

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF YPSILANTI
Support of Washtenaw County Office of Community and Economic Development's
Woodlawn Cemetery Restoration Plan
Resolution No. 2025-11

WHEREAS, there is a historic abandoned cemetery within the boundary of Ypsilanti Township; and,

WHEREAS, this cemetery is located on parcel K-11-21-403-001, commonly known as 7800 S Huron River Drive; and,

WHEREAS, it does not appear that there is a legal owner of this property; and,

WHEREAS, this cemetery is not active, meaning that no new burials are, or will take place on this property; and,

WHEREAS, Ypsilanti Township recognizes the historic importance of the cemetery, including the fact that many veterans and African Americans who were central to the development and history of Ypsilanti Township were buried here; and,

WHEREAS, Ypsilanti Township was approached by the Washtenaw County Office of Community and Economic Development with a Woodlawn Cemetery Restoration Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the plan brought forward looks to be well thought out and sustainable; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Ypsilanti Township Board of Trustees is in support of the Washtenaw County Office of Community and Economic Development to implement their Woodlawn Cemetery Restoration Plan.

I, Debra A. Swanson, Clerk of the Charter Township of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan hereby certifies the above resolution is a true and exact copy of Resolution No. 2025-11 approved by the Charter Township of Ypsilanti, Board of Trustees assembled at a Regular Meeting held on April 1, 2025.



Debra A. Swanson
Charter Township of Ypsilanti