

**ZEELAND CHARTER TOWNSHIP
BOARD MEETING
July 31, 2018**

The Zeeland Charter Township Board held a Regular Board meeting on June 31, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall at 6582 Byron Road, Zeeland, Michigan. Members present: Supervisor Nykamp, Clerk Kraak, Treasurer Barkel, Trustees Oonk, Brink, Overweg and Riemersma.

Supervisor Nykamp called the meeting to order.
Recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
Invocation offered by Trustee Overweg.

Motion made by Trustee Oonk to approve the minutes of the July 17, 2018 meeting. Trustee Overweg supported the motion which passed.

Business Items:

- a. Trustee Oonk motioned to approve **RESOLUTION #867 FIRE DEPARTMENT RENEWAL AND INCREASE MILLAGE PROPOSITION** at 1.0 mill for 6 years from 2019 through 2024. Trustee Riemersma seconded the motion which passed unanimously with a roll call vote:
AYES: Nykamp, Kraak, Barkel, Oonk, Overweg, Riemersma and Brink.
- b. Trustee Brink motioned to approve **RESOLUTION #868 ROAD MAINTENANCE RENEWAL AND INCREASE MILLAGE PROPOSITION** at 1.0 mill for 6 years from 2019 through 2024. Trustee Riemersma seconded the motion which passed unanimously with a roll call vote:
AYES: Nykamp, Kraak, Barkel, Oonk, Overweg, Riemersma and Brink.
- c. Trustee Brink motioned to approve **RESOLUTION #866 to IMPOSE LATE PENALTY CHARGE ON PROPERTY TAX COLLECTIONS** equal to 3% of the tax on all taxes paid after February 14 and before March 1. Trustee Overweg seconded the motion which passed unanimously with a roll call vote:
AYES: Nykamp, Kraak, Barkel, Oonk, Overweg, Riemersma and Brink
- d. Treasurer Barkel motioned to go in to Closed Session to discuss Confidential Township Attorney Written Opinion Regarding Board Duties. Trustee Brink supported the motion which passed unanimously.
- e. The board returned from Closed Session. Trustee Brink motioned to return form Closed Session and Trustee Oonk supported the motion which passed unanimously.

Committee Reports:

- a. **PARKS & RECREATION** –The Chicken BBQ is August 18.

Supervisor Reports:

Toad's Tree Service will be removed two trees on Van Zoeren property leaning toward Alan and Sandra Dekker. Several trees are also dead in East Drenthe Cemetery and need to be removed.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm
Respectfully submitted,
Kate Kraak – Clerk