

**GRAND RAPIDS CHARTER TOWNSHIP
REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
May 15, 2018**

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, David Pierangeli, Lee Van Popering, and Philip 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 MINUTES OF THE REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING OF MAY 1, 2018.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved approval of the minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
- 4. CONSIDER BILLS TO BE PAID.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by David Pierangeli, moved approval of the bills as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
- 5. CONSIDER THE REQUEST FROM LEE VAN POPERING TO RESIGN FROM THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS.**

Philip Yeiter, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved to accept the resignation, with regret. The motion passed unanimously.
- 6. CONSIDER THE AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE 2 PARCELS OUT OF FORECLOSURE FROM KENT COUNTY FOR A TOTAL OF \$7432.45.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by Philip Yeiter, moved to purchase the parcel at 4398 Knapp Ct. The motion passed unanimously. Lee Van Popering, seconded by Vas Christopoulos, moved to purchase the parcel at 3832 Kate Ave NE. The motion passed with one in opposition.
- 7. CONSIDER CONCEPTUAL APPROVAL OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.**

Lee Van Popering, seconded by David Pierangeli, moved approval of the conceptual endorsement of the establishment of a Brownfield Redevelopment Authority. The motion passed unanimously.
- 8. BOARD COMMENTS.** There were none.
- 9. PUBLIC COMMENTS.** Curt Benson introduced himself as a candidate for Kent County Circuit Court.
- 10. ADJOURNMENT.** The meeting was adjourned at 7:16 pm.