

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
November 3, 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, Robert Roth, and Lee Van Popering. Trustee David Pierangeli was absent. There were three 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 OCTOBER 20, 2015.

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 approval of the bills as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

6. CONSIDER APPOINTMENT OF ROBERT VERSLUYS TO THE POSITION OF FIRE CHIEF, EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 21, 2015.

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

7. PROPOSED 2016 GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET PRESENTATION.

Supervisor DeVries presented the proposed 2016 budget to the Township Board. Rusty Merchant, seconded by Lee Van Popering, moved to set the Public Hearing on the Proposed 2016 Budget for November 17, 2015 at 7:00 pm. The motion passed unanimously.

8. FIRST READING OF ORDINANCE NO. 508, re: REZONING OF UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS PROPERTY FROM R-1, C-1 & C-2 TO O-PUD.

The Public Hearing will be held during the December 1, 2015 Township Board Meeting.

9. BOARD COMMENTS. There were none.

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10. **PUBLIC COMMENTS.** There were none.
11. **ADJOURNMENT.** The meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.

Edward J. Robinette, Clerk
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