

**ZEELAND CHARTER TOWNSHIP  
BOARD MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 3, 2019**

The Zeeland Charter Township Board held a Regular Board meeting on September 3, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall at 6582 Byron Road, Zeeland, Michigan. Members present: Supervisor Nykamp, Treasurer Veldheer, Clerk Kraak, Trustees Overweg, Riemersma and Salisbury. Absent: Brink

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

Trustee Overweg motioned to approve the minutes of the August 20, 2019 meeting. Trustee Riemersma supported the motion which passed.

Citizen Participation: Three high school students from Hudsonville had a few questions about local government for a class assignment.

**Business Items:**

- a. Trustee Riemersma motioned to approve the Purchase of Development Rights Application of Mark Jongekrijg. Trustee Salisbury seconded the motion which passed unanimously with a roll call vote:  
AYES: Nykamp, Kraak, Veldheer, Overweg, Riemersma, and Salisbury. Absent: Brink
- b. Treasurer Veldheer motioned to approve the Purchase of Development Rights Application of Thomas Holstege. Trustee Riemersma seconded the motion which passed unanimously with a roll call vote:  
AYES: Nykamp, Kraak, Veldheer, Overweg, Riemersma, and Salisbury. Absent: Brink

**Committee Reports:**

- a. **BUILDING & GROUNDS** –The Community Center sign has been installed. They will be meeting in the next few weeks to discuss additional improvements.
- b. **BOARD OF APPEAL** – Aaron Nykamp with Cutting Edge Excavating requested a variance of the required front yard setback. The request was denied.
- c. **FIRE** – Jeff Salisbury motioned to approve Noah Westra as a firefighter trainee. Treasurer Veldheer seconded the motion which passes.

Meeting adjourned at 7:19 pm  
Respectfully submitted,  
Kate Kraak – Clerk