

**FRUITLAND TOWNSHIP
SPECIAL MEETING
MARCH 30, 2026 MINUTES**

PRESENT – Trustee Cross, Supervisor Marcinkowski, Trustee VanOosterhout, Clerk Steffes

ABSENT- Treasurer Roggero, Trustee Brower, Trustee Holman

ALSO PRESENT – (2) two interested parties

CALL TO ORDER - Supervisor Marcinkowski called the March 30, 2026 Special Meeting to order at 6:00 PM, and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

GENDA - Motion by Clerk Steffes, second by Treasurer VanOosterhout, **ADOPTED**, to approve the March 30, 2026 Special Meeting Agenda.
Upon Voice Vote: 4 AYES – motion carried

PUBLIC COMMENT – There were none.

NEW BUSINESS –

1. 2026 – 2027 Appointments/Contracts
 - Assessor – V&V Assessing LLC - \$55,000.00 (2nd year of 3-year agreement)
 - Auditor – Brickley DeLong PC \$10,010.00 (3rd year of 3-year agreement)
 - Township Attorney – Kevin Even, Smith Haughey Rice & Roegge (\$225/hour)
 - Mechanical Inspector Jim Hoppus (\$55/inspection)
 - Plumbing Inspector Steve Smith (\$55/inspection)
 - Electrical Inspector Jeff Johnson (\$55/inspection)
 - Building Official/Inspector Val Jensen (80% of building permit fee)
 - PINS – Partnership In Neighborhood Safety (\$74,993.50)
 - MCRC/Fruitland Twp – Local Road Project Contract – (Tranquil Trail \$30,750.00)
 - D&B Brine Program – (\$12,227.50 for 2 brines)
 - Big Lake Property Services – (\$140/weekly cleaning)
 - Intergovernmental Contract for Property Code Enforcement Services – Muskegon Township (\$4,637.00/2026-27)

Motion by Clerk Steffes, second by Trustee VanOosterhout, **ADOPTED**, to approve the 2026-2027 Appointments and Contracts as written.

Roll Call Vote: Clerk Steffes **AYE**, Trustee Cross **AYE**, Trustee VanOosterhout **AYE**, Supervisor Marcinkowski **AYE**, – **motion carried**

2. Final FY 2025/2026 Budget Amendments

Motion by Supervisor Marcinkowski, second by Trustee Cross, **ADOPTED**, to approve Final FY 2025/2026 Budget Amendments.

Roll Call Vote: Clerk Steffes **AYE**, Trustee Cross **AYE**, Trustee VanOosterhout **AYE**, Supervisor Marcinkowski **AYE**, – **motion carried**

3. Resolution 2026-16 General Appropriations Fiscal Year 2026-2027

Motion by Supervisor Marcinkowski, second by Trustee Cross, **ADOPTED**, to approve Resolution 2026-16 General Appropriations Fiscal Year 2026-2027.

Roll Call Vote: Clerk Steffes **AYE**, Trustee Cross **AYE**, Trustee VanOosterhout **AYE**, Supervisor Marcinkowski **AYE**, – **motion carried**

4. Adopt the 2026/2027 General Fund Budget

Motion by Trustee VanOosterhout, second by Trustee Cross, **ADOPTED**, to adopt the FY 2026-2027 General Fund Budget.

Roll Call Vote: Clerk Steffes **AYE**, Trustee Cross **AYE**, Trustee VanOosterhout **AYE**, Supervisor Marcinkowski **AYE**, – **motion carried**

5. Senior Millage Allocations

Motion by Supervisor Marcinkowski, second by Trustee Cross, **ADOPTED**, to approve the 2026-2027 Senior Millage Allocations as follows:

\$6,000 – White Lake Senior Center

\$5,000- AgeWell Services

\$17,734 Senior Vouchers

\$9000 Ecology Station Punch Cards (\$20)

\$2,750 Muskegon Farmer's Market (\$10)

\$4,784 Montague Farmer's Market (\$10)

\$1,200 WRLS Tickets (1 or 2 \$8 tickets)

\$4000 Senior Event

Roll Call Vote: Clerk Steffes **AYE**, Trustee Cross **AYE**, Trustee VanOosterhout **AYE**, Supervisor Marcinkowski **AYE**, – **motion carried**

PUBLIC COMMENT –

Brief discussion regarding the road brining process.

BOARD COMMENTS/DISCUSSION –

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Trustee VanOosterhout, second by Trustee Cross,
ADOPTED, to adjourn the March 30, 2026 Special Meeting of the
Township of Fruitland at 6:22 PM.

*Upon Voice Vote: **4 AYES – motion carried***

Respectfully Submitted,

Alexa Steffes, Clerk
Township of Fruitland