

**VILLAGE OF HOPKINS COUNCIL
ALLEGAN COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

Resolution # 2022-002 003 ^{MA.}

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF HOPKINS PLANNING
COMMISSION AND THE HOPKINS TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION TO
WORK TOGETHER TO PREPARE A MASTER PLAN AND PARKS AND
RECREATION PLAN FOR EACH LOCAL UNIT AND ENGAGING A
PLANNER/CONSULTANT**

WHEREAS, the Village of Hopkins is a duly formed Michigan Home Rule Village located entirely within Allegan County, State of Michigan;

WHEREAS, Hopkins Township is a duly formed Michigan general law township located entirely within Allegan County, State of Michigan;

WHEREAS, the Village of Hopkins has a properly formed Planning Commission that was created in accordance with the applicable laws of the State of Michigan.

WHEREAS, the Michigan Planning Enabling Act, being Public Act 33 of 2008, MCL 125.3801, *et seq.*, and more specifically, MCL 125.3845(2) requires that “[a]t least every 5 years after adoption of a master plan, a planning commission shall review the master plan and determine whether to commence the procedure to amend the master plan or adopt a new master plan”;

WHEREAS, the Village of Hopkins Council determined that it is desirable and in the best interests of the Village to authorize the Village Planning Commission to jointly work with the Hopkins Township Planning Commission to develop and prepare Village of Hopkins and Hopkins Township Master Plans; and, the Parks and Recreational Plans for the Village Planning Commission and Township Planning Commission to consider for adoption, respectively;

WHEREAS, the Village of Hopkins and Hopkins Township plan to engage the same professional planner/consultant to assist with developing and preparing Master Plans; and, the Parks and Recreational Plans for Hopkins Township and the Village of Hopkins, respectively;

WHEREAS, Village of Hopkins Council agrees to contribute forty percent (40%) of all costs associated with developing and preparing Master Plans and Hopkins Township is committed to contribute the remaining sixty percent (60%) of all costs associated with developing and preparing Master Plans; and, the Parks and Recreational Plans for Hopkins Township and the Village of Hopkins; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The Village of Hopkins Council authorizes the Village Planning Commission to jointly work with the Hopkins Township Planning Commission to develop and prepare an updated Master Plan; and the Parks and Recreational Plans for each respective local unit to consider for adoption.
2. That the Village of Hopkins Council will work with the Hopkins Township Board of Trustees to determine a professional planner/consultant to engage for the purposes of assisting the Township Planning Commission and Village Planning Commission with preparing the Master Plans; and the Parks and Recreational Plans for each respective local unit to consider for adoption.
3. That Hopkins Township agreed to contribute sixty percent (60%) of all costs associated with developing and preparing Master Plans and the Village of Hopkins agrees to contribute the remaining forty percent (40%) of all costs associated with developing and preparing Master Plans; and the Parks and Recreational Plans for Hopkins Township and the Village of Hopkins.

Motion Tabitha Kennedy

Supported Craig Osborn

AYES: 5

NAYES: 0

ABSTAINED:

The President of the Village of Hopkins Council declared the Resolution adopted.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of the Resolution adopted at properly noticed Regular Meeting of the Village of Hopkins Council held in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267 on March 14 2022 at 7:30p.m.; that a quorum of the Village Council was present and voted upon said Resolution as set forth in the minutes of said meeting which were kept and have been or will be made available as required by said Open Meetings Act.

[Signature]
President, Village of Hopkins

3/14/2022
Date

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Clerk, Village of Hopkins

3-14-22
Date