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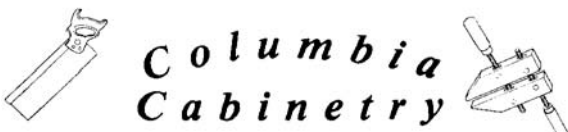
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COLUMBIA CHARTER TOWNSHIP

SYNOPSIS  
COLUMBIA CHARTER TOWNSHIP 48

The regular meeting of June 16, 2025, was called to order at 7:00 p.m. with the pledge to the flag and invocation. Roll call showed members present: Beamish, Tackett, Hulburt, Calhoun, Church, Deland. There was public comment from Commissioner Duckham, Karen Gaston, and Gary Adams. There was motion and support to amend the agenda by removing action item f. There was motion and support to approve the agenda as amended. There was motion and support to approve the consent agenda. There was motion and support to approve the accounts payable in the amount of \$235,822.60. There was a 2024 fiscal financial statement presentation from the Township's auditing firm. There was discussion on rezoning a property on Meridian Rd. from AG to light industrial. There was discussion on changes to the Township's Cemetery ordinance. There was action and support to approve sewer control panel purchases. The fire Department made the Board award aware of grant application. There was motion and support for a new hire of Gabriel Hammet to the Fire Department. There was Motion and support and a roll call vote to approve a site plan review for 3035 Ocean Beach Rd. There was motion and to approve to collect a delinquent Village water/ sewer bill on a Township property's summer tax bill. There was motion and support to approve an installment agreement for a residential sewer connection fee. There was final Board comment from Supervisor Marsh. There was motion and support to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Cathy Hulburt  
Columbia Charter Township Clerk



NAPOLEON TOWNSHIP

NOTICE 48

The Napoleon Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing July 9, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. at the Township Hall 6755 Brooklyn Road, Napoleon, MI 49261.

At this time all interested parties will be heard on the request of Jeff Kirkpatrick of 10000 Greenes Dr., Jackson 49201 to build on an adjacent lot that has road frontage less than the eighty (80) feet required by the Zoning Ordinance. The property and request are more particularly described and on exhibit at the Township Office. THIS MEETING WAS POSTPONED FROM JUNE 11, 2025

Napoleon Township Office is open Monday thru Thursday from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. during which time the Zoning Ordinance/Zoning Map may be examined. Written comments regarding the above may be directed to the Township, or by calling (517) 536-8694 Extension 209. Napoleon Township will provide any necessary or reasonable auxiliary aids at the meeting for persons with disabilities, upon ten (10) days' written notice to the Township.

John Worden, Zoning Administrator

VILLAGE OF GRASS LAKE

Village of Grass Lake Planning Commission 119 North Lake Street, P.O. Box 737 Grass Lake, Michigan 49240 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE MASTER PLAN July 10, 2025

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Grass Lake Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 10th, 2025, on the Housing Action Plan prepared as an amendment to the Master Plan, in accordance with the Michigan Zoning Enabling Act, (Public Act 110 of 2006, as amended). The text of the proposed amendment is available at the Village Office.

The public hearing will be held at the Village Office, 119 North Lake Street, Grass Lake, MI 49240. The purpose of the public hearing is to explain the Housing Action Plan amendment to the public and receive public comment on the proposed changes. All interested parties are welcome to attend and present their comments. Written comments concerning the proposed amendments may be submitted to the Village Office prior to the hearing and will be made part of the official record. All minutes of meetings are available at the Village Clerk's office.

VILLAGE OF GRASS LAKE

Village of Grass Lake Planning Commission 119 North Lake Street, P.O. Box 737 Grass Lake, Michigan 49240 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE July 10, 2025

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Grass Lake Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 6:15 p.m. on Thursday, July 10th, 2025, on a series of amendments to the Zoning Ordinance that are being proposed to incorporate changes suggested by the Housing Action Plan amendment to the Master Plan, in accordance with the Michigan Zoning Enabling Act, (Public Act 110 of 2006, as amended).

- The amendments focus on:
- Adding definitions and text for Assisted Living, Convalescent Homes, Elderly Housing
  - Adding Townhouses to Residential Uses
  - Deleting the condition for two-family conversions in the R-1 district
  - Exempting uses in the Central Business District from Off-Street Parking Requirements
  - Miscellaneous changes/clarifications to review and approval timing.

The text of the proposed amendments will be available at the Village Office at least two weeks prior to the hearing date. The public hearing will be held at the Village Office, 119 North Lake Street, Grass Lake, MI 49240. The purpose of the public hearing is to explain the proposed changes to the Ordinance to the public and receive public comment on the proposed changes. All interested parties are welcome to attend and present their comments. Written comments concerning the proposed amendments may be submitted to the Village Office prior to the hearing and will be made part of the official record. All minutes of meetings are available at the Village Clerk's office.

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VILLAGE OF ONSTED

Notice is hereby given that at a public meeting on June 9, 2025, the Onsted Village Council adopted Ordinance 2025-3, an ordinance to Adopt a Water/Utilities Shut Off for Non-Payment Policy. This ordinance is available for public inspection at the Village Offices located at 108 South Main Street, Onsted, Michigan 49265, by appointment. Please contact the Village Clerk Scott Holtz, at (517) 467-4618 to make an appointment. The Ordinance takes effect twenty (20) days after this publication as provided by law.

Summary of Ordinance 2025-3

When a customer's account reaches thirty (30) days past due, an overdue notice will be sent giving the customer ten (10) days to pay their account in full or make payment arrangements. An Overdue Notice Fee of \$10.00 will be assessed to the customer. If payment or arrangements have not been accepted by the Village of Onsted after ten (10) days, water service will be shut off and a fee of \$50.00 will be assessed. Once shut off, the customer's account will need to be paid in full to reactivate water service.

Scott Holtz Onsted Village Clerk

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WOODSTOCK TOWNSHIP

Woodstock Township 6486 Devils Lake Hwy Addison, MI 49220 Zoning Board of Appeals, Public Meeting Date Posted 6/19/2025

Woodstock Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold 7pm meeting on Tuesday, July 22nd, 2025 at 6486 Devils Lake Hwy.

1) 7 pm- Meeting to review Application for Appeal, 16010 Heath Rd, Addison. WDO-115-3600-00- Variance request to construct residential addition closer to the side property boundary, than permitted by ordinance.

Michael Holmes- ZBA Chair

Copies of documents are available for review at 6486 Devils Lake Hwy. Any written comments relating to these meetings can be forwarded to:

Woodstock Township Attn. Zoning Board of Appeals 6486 Devils Lake Hwy Addison, MI 49220

Or emailed to: woodstocktownshipzoning@gmail.com

Matthew SeGraves, Zoning/Ordinance Administrator

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LEONI TOWNSHIP BRILLS LAKE ROAD S.A.D. RESOLUTION

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT RESOLUTION NO. 3B (SEWER EXTENSION TO BRILLS LAKE ROAD)

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Township of Leoni County of Jackson, State of Michigan

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LEONI, JACKSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, WITHIN THE SEWER EXTENSION TO BRILLS LAKE ROAD SPECIAL ASSESSMENT AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

WHEREAS, the Township Board of the Township of Leoni, County of Jackson, State of Michigan, by resolution determined to acquire and construct the public improvements described in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof and assess the cost thereof to the property benefitted by said improvements, all in accordance with Act 188, Public Acts of Michigan, 1954, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisor has prepared and reported to the Township Board a special assessment roll assessing part of the cost of said improvements to the property benefitted thereby, with the Supervisor's certificate attached thereto; and

WHEREAS, the Township Board desires to set the date for a public hearing to review the special assessment roll and hear objections thereto.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Leoni, County of Jackson, State of Michigan, at a special meeting held on June 19, 2025, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

Cindy Norris, Leoni Township Clerk

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the provisions of Act 188, Public Acts of Michigan, 1954, as amended, a special assessment roll has been prepared and is on file in the office of the Township Clerk for public examination. Said special assessment roll has been prepared for the purpose of assessing part of the cost of the following described improvements to the above property benefitted therefrom:

The acquisition, construction, furnishing and equipping of improvements to the Township's sanitary sewer system, consist-

ing generally of constructing an extension of the Township's public sewer system to lots or parcels adjacent to or in the vicinity of Brills Lake Road, along with all necessary appurtenances and attachments thereto, necessary rights of way and interests in land.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township Board will meet on Wednesday, the 8th day of July, 2025, at 6:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, at the Leoni Township Hall, 913 Fifth Street, Michigan Center, Michigan, for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that appearance and protest at this hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the State Tax Tribunal if an appeal should be desired. A property owner or party in interest, or his or her agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment or may file his or her appearance by letter delivered to the Township Clerk at or prior to the meeting to be held on July 8, 2025, and his or her personal appearance shall not be required. The property owner or any person having an interest in the property subject to the proposed special assessments may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the State Tax Tribunal within thirty-five (35) days after confirmation of the special assessment roll if that special assessment was protested at this hearing.

EXHIBIT A

Public Improvements

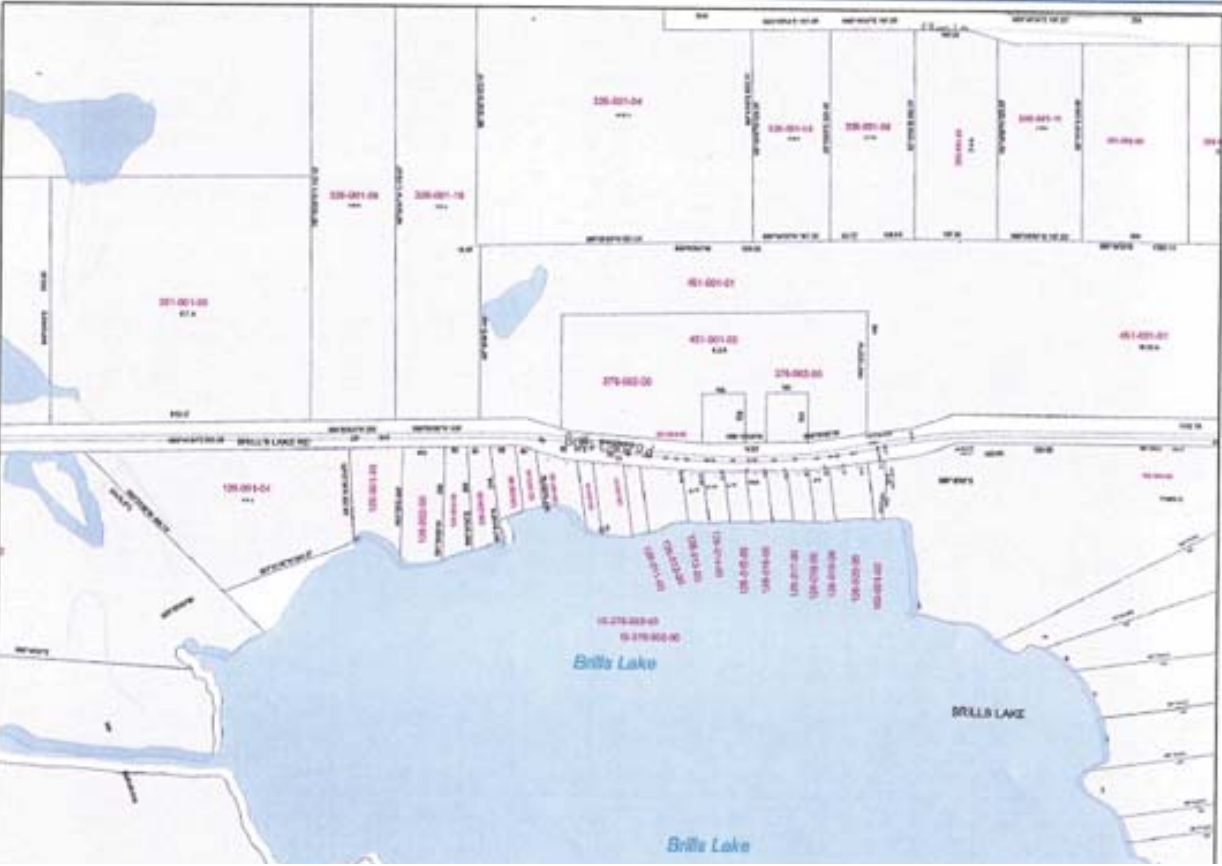
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EXHIBIT B

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR SPECIAL ASSESSMENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF LEONI

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The test shall be conducted in the manner prescribed by rules promulgated by the Secretary of State pursuant to the administrative procedures' act of 1969 Act. No 306 of the Public Acts of 1909, being sections 24.201 to 24.328 of Michigan Compiled Laws.

This accuracy test is held to test the programs to be used in processing ballots for the Special Election to be held on Tuesday August 5, 2025. All interested persons are invited to attend.

**Ashley Wilson**  
**Woodstock Township Clerk**

**SYNOPSIS  
CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING  
JUNE 18, 2025**

The meeting was called to order by the supervisor at 7:00 P.M. with the pledge to the flag. Roll call showed the following: present-Higgins, Richardson, Kissel, Garrison; excused-Hubbard. Approved the following: the revised agenda, the minutes of the May 14, 2025 meeting, the treasurer's report, the P.O. request of the fire department for six search lights for \$1,194.00, the payment of bills in the amount of \$200,762.41, the monthly police, fire and building/zoning reports. Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals activities were noted. Tabled action on bids for the steel work in the garage area at fire station #2. Adopted a Resolution to authorize the issuance of an installment purchase agreement with Huntington Public Capital Corporation for the purchase of the new fire truck from 4 Guys Fire Trucks. Approved the hiring of a cemetery worker. Approved a wage increase for cemetery workers from \$13.38/hr. to \$15.00/hr. After much discussion, approved the change in the date for the spring clean up. Public comment was received. Meeting adjourned at 7:47 P.M. A complete copy of the minutes of this meeting is available at the township office during regular business hours.

**Rick W. Richardson**  
**Cambridge Township Clerk**

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I once found a tree that a beaver had chewed through 90 per cent of it, a good wind would have toppled it down. Another time when I was hiking up north, I spotted four baby foxes darting through the woods, they were playing near the entrance of their den.

All you need to hike is some good supportive shoes, sunscreen, and I recommend a hat and putting on some Deet to guard against biting ticks and mosquitoes. Wear loose fitting clothing and maybe pack some water and some snacks if you're going to be out for several hours. It's a good idea to stick to the trails so you don't get lost, and avoiding the tall brush off the trail will help keep those nasty ticks off you.

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