

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON
TOWNSHIP OF COHOCTAH

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Livingston County Drain Commissioner, has advised the Cohoctah Township Board of Trustees that, pursuant to Section 196 of the Michigan Drain Code (MCL 280.196; MSA 11.1196), an inspection has been made of the Madden Drain, and it has been determined, as a result of the inspection, that certain maintenance must be performed upon the Drain;

WHEREAS, the inspection performed indicates that maintenance and repair on the Drain is necessary to provide adequate drainage;

WHEREAS, the Livingston County Drain Commissioner has the authority to expend Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00) per mile in any one (1) year for the maintenance of the Drain, and where it is estimated that expenditures in excess of Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00) per mile are necessary, those amounts may not be expended until approved by Resolution of the governing body of each township, city and village affected by more than twenty percent (20%) of the cost;

WHEREAS, the Livingston County Drain Commissioner, has advised the Cohoctah Township Board of Trustees that it will be necessary to expend funds in excess of Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00) per mile for the maintenance of the Madden Drain and that Cohoctah Township is affected by more than twenty percent (20%) of the cost; and

WHEREAS, the Livingston County Drain Commissioner estimates that the cost for the maintenance of the Madden Drain will be approximately twenty five thousand Dollars (\$25,000), which constitutes ten thousand Dollars (\$10,000) in excess of the authorized Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00) per mile.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Cohoctah Township Board of Trustees, that pursuant to Section 196 of the Drain Code, the Livingston County Drain Commissioner is authorized to expend money

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for the interim maintenance and repair of the Madden Drain in excess of Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00) per mile and, to the extent that the drain fund for the Drain contains insufficient funds for the payment of costs incurred for the maintenance or repair of the Drain, then the Livingston County Drain Commissioner is authorized to levy a special assessment, as allowed by law.

RESOLUTION approved this _____ day of _____, 2023, by the Cohoctah Township Board of Trustees, governing body of Cohoctah Township.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COHOCTAH TOWNSHIP

By: _____

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting Clerk of Cohoctah Township, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of certain proceedings taken by the Cohoctah Township Board of Trustees at a meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2023.

Clerk _____