GERRISH TOWNSHIP SPECIAL MEETING March 12, 2013

Special meeting called to d	order at	6:30pm
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Present: Supervisor Homola, Clerk Valentino, Treasurer Tulgetske, Trustee Link and Trustee Lippert

Others present: 13 citizens

Motion by Lippert, second by Link: CARRIED

that the Board enter into a special hearing on the 2013-2014 general budget.

The budget is based on .9654 mills generating \$270,476.46 to support the General Fund Also included in the final budget are the 2.289 Fire/EMS and 2.15 Police special assessment mileages as voted and approved in August 2013. Board priorities included allocation of expenditures to ensure maintenance of current services, focus on improving parks and recreations and concentrated efforts to finish the five year road improvement plan. No raises for employees or elected and appointed officials were sought. General Fund, Cemetery, Parks and Recreation, Community Park Marina, Bond Payments and Sanitation were presented to the public for review and comment.

Questions Asked: Citizens questions centered on current outstanding bonds, line items and budgeting for technology purposes and potential to be compliant with Windows upgrades.

Board Explanations: Community Park Marina is the only bond the Township pays and these payments are made strictly from revenues earned at the marina. Police and Fire/EMS have specific line items for technology/computers but general fund dissipates this through each individual cost center.

Motion by Lippert, second by Tulgetske: CARRIED that the Board exit the special hearing on the 2013-2014 budget.

Public Comment and Announcements: None

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Jodi Valentino, Clerk	Frank Homola, Supervisor
Approval	