

Charter Township of Ypsilanti

RESOLUTION 2021-29

RESOLUTION APPROVING CONTRACT
AND AUTHORIZING NOTICE
(Snow Road Improvements)

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Township Board (the “Governing Body”) of the Charter Township of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan (the “Township”), held on the 16th day of November, 2021, at 7:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time.

PRESENT: Members: _____

ABSENT: Members: _____

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Member _____ and supported by Member _____:

WHEREAS, it is necessary to acquire and construct certain wastewater system improvements, consisting of the acquisition, construction and installation of improvements to the Snow Road sanitary sewer main in the Township, including installation of a new sanitary sewer parallel to the existing pipe, together with all necessary appurtenances and attachments thereto, to serve the Township (the “Improvements”); and

WHEREAS, a Contract has been prepared between the Township and the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority (the “Authority”) whereby the Authority will issue its bonds (the “Bonds”) on behalf of the Township to provide for the financing of the Township’s share of the cost of the acquisition, construction and installation of the Improvements; and

WHEREAS, this Governing Body has carefully reviewed the Contract and finds that it provides the best means for accomplishing the acquisition and construction of the Improvements and for providing the needed services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

1. Approval of Contract; Effectiveness. The Contract is hereby approved and the Supervisor and the Township Clerk of the Township are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Contract for and on behalf of the Township; provided, however, that the Contract shall not become effective until the expiration of forty-five (45) days after the publication of the attached notice as a display advertisement of at least ¼ page in size in the **Washtenaw Legal News**, a newspaper of general circulation within the Township, which manner of publication is deemed by the Governing Body to be the most effective manner of informing the taxpayers and electors of the Township of the details of the proposed Contract and the rights of referendum thereunder.

2. Publication of Notice. The Clerk is directed to publish the attached notice in the newspaper above designated as soon as possible after the adoption hereof.

3. Reimbursement Declarations. The Township makes the following declarations for the purpose of complying with the reimbursement rules of Treas. Reg. § 1.150-2 pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended:

- (a) As of the date hereof, the Township reasonably expects to reimburse itself for the expenditures described in (b) below with proceeds of debt to be incurred by the Township.
- (b) The expenditures described in this paragraph (b) are for the costs of acquiring and constructing the Improvements which were or will be

paid subsequent to sixty (60) days prior to the date hereof.

- (c) The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for the Improvements, including issuance costs, shall not exceed \$6,900,000.

4. Rescission. All resolutions and parts of resolutions in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed.

AYES: Members: Stumbo, Jarrell Roe, Eldridge, Wilson, Peterson, Newman and Swanson _____

NAYS: Members: None _____

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.



Heather Jarrell Roe, Township Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, at a regular meeting held on November 16, 2021, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.



Heather Jarrell Roe, Township Clerk

NOTICE OF INTENT TO EXECUTE
TAX-SUPPORTED CONTRACT AND OF RIGHT TO
PETITION FOR REFERENDUM THEREON

TO THE TAXPAYERS AND ELECTORS OF
THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF YPSILANTI,
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Charter Township of Ypsilanti (the “Township”) has approved by resolution the execution of a contract (the “Contract”) with the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority (the “Authority”) pursuant to Act No. 233, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955, as amended, which Contract provides, among other things, that the Authority will acquire and construct certain wastewater system improvements, consisting of the acquisition, construction and installation of improvements to the Snow Road sanitary sewer main in the Township, including installation of a new sanitary sewer parallel to the existing pipe, together with all necessary appurtenances and attachments thereto, to serve the Township and will issue its bonds in the principal amount of not to exceed \$6,900,000 to finance the cost of such improvements for the Township AND THE TOWNSHIP WILL PAY TO THE AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO THE CONTRACT THE SUMS NECESSARY TO RETIRE THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS.

TOWNSHIP’S CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS

It is presently contemplated that said bonds will be in the principal amount of not to exceed \$6,900,000, will mature serially over a period of not to exceed twenty-five (25) years, and will bear interest at the rate or rates to be determined at the time of sale but in no event to exceed the maximum rate of interest per annum permitted by law on the balance of the bonds from time to time remaining unpaid. The Contract includes the Township’s pledge of its limited tax full faith and credit for the prompt and timely payment of the Township’s obligations as expressed in the Contract. THE TOWNSHIP WILL BE REQUIRED TO LEVY AD VALOREM TAXES WITHIN APPLICABLE CONSTITUTIONAL AND STATUTORY TAX LIMITATIONS ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY TO MAKE THE PAYMENTS REQUIRED TO PAY PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS IF OTHER FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE ARE NOT AVAILABLE. IT IS THE PRESENT INTENT OF THE TOWNSHIP TO USE THE REVENUES FROM THE TOWNSHIP DIVISION OF THE AUTHORITY’S SYSTEM TO MAKE THE PAYMENTS REQUIRED TO PAY PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS.

RIGHT OF REFERENDUM

The Contract will become effective and binding upon the Township without vote of the electors as permitted by law unless a petition requesting an election on the question of the Township entering into the Contract, signed by not less than 10% of the registered electors of the Township, is filed with the Township Clerk within forty-five (45) days after publication of this notice. If such petition is filed, the Contract cannot become effective without an approving vote of a majority of electors of the Township qualified to vote and voting on the question. The Contract is on file at the office of the Township Clerk.

This notice is given pursuant to the requirements of Section 8 of Act No. 233, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955, as amended. Further information concerning the details of the Contract and the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the Township Clerk’s office.

Heather Jarrell Roe
Clerk, Charter Township of Ypsilanti

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