

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
February 4, 2014**

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 Chris Afendoulis, and Trustees Rusty Merchant, Robert Roth, David Van Dyke, and Lee Van Popering. There were five people in the audience.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

2. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT.

There was no public comment.

3. APPROVE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING OF JANUARY 21, 2014.

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

4. CONSIDER CASH DISBURSEMENTS.

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

5. CONSIDER BILLS TO BE PAID.

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

6. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF CEMETERY MAINTENANCE WORK EXPENSE.

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

7. 2013 ANNUAL PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT TO THE BOARD.

Trustee Van Dyke presented the Annual Report of the Planning Commission to the Board.

8. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANT – CRAHEN VALLEY PARK PROJECT STATUS REPORT.

Supervisor DeVries presented preliminary plans for the proposed handicap accessible trail at the Crahen Valley Park.

9. COMMENTS FROM COUNTY COMMISSIONER JAMES SAALFELD.

Commissioner Saalfeld gave the Board a report of the activities of the County Commission.

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BOARD COMMENTS: There were none.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: There were none.

The meeting adjourned at 7:33 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk
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