

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

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, and Trustees Vas Christopoulos, Meghan Mott, Lee Van Popering, and Phil Yeiter. Treasurer David Van Dyke was absent. There was one person in the audience.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

2. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT. There were none.

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

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

5. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE DEPUTY TREASURER'S REQUEST TO STRIKE CERTAIN TAXES FROM THE ROLLS.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Meghan Mott, moved to approve the request as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

6. CONSIDER ESTABLISHMENT OF CRAHEN VALLEY PARK POLLING LOCATION BUILDING SUBCOMMITTEE.

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved to appoint David Van Dyke, Edward Robinette, and Lee Van Popering to the CVP building subcommittee. The motion passed unanimously.

7. CONSIDER ADDITIONAL EAST PRECINCT COMMUNITY POLICING OFFICER FOR 2022.

Discussion was held regarding the potential for adding an additional Community Police Officer in the next year or two.

8. CONSIDER COST SHARING REQUEST.

The Township received a request from Cannon Township Supervisor Steve Grimm to help financially with an amicus brief in a special assessment dispute. No action was taken regarding the request.

9. BOARD COMMENTS. There were none.

10. **PUBLIC COMMENTS.** Fred Fletcher of 2707 3 Mile Rd NE had questions regarding the ambulance contract.
11. **ADJOURNMENT.** The meeting was adjourned at 7:32 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk
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