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved approval of the Fee Schedule as presented. The motion passed with one in opposition.

9. FIRST READING OF AN AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 530 – FRANKLIN 3300/SOUTHERN SUN PUD.

A public hearing is set for November 16, 2021.

10. FIRST READING FOR A MAJOR AMENDMENT TO THE FOREST HILLS PRESERVE PUD.

A public hearing is set for November 16, 2021.

11. CONSIDER THE RESIGNATION OF PAID ON CALL FIREFIGHTER MICHAEL LIVINGSTON.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Meghan Mott, moved to accept, with regret, the resignation. The motion passed unanimously.

12. BOARD COMMENTS. There were none.

13. PUBLIC COMMENTS. Shannon Vanden Bosch of 3134 Wilfred Ave NE had questions regarding ARPA funds and what they could be spent on.

14. ADJOURNMENT. The meeting was adjourned at 7:27 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk
GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP