MARSHALL TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING December 18, 2023, 7 P.M. Proposed Agenda

CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND ROLL CALL

MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA

REPORTS: 1) Permits 2) Fire Chief 3) Treasurer 4) Budget 5) Solar Project

COMMUNICATIONS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT ON LISTED AGENDA ITEMS

MOTION TO APPROVE: (A member may request a separate vote on any item.)

OLD BUSINESS

- 1) Minutes of November 13, 2023, Regular Meeting (attached)
- 2) Minutes of November 29, 2023, Special Meeting (attached)

NEW BUSINESS

- 1) Bill list with a total of \$ 290,462.54 (attached)
- 2) Appointments recommended by the Supervisor of Duane Sly and Steve Riggs (replacing Richard Lindsey and Phyllis Gresly) and reappointment of David Boshears to the Planning Commission all for terms ending 12-31-26.
- 3) Re-appointment of Trent Thompson to the Zoning Board of Appeals for a term ending 12/31/26.
- 4) Sending thank you letters to Richard Lindsey and Phyllis Gresly for their years of service on the Planning Commission.
- 5) Correction of term ending date for appointment of David VanArman to the Fire Board from 12-31-24 to 6-30-24.
- 6) Authorizing Clerk to close ELAN Credit card account and establish a credit card for the township through Southern Michigan Bank and Trust subject to the township policy on credit card authorization and use.
- 7) 2024 meeting dates (attached).
- 8) Board of Review recommended changes to property tax exemption guidelines (attached).,
- 9) Any other matters that may be properly brought before the Board.

DISCUSSION OF AGENDA ITEMS BY BOARD MEMBERS AND ROLL CALL VOTE

PUBLIC COMMENTS
BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT Next regular meeting scheduled for TUESDAY, January 16, 2024, 7 p.m.

All documents are available on the website: www.marshalltownship.org with this proposed agenda and for inspection at the township offices.

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Total Permits For Type:

2

Total Fees For Type:

\$350.00

Total Const. Value For Type:

\$0

Electrical

| Permit # | Contractor | Job Address | Fee Total | Const. Value |
|--------------|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| P23E0058 | VAVRINA BARRY | 12400 16 MILE RD | \$221.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | tion: ADDITION TO BARN | | | |
| P23E0059 | AVERY FARM LLC | 13760 VERONA RD | \$100.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | tion: SERVICE | | | |
| P23E0060 | SINCLAIR KEVIN & MICHELLE | 15376 17 1/2 MILE RD | \$225.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | tion: INSTALL GENERATOR | | | |

Total Permits For Type:

3

Total Fees For Type:

\$546.00

Total Const. Value For Type:

\$0

Mechanical

| Permit # | Contractor | Job Address | Fee Total | Const. Value |
|--------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------------|
| P23M0061 | HASENICK STEPHEN | 15014 WALTERS DR | \$110.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | otion: NEW WATER HEATER | | | |
| P23M0062 | WALKER PAUL & SUZANNE | 15696 KATHERINE TRL | \$100.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | otion: GAS/OIL EQUIP | | | |
| P23M0063 | BARNES JODY & CHRISTOPHE | 12067 15 MILE RD | \$100.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | tion: GAS/OIL EQUIP | | | |

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SINCLAIR KEVIN & MICHELLE 15376 17 1/2 MILE RD

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Work Description: UPDATE FURNACE, A/C, HUMIDIFIER

Total Permits For Type:

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Total Fees For Type:

\$531.00

Total Const. Value For Type:

\$0

Plumbing

| Permit # | Contractor | Job Address | Fee Total | Const. Value |
|--------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| P23P0009 | KALAMAZOO RIVE | ER COMMUN 116 MARSHALL ST | \$220.00 | \$0 |
| Work Descrip | otion: RESTROOM AT E | OAT/CANOE LAUNCH | | |

Total Permits For Type:

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Total Fees For Type:

\$220.00

Total Const. Value For Type:

\$0

Report Summary

Population: All Records Permit.DateIssued Between 11/1/2023 12:00:00 AM AND 11/30/2023 11:59:59 PM Grand Total Fees:

\$1,647.00

Grand Total Permits:

10

Grand Total Const. Value:

\$0

MARSHALL TOWNSHIP TREASURER'S REPORT As of November 30, 2023

| Deposit Balances | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Southern Michigan Bank & Trust | \$ 1,984,974.81 |
| Marshall Community Credit Union | 69.25 (9/30/23) |
| KCCU | 1,027.36 (9/30/23) |
| Riley Wealth Management | 1,324.31 |
| Total | \$ 1,987,395.73 |
| Certificates of Deposit | |
| Marshall Community Credit Union | 32,109.92 (05/05/24 – 1.45%) |
| Kellogg Community Credit Union | 51,461.85 (05/20/24 – 3.06%) |
| Kellogg Community Credit Union | 51,313.63 (01/20/24 – 4.889%) |
| Huntington Bank | 57,110.30 (11/20/24 – 0.10%) |
| Highpoint Community Bank | 250,000.00 (03/26/24 – 4.899%) |
| City National Bank | 440,026.40 (12/21/23 – 5.350%) |
| Total | \$ 882,022.10 |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$ 2,869,417.83* |
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| October 31, 2023 Ending Total | \$2,952,637.41 |
| September 30, 2023 Ending Total | |
| August 31, 2023 Ending Total | 3,018,549.40 |
| July 31,2023 Ending Total | 3,045,818.75 |
| June 30, 2023 Ending Total | 2,973,374.45 |
| May 31, 2023 Ending Total | <i>2,562,554.71</i> |
| April 30, 2023 Ending Total | 2,585,804.04 |
| March 31, 2023 Ending Total | 2,606,580.06 |
| February 28, 2023 Ending Total | 2,489,832.20 |
| January 31, 2023 Ending Total | 2,428,195.67 |
| December 31, 2022 Ending Total | 2,393,368.63 |
| November 30, 2022 Ending Total | 2,377,178.23 |
| October 31, 2022 Ending Total | 2,415,493.94 |

^{*}As of 3/31/23, \$1,027,694 is restricted fund balance from the fire department millage and county park millage sharing. Assigned fund balances are: \$300,838 for fire equipment and facilities; \$23,000, for township development; \$115,130 for general facility improvements and \$400,000, for subsequent year budget use (budget stabilization). Unassigned fund balance is \$460,893 including unspent ARPA funding. Total fund balance is \$2,336,226 as of 3/31/23.

David VanArman, Treasurer

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| GL NUMBER | DESCRIPTION | 2022-23 ACTIVITY | 2023-24 AMENDED BUDGET | 2023-24 ACTIVITY THRU 11/30/23 |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| ESTIMATED REVENUES Dept 000.000 | | | | |
| 101-000.000-336.000 | FIRE MILLAGE | 232,250.92 | 240,677.00 | |
| 101-000.000-402.000 | VOTED CURRENT TAX | 127,448.06 | 129,000.00 | |
| 101-000.000-405.000 | PA 425 ST.FRM.NRFLD.STNTN.FOLK | 53,624.97 | 53,040.00 | 55,205.52 |
| 101-000.000-409.000 | TRAILER FEES | 252.00 | | (44.00) |
| 101-000.000-410.000 | DELINQUENT TAX | 4,955.00 | | 22,772.97 |
| 101-000.000-415.000 | METROTELE PA48 | 5,416.18 | 5,000.00 | |
| 101-000.000-445.000 | ADMINISTRATION FEE SUMMER | 34,796.47 | 37,000.00 | 36,855.04 |
| 101-000.000-445.002 | ADMINISTRATION FEE WINTER | 24,746.28 | 26,800.00 | |
| 101-000.000-448.000 | COUNTY PARK MILLAGE SHARING | 8,758.98 | 9,250.00 | 8,758.78 |
| 101-000.000-451.002 | SPECIAL ASSESSMENT REVENUE | 1,164.28 | 1,164.00 | |
| 101-000.000-452.000 | BUILDING PERMITS | 16,539.00 | 289,500.00 | 276,885.50 |
| 101-000.000-453.000 | PLUMBING PERMITS | 3,747.00 | 3,500.00 | 2,014.00 |
| 101-000.000-454.000 | MECHANICAL PERMITS | 11,376.00 | 6,000.00 | 7,979.00 |
| 101-000.000-455.000 | ELECTRICAL PERMITS | 8,265.00 | 83,000.00 | 83,466.00 |
| 101-000.000-463.000 | CABLE FRANCHISE FEE | 18,866.05 | 22,000.00 | 8,555.67 |
| 101-000.000-491.000 | PERMITS - MISC | | | 500.00 |
| 101-000.000-539.000 | STATE REVENUE SHARING | 348,601.00 | 335,000.00 | 222,740.00 |
| 101-000.000-555.000 | ESSENTIAL SERVICES TAX PAYMENT | 120.24 | 500.00 | 3,102.54 |
| 101-000.000-555.002 | ESSENTIAL SERVICES TAX PYMNT FIRE | 1,375.17 | 1,500.00 | |
| 101-000.000-580.000 | CASINO REVENUE SHARING | 133,636.66 | 165,000.00 | 176,414.05 |
| 101-000.000-628.000 | STREET LIGHT | 10,971.63 | 14,688.00 | |
| 101-000.000-628.100 | MICH AVE STREET LIGHTS | 2,667.08 | | |
| 101-000.000-640.000 | CONVIS FD CONTRACT | 34,397.98 | 35,000.00 | 51,472.71 |
| 101-000.000-642.000 | CHARGES FOR SERVICES | 1,150.00 | 4,000.00 | 2,225.70 |
| 101-000,000-643.000 | CEMETERY FEES | 1,200.00 | | |
| 101-000.000-655.000 | ORDINANCE FINES | 266.00 | | 500.00 |
| 101-000.000-664.000 | INTEREST EARNED | 7,889.56 | 3,000.00 | 24,207.41 |
| 101-000.000-665.000 | GRANTS | 232,480.00 | | |
| 101-000.000-674.000 | CONTRIBUTIONS AND DONATIONS | | | 865.00 |
| 101-000.000-684.000 | REIMBURSEMENT or REFUNDS | 4,070.72 | 5,000.00 | 16,064.79 |
| 101-000.000-685.000 | FIRE RUN REIMB. | 5,887.70 | 2,000.00 | |
| Totals for dept 000 | .000 - | 1,336,919.93 | 1,471,619.00 | 1,000,540.68 |
| TOTAL ESTIMATED REVEN | ues | 1,336,919.93 | 1,471,619.00 | 1,000,540.68 |
| APPROPRIATIONS Dept 000.000 | | | | |
| 101-000.000-955.000 | Miscellaneous | (4,515.96) | | (350.00) |
| Totals for dept 000 | .000 - | (4,515.96) | | (350.00) |
| Dept 101.000 - Town 101-101.000-702.000 | ship Brd Salaries | 17,408.83 | 14,000.00 | 11,225.34 |

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|---|--|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| APPROPRIATIONS Dept 101.000 - Tow 101-101.000-702.800 | nship Brd MISCELLANEOUS PAYROLL ITEMS | 19.89 | | 13.38 |
| 101-101.000-703.000 | FICA | 925.51 | 868.00 | 705.08 |
| 101-101.000-704.000 | Medicare | 218.52 | 203.00 | 164.57 |
| 101-101.000-705.000 | Mileage | 140.70 | 200.00 | |
| 101-101.000-706.000 | Education | | 500.00 | 332.00 |
| 101-101.000-707.000 | RETIREMENT | | 100.00 | |
| 101-101.000-708.000 | Membership and Dues | 7,180.00 | 6,500.00 | 6,383.72 |
| 101-101.000-726.000 | Supplies | 1,712.28 | 500.00 | 87.24 |
| 101-101.000-727.000 | Postage | 8.56 | 2,000.00 | 561.00 |
| 101-101.000-728.000 | Maintenance & Repairs | | 500.00 | |
| 101-101.000-802.000 | Legal Consultant | 20,842.77 | 20,000.00 | 24,296.95 |
| 101-101.000-803.000 | Accountant Consultant | 22,550.00 | 20,000.00 | 20,300.00 |
| 101-101.000-804.000 | Studies by Professionals | | 5,000.00 | |
| 101-101.000-805.000 | INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY | 8,688.26 | 7,500.00 | 4,144.80 |
| 101-101.000-806.000 | PAYROLL SERVICE | 1,657.22 | | 3,143.13 |
| 101-101.000-851.000 | Insurance | 25,254.93 | 18,379.00 | 31,160.00 |
| 101-101.000-863.000 | MEDICARE EXP | | | |
| 101-101.000-901.000 | Printing & Publishing | 5,980.64 | 2,500.00 | 3,047.42 |
| 101-101.000-954.000 | Emergency Funds | | 2,500.00 | |
| 101-101.000-955.000 | Miscellaneous | 47.22 | | 966.40 |
| 101-101.000-964.000 | Refunda & Rebates | 100.00 | 500.00 | |
| Totals for dept 10 | 1.000 - Township Brd | 112,735.33 | 101,750.00 | 106,531.03 |
| Dept 171.000 - Supe | ervisor Salaries | 21,418.47 | 19,524.00 | 12,953.83 |
| 101-171.000-702.100 | Deputy | 542.00 | 3,384.00 | 835.00 |
| 101-171.000-703.000 | FICA | 1,624.99 | 1,421.00 | 844.31 |
| 101-171.000-704.000 | Medicare | 319.28 | 571.00 | 197.45 |
| 101-171.000-863.000 | MEDICARE EXP | | | |
| Totals for dept 17 | 1 000 - Supervisor | 23,904.74 | 24,900.00 | 14,830.59 |
| Dept 215.000 - Cler | -ck | | | |
| 101-215,000-702.000 | Salaries | 28,049.63 | 25,493.00 | 17,375.64 |
| 101-215.000-702.100 | Deputy | 3,062.00 | 15,337.00 | 3,210.25 |
| 101-215.000-703.000 | FICA | 3,599.20 | 2,650.00 | 2,475.89 |
| 101-215.000-704.000 | Medicare | 452.98 | 620.00 | 296.71 |
| 101-215.000-706.000 | Education | | 500.00 | |
| 101-215.000-707.000 | RETIREMENT | 905.84 | | |
| 101-215.000-708.000 | Membership and Dues | 121.00 | 150.00 | |
| 101-215.000-726.000 | Supplies | 99.47 | 250.00 | 83.21 |

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

FICA EXP

Salaries

Medicare

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Totals for dept 257.000 - Assessor

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Dept 262.000 - Elections

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December 11, 2023

Robert Lyng Trustee of Marshall Township Planning Commission Marshall Township Board Member

Dear Mr. Lyng,

The team has been finalizing the project and anticipate a completion by 12/31/2023. We will have some continued efforts regarding vegetative screening in the planting seasons in Q1/Q2 of 2024.

Mechanical & Electrical

- Electrical and mechanical completion of solar facility is anticipated by 12/31/2023.
- All 27 inverters will be online and operating by 12/20/2023
- Continued testing and commissioning activities will continue until commercial operation date (COD).
- The Cereal City team will leave the retention basin along H-drive installed until the vegetation growth north of that area is completed (likely April-June 2024)
- The decommissioning of the laydown area will start this month, restoring the area
- Consumers electric will be finalizing the distribution connection to the control house in substation







Sincerely,

Kunhal Parikh Digitally signed by Kunhal Parikh Date: 2023.12.13 07:24;53 -05'00'

Kunhal Parikh Project Director

| Proposed 11-14-23 | |
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| Approved | |

Marshall Township Regular Board Meeting - Marshall Township

November 13, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor David Bosserd. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Present: Albaugh, Bosserd, Lyng, VanArman and Walsh. Absent: None.

Motion by Lyng, supported by Walsh, approve the proposed meeting agenda. VOICE VOTE: CARRIED.

<u>REPORTS:</u> Permits issued and Treasurer reports were received and placed on file. Assistant Fire Chief Ryan Harvey provided a verbal update citing 329 incident responses so far this year.

COMMUNICATIONS: None

AUDIENCE COMMENTS ON LISTED AGENDA ITEMS: Eleven people offered comments.

PUBLIC HEARING ON SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLLS: The Supervisor opened the annual public hearing on the Special Assessment Rolls for the General and Michigan Avenue Street Light Districts and the Preston Drive Road Improvements. Clerk Albaugh reported that the rolls and supporting documents have been available for public inspection as per the public notice published in the Advisor. The Clerk also stated that neither the number of parcels nor the per parcel amounts are changed from the previous from the previous year. There were no public comments. The hearing was declared closed.

OLD AND NEW BUSINESS:

Motion by Walsh, supported by Lyng approve: Minutes of the October 18, 2023, regular board meeting; the bill list, total of \$ 52,787.64; Holiday closing of township offices from December 21, 2023, through January 2, 2024; A revised request for a 2024 Road Project for H Drive North (priority 1) and a request for 15 ½ Mile Road (priority 2); Appointment of David VanArman to the Fire Board to fill a vacancy with a term ending 12-31-2024; Designation of Office Manager Carl Fowler as Assistant Township FOIA Coordinator as recommended by the Clerk; A METRO Act Right-of-Way Telecommunications permit with Midwest Energy Cooperative and authorize the Supervisor to sign on behalf of the township; 2023-24 General and Michigan Avenue Street Light Districts budgets and assessment rolls; 2023 Winter tax bill special assessment #5 for Preston Drive Special Assessment District; A special board meeting to consider FOIA appeals made by Glenn Kowalske and Gerald Bosserd to be held November 29, 2023, at 2:00 p.m.; A policy on use of public address system at meetings of Township Board and Commissions. ROLL CALL VOTE: YES: Bosserd, Albaugh, VanArman, Walsh and Lyng. NO: None. CARRIED.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS: Seven people offered comments.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS: Supervisor Bosserd updated on water well testing. Trustee Lyng replied to several public comments.

The Supervisor declared the meeting adjourned at approximately 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

JEFFREY S. ALBAUGH, Marshall Township Clerk

| 1 | Township of Marshall |
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| 2 | Minutes of a Special Township Board Meeting |
| 3 | Held on November 29, 2023 @ 2:00 p.m. |
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| 5 | A special meeting of the Marshall Township Board of Trustees was conducted on November 29 |
| 6 | 2023, commencing at 2:00 p.m., at the Marshall Township Hall. |
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| 8 | Call to Order: |
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| 10 | Supervisor Bosserd called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. and welcomed those in attendance. |
| 11 | The Clerk, per Board rules, has designated Township Attorney to take and produce minutes for |
| 12 | the meeting due to absence of the Clerk. |
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| 14 | Present were: |
| 15 | David Bosserd - Supervisor |
| 16 | Robert Lyng - Trustee |
| 17 | David VanArman - Treasurer |
| 18 | Dan Walsh - Trustee |
| 19 20 | Also, present was Township Zoning Administrator, Paul Anderson; Township Attorney, Seth |
| 21 | Koches; and, approximately 14 interested members of the public. |
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| 25 | Jeff Albaugh - Clerk |
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| 29 | The Board members received their agenda packets prior to the Board meeting and no additions |
| 30 | or revisions were made to it. |
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| 32 | Public Comment |
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| 34 | Glenn Kowalske discussed his FOIA appeal and requested access to all documents referenced in |
| 35 | his FOIA request. Kowalske said that FOIA is a transparency law and asked that the Township be |
| 36 | transparent with disclosing records requested through FOIA. |
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| 38 | Jerald Bosserd discussed his FOIA request and FOIA appeal. Bosserd discussed the review process |
| 39 | of the solar project and felt that it was disrespectful. Bosserd said that the public did not want |
| 40 | the solar project. Bosserd objected to the solar project and the Blue Oval project. |
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| 42 | Wayne Wright discussed the FOIA and its goal of transparency among local units of government. |
| 43 | Wright discussed FOIA fees and asked whether the fees are used as a way to create barriers to |
| 44 | access and review public records. Wright said that the purpose of the FOIA was transparency. |

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Mick Woods discussed the FOIA appeals on the meeting agenda and said that the records should be readily available for an active, on-going project. Woods said that these records should be readily available for review and cited the Township's FOIA policy that authorized the Board to waive FOIA fees.

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Barry Adams supported Woods' public comment and discussed the FOIA. Woods cited statutes making violations of the FOIA criminal offenses.

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Consideration of FOIA Appeal of Glenn Kowalske

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The next item on the agenda was consideration of the FOIA appeal submitted by Glenn Kowalske. Jeff Albaugh, the Township's FOIA coordinator previously designated Paul Anderson to process Kowalske's initial FOIA request, as authorized the FOIA statute. Anderson provided a staff report, which was contained in the Board members' special meeting packets, which is part of the record to be considered for Kowalske's appeal regarding the cost estimate and it is incorporated into these meeting minutes by reference. Anderson summarized his report and summarized the initial FOIA requests submitted by Kowalske. Anderson said that Kowalske submitted a FOIA request to the Township via email on 10/26/23, which states in part,

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"I would like to review all of the site plans for this solar project, as well as all communications related to the approval, correction, deviation from, the site plan. Also, I am looking for the communications to NextEra/Cereal City on all violations of zoning ordinances or site plan deviations since the site approval. This appears to be no less than 5, but could be more."

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Kowalske's 10/26/23 email is contained in Anderson's staff report and Board packet, and is part of this record. Anderson said that his initial research into obtaining all "communications related to the approval, correction, deviation from, the site plan" regarding the solar project found he had 715 emails that he sent/received. Anderson said that wasn't aware of how many other emails may exist between Planning Commissioners, the Township Attorney, the Township Engineer, or any other communications that are public records subject to disclosure. Anderson said that he needs the Township's IT provider to search the Township archived records to pull every electronic correspondence. It was estimated that the IT company needs approximately 8-10 hours of work to search the servers for these records. Anderson said that thereafter, the Township Attorney's office needs to review the records for potential redactions that apply under the FOIA. Anderson said that he will provide the requested site plans to Kowalske via thumb drive to Kowalske. Anderson said he would include the landscaping plan.

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Anderson said that Kowalske appealed the Township's cost estimate of \$995.60. Koches said that the cost estimate is appropriate when there are additional costs associated with processing a FOIA request, which includes professional service contractors to locate the items. Anderson

explained how the cost estimate was calculated in the cost estimate worksheet and Koches confirmed those costs as well.

Kowalske asked questions regarding the decommissioning plan and bond. Attorney Koches explained how the decommissioning bond was calculated and that the bond must reflect the actual cost of decommissioning, not salvage value. Koches explained that the Township's Ordinance requires the bond to be 125% of the actual cost of decommissioning and that the solar company may have over bonded the decommissioning value. Koches said that the decommissioning cost is reviewed every 5 years and will be adjusted to reflect inflation costs associated with decommissioning the solar project. Anderson confirmed that a company called Atwell prepared the decommissioning plan/costs, which was provided to the Township Engineer to confirm. Anderson said the purpose of FOIA is to provide documents but noted that the Township is not required to interpret the records that are produced.

Kowalske and Koches discussed a resolution to this matter. Koches confirmed that the requested records are all public records, subject to any applicable exemptions specified by the FOIA, such as attorney-client privilege. Koches explained that the request asked for voluminous records, which is why the cost estimate was approximately \$995.60. Koches confirmed that the Township Board may waive these fees, as allowed for by the Township's FOIA policy. Kowalske said that he didn't want the Township to absorb any unnecessary costs and agreed to withdraw this FOIA request/appeal, and new FOIA request if the following records were produced:

- 1. All formal complaints and previous complaints regarding the Next Era/Cereal City Solar project, including all emails and site plans;
- 2. All records related to the notice of suspension of the special land use permit letter that was provided to Cereal City;
- 3. All records regarding any court proceedings connected to the NextEra/Cereal City Solar Project; and,
- 4. Site plans and updated site plans that depict how Cereal City fixed the flooding issue(s).

Kowalske and the Township Board discussed a resolution where Kowalske would meet with Anderson at the Township Hall on Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 12:00, so Anderson could provide him the site plans on a thumb drive. The Township Board and Kowalske agreed that the rest of the records would be provided to Kowalske on December 15, 2023. Kowalske agreed to withdraw his FOIA appeal and new FOIA request if the Township agreed to provide these records in the timelines discussed.

Upon motion by Lyng, supported by VanArman, the Township Board agreed to provide Kowalske the following records as Kowalske agreed to withdraw the FOIA appeal and new FOIA request, as follows:

1. All formal complaints and previous complaints regarding the Next Era/Cereal City Solar project, including all emails and site plans;

- 2. All records related to the notice of suspension of the special land use permit letter that was provided to Cereal City;
 - 3. All records regarding any court proceedings connected to the NextEra/Cereal City Solar Project; and,
 - 4. Site plans and updated site plans that depict how Cereal City fixed the flooding issue(s).

Kowalske agreed to meet Anderson at the Township Hall on Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 12:00, so Anderson could provide him the site plans on a thumb drive. The remaining requested records will be provided to Kowalske on December 15, 2023.

The motion passed 4-0 by roll call vote.

The next item on the agenda was consideration of Jerald Bosserd's FOIA Appeal

Jeff Albaugh, the Township's FOIA coordinator previously designated Paul Anderson to Bosserd's FOIA request, as authorized the FOIA statute. Anderson provided a staff report, which was contained in the Board members' special meeting packets, part of the record to be considered for Bosserd's appeal and is incorporated into these meeting minutes by reference. Anderson summarized his report and summarized the FOIA requests submitted by J. Bosserd.

Anderson said that all records requested by J. Bosserd were timely provided. Koches said that there were additional records that were generated after J. Bosserd's FOIA request was submitted to the Township and Koches brought those records to turn over to J. Bosserd. Koches explained that the Township has a continued duty to provide records as they come available or are located, and indicated that these new records will be turned over to J. Bosserd at the conclusion of the appeal hearing.

Bosserd addressed the Board and said that the records weren't produced and that more records existed. Bosserd questioned may aspects of the solar project and mentioned a file that may exist containing additional records.

Upon motion of <u>Walsh</u>, supported by <u>D. Bosserd</u>, and <u>4-0 vote</u>, the Township Board voted to deny J. Bosserd's appeal because all Township records requested by J. Bosserd were provided to him (J. Bosserd) in compliance with the FOIA statute.

Koches provided J. Bosserd the additional records that became available under the Township's continued duty to disclose records. Koches recommended that as a courtesy, the Township should provide all records produced to Kowalske also be turned over to J. Bosserd.

Public Comment

Kowalske discussed the Planning Commission makeup and discussed the special land use revocation process for David Brown's Auto Collision. Kowalske discussed the Planning Commission's processing special land use applications and simplifying the process.

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| 3 | Lyng provided an update regarding relocation of ar | nd new building for fire station 1. |
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| 6 | Adjournment | |
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Resolution 11-2015 Credit Card Use Policy

Whereas, Pubic Act 266 of 1995 authorizes a township to be a party to a credit card arrangement if the township board has adopted by resolution a written policy governing the control and use of credit cards, and

Whereas, the Marshall Township Board deems that it is in the best interest of the township to make certain township financial transactions by using a credit care as described in the Act, now

Therefore be it resolved, that the following policy shall govern the use of township credit cards:

- a) The Township Clerk is responsible for issuing, accounting for, monitoring, retrieving and generally overseeing compliance with the township's credit card policy.
- b) Township credit cards may be used only by the Clerk, Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer and Fire Chief for the purchase of goods or services for the official business of the township.
- c) Township officers and employees who use a township credit card shall, as soon as possible, submit a copy of the vendor's credit card slip to the Clerk. If no credit card slip was obtained that described the transaction, the employee shall submit a signed voucher that shows the name of vendor or entity from which goods or services were purchased, the date and the amount of the transaction, the official business that required the transaction, and the chart of account number indicating the line item to which the transaction is to be charged. All credit card slips shall include this information as well. Vouchers shall also include a statement why a credit card slip was not obtained.
- d) An official or employee who is issued a credit card is responsible for its protection and custody. If a credit card is lost or stolen, the Clerk shall be notified. The entity issuing the lost or stolen credit card shall be immediately notified to cancel the card.
- e) An officer of employee issued a credit card shall return the card to the Clerk upon termination of his or her employment or service with the township.
- f) The Clerk shall maintain a list of all credit cards owned by the township, along with the name of the officer and employee who has been issued the credit card, the credit limit established, the date issued, and the date returned. Each employee shall initial the list beside his or her name to indicated agreement that the credit

card has been issued, and that the employee has received and read a copy of this policy.

The Clerk shall review each credit card statement as soon as possible to ensure that transactions comply with this policy. Any transactions that appear on the statements that are not documented with a credit card slip or a signed voucher shall be immediately investigated. Transactions that do not appear to comply with this policy shall be reported to the township board.

- g) The township board shall not approve a payment to the entity issuing the credit card until all transactions have been verified, including the approval of all transaction invoices if issued.
- h) The balance, including interest due on an extension of credit under the credit card arrangement, shall be paid for within not more than 60 days of the initial statement date.
- Officers and employees who use a township credit card in a manner contrary to this policy shall be subject to the following disciplinary actions, as deemed appropriate by the township board:
 - Verbal counseling
 - Written reprimand
 - Suspension
 - Termination
 - Reimbursement to the township for unauthorized expenditures.
- At no time shall the outstanding, unpaid balance exceed \$4,000.00
- k) No individual charge may exceed \$1000.00 without the advance, written approval of the Supervisor with the exception of a yearly purchase from the United States Postal Service for a one year supply of stamped envelopes with the township's return address and not exceed \$4000.00.
- 1) All other policies concerning credit cards are null and void on approval of this resolution.

Upon a roll call vote the following voted at the regular meeting August 17, 2015: AYE: Jyng, Reinn, Bosserd Sink
NAY: Biro Excused; albaugh

ABSENT:

l, Cynthia Sink, the duly elected and acting Clerk of Marshall Township, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Township Board of said Township at the regular meeting of said Board held on 3-17,200% at which meeting a quorum was present, by a roll call vote of said members as hereinbefore set forth; that said resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

2024 MARSHALL TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING DATES

Township Board meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of each month at 7 p.m. unless a federal or state holidays when the meeting shall be on the following Tuesday (*) per Board Rules.

| January 16, 2024* | May 20, 2024 | September 16, 2024 |
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| February 20, 2024* | June 17, 2024 | October 21, 2024 |
| March 18, 2024 | July 15, 2024 | November 18, 2024 |
| April 15, 2024 | August 19, 2024 | December 16, 2024 |

ALL MEETINGS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTICED, ARE AT THE

MARSHALL TOWNSHIP HALL, 13551 MYRON AVERY DRIVE, MARSHALL, MI 49068

BY ORDER OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD.

Jeffrey S. Albaugh,

Marshall Township Clerk

2024 Property Tax Gross Income Guidelines

(recommended by December 2023 Board of Review)

| SIZE OF FAMILY UNIT | POVERTY GUIDELINE |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | \$ 19,720 |
| 2 | 24,680 |
| 3 | 30,000 |
| 4 | 35,140 |
| 5 | 40,280 |
| 6 | 45,420 |
| 7 | 50,560 |

For each person in family unit in excess of 7 add \$5,140 for each such person