Thomas Township Parks & Recreation Commission
Regular Meeting Minutes to be conducted via electronic remote access
In accordance with the Michigan law
Will be implemented in response to covid-19 social distancing requirements
With limitations of the number of individuals in a meeting hall
February 22 2021
6:30p.m.

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Via Teleconference: Dial-in Number 1-844-855-4444
Meeting I.D.: 886 0929 7018
Passcode: 101928
ACCESS CODE: 4822336
8215 Shields Drive

- 1. The regular commission meeting was called to order at 6:32p.m. by Chairman, Branch
- PRESENT VIA PHONE: Branch, Sova, Hoffman, Alworden, Aimar, Rusch ABSENT: Craig Blower
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance was recited
- Approval of (date) meeting minutes: Alworden Motioned to approve/Hoffman seconded Ayes: Rusch, Sova, Branch, Aimar, Alworden, Hoffman Absent: Nays: Abstain:
- 5. Approval of Expenditures: Aloworden Motioned to approve/Rusch seconded

Ayes: Hoffman, Sova, Alworden, Rusch, Aimar, Branch

Absent: Nays: Abstain:

- 6. Public Comment: None
- 7. Public Hearing:
 - a. Public hearing for the 2021 Trust Fund Grant application for the construction of walking trails, observation decks, interpretive signs and seating areas located at the Nature Preserve property 6660 Gratiot Rd. No comment, Branch Closed.
 - Public Hearing for the 2021 Land and Water Conservation Grant for the construction of walking trails observation decks, interpretive signs, and seating areas located at the Nature Preserve property 6660 Gratiot Rd. No comment, Branch Closed.
- 8. New Business:

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- a. Approve the grant resolution 21-01P for the application of a Michigan Land and Water Conservation Grant for construction of observation decks and walking trails at Nature Preserve property. See attachment.
- b. Approve the grant resolution 21-02P for the application of a Michigan Trust Fun Grant for construction of observation decks and walking trails at Nature Preserve property. See attachment.

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a. None

10. Reports:

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11. Adjournment:

Ayes:

Absent:

Nays:

Abstain:

Craig Aimar, Secretary

2-23-21

Dated

The next regular Park Commission Meeting will be Monday (Date) (Time) at the Public Safety Administration Building, 8315 Shields Drive, Saginaw MI 48609.