

**Freedom Township  
Synopsis Board Meeting Minutes  
September 11, 2007**

Supervisor Little called the regular board meeting to order at 8:00 p.m. Board members Little, Alexa, Haeussler, Horning & Weidmayer were present. August 14, 2007 regular board minutes, and Treasurer's report were approved.

**Communications:** A letter from MTA states that the HB 4780 is still not off the table, this bill could affect over 80% of the townships in Michigan. Freedom Township Board continues to contact our representatives in Lansing to discard this bill.

**Public Partication:** A resident asked about the Waters Road Bridge. The road commission has said the timbers are on order and the date to repair the bridge will be in December. Another resident has called the road commission about Parker road not being grated. The supervisor has spoken with the road commission and they are waiting to grate the road until after the culvert is rebuilt.

**Planning Commission:** Washtenaw County parks proposal driveway was rejected due to site distance. Private wastewater treatment ordinance was tabled. Wireless communications tabled. Update on Barrett Lake with the State MDEQ office, draft 4 is being prepared. Growth management plan the land use table will be updated with one dated in 2000. Natural Feature ordinance samples were discussed.

**Ordinance Enforcement:** One call about noise on the west end of the lake over the weekend. The garage on Elmdale is slowly being cleaned up.

**Zoning Inspector:** Three zoning permits were issued; a pole barn on Pleasant Shore Drive, a garage on Hieber and an addition on Happy Hollow Drive. A new address at 9700 Ellsworth.

**Library Report:** Friends meeting will be September 24<sup>th</sup>. There will be a presenter from the State of Michigan explaining basic investment terminology September 22<sup>nd</sup>. The library has signed Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel to perform its annual audit.

**Clerks Report:** There is a possibility of four elections in 2008, with the primary being moved to January 15, 2008.

**Business:** Motion to approve the removal of a paragraph in the approved final draft of the Joint planning commission. Motion passed. Warrants were approved.

The Freedom Township Board went into closed session at 8:54 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

Jennifer Alexa

Freedom Township Clerk

Approved by Robert Little, Supervisor