
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BEDFORD

115 S. Uldriks Drive, Battle Creek, MI 49037

September 13, 2018 - 7:00 PM

AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. INVOCATION

4. ROLL CALL

Adam Heikkila, Supervisor; Joyce Feraco, Clerk; Chrisandra Dezotell, Treasurer; Joseph Cipic, Trustee; Connie Gibson, Trustee; Randolph Johnson, Trustee; Sally Shaw, Trustee.

5. APPROVAL OF THE SEPTEMBER 13, 2018 AGENDA

6. APPROVAL OF THE AUGUST 9, 2018 MINUTES

Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to approve the August 9, 2018 minutes, as submitted.

ROLL CALL

7. SUPERVISOR'S ADDRESS

8. CITIZENS TIME - agenda items only

9. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Open Public Hearing - referencing the Special Assessment District – Police/Public Safety – 4.5 Mills will garner approximately \$785,432.00 for the year 2018.

10. COMMUNICATIONS - ATTACHED DOCUMENTS

*Draft August 9, 2018 Minutes

*Check Register

*Lifecare report

11. REPORTS

{A} FINANCE

RES. 09/13/18/45

Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to approve payment of expenses totaling \$220,210.27

ROLL CALL

(B) PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

POLICE: Battle Creek Police Officer

FIRE: Chief Cochensparger

(C) BUILDING AND GROUNDS

(D) BUILDING OFFICIAL – Mark Hires

(E) CHAIRMAN OF PLANNING COMMISSION - Barry Beamish

(F) LEGISLATIVE AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

12. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Close Public Hearing -referencing Police/Public safety-special assessment.

RES. 09/13/18/46

Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to establish a Special Assessment District for Police/Public Safety, effective for the 2018 assessment levy. Further, the Special Assessment district boundaries are to be established as all of the lands and premises in the Charter Township of Bedford. Further, the Special Assessment is to be established at 4.5 Mills, and the Supervisor is hereby directed to spread the mills levied over all lands and premises. The Four-and-half (4.5) mills will generate approximately \$785,432.00 for the year 2018.

ROLL CALL

RES. 09/13/18/47

Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to establish millage at .8848 for General Operating on all property within the Charter Township of Bedford. In addition, the Clerk is to notify the Assessor by September 30, 2018, to levy and spread for General Operations. The millage will generate approximately \$163,065.00 for the year 2018.

ROLL CALL

RES. 09/13/18/48

Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to place a special ad valorem assessment against all parcels within the Streetlight Special Assessment District, in the amount of .8611 mills and that this ad valorem assessment shall become part of the 2018 Winter Tax Roll. Millage will generate approximately \$83,852.00 to cover the cost of street lights.

ROLL CALL

RES. 09/13/18/49

Resolved by the Trustees of the Charter Township of Bedford to hire Ava Drake, who is a certified firefighter; under the recommendation of Chief Cochensparger, she must each pass a physical examination and there will be a one (1) year probation period with the Fire Department.

ROLL CALL

13. PETITIONS AND NEW BUSINESS

14. CITIZENS TIME

15. TRUSTEES PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

16. ANNOUNCEMENT BY CHAIR, CHAIRPERSON OR ELECTED OFFICIAL

17. ADJOURNMENT

Next Board meeting is October 11, 2018 at 7:00pm.