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## Office of the Supervisor

202 February 12, 2029

Dear Pittsfield Township Resident:

You are receiving this letter because you live in close proximity to the proposed Platt Road Greenway, Phase II project (PRGII).

This letter is a follow-up to my May 18, 2020 letter wherein I invited you to attend a public forum to share the initial design for the PRG II project.

Since the June 2020 public forum, we have been working with you, area residents, and the Washtenaw County Road Commission to accommodate your input/concerns while outlining a safe multi-use pathway design.

In order to share these design updates and ensure we are fully engaging with you, the residents, we are hosting another public forum. This virtual forum is scheduled for March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 pm.

We will share a presentation with you on the current design and then follow-up with a public discussion to answer your questions. Meeting details, including information on how to access the virtual meeting, will be posted at: <a href="http://www.pittsfield-mi.gov/PRGII">http://www.pittsfield-mi.gov/PRGII</a>

If you are unable to attend the meeting, please note that we will upload the presentation to the above-noted webpage, which you can view at your convenience and contact us with your input/questions.

It is my sincere hope that each of you is taking care and keeping well. Please don't ever hesitate to contact me directly with any questions/concerns at: <a href="mailto:supervisor@pittsfield-mi.gov">supervisor@pittsfield-mi.gov</a>

Best regards,

Mandy Grewal, Ph.D.

Supervisor



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#### Dear Resident:

I have been working with you and your neighborhood since 2016 to make available a public park in a part of Pittsfield (northwest) that no one ever prioritized before. I want to begin by thanking you for your patience and partnership because the land acquisition for the park has dragged on for five years!! To recap:

- 1. The 2016 Master Planning process made clear the need for park space in northwest Pittsfield
- 2. 2017-2018: Supervisor's Office worked with private and government partners to first identify a parcel and, then, acquire funding to purchase the same
- 3. 2019-2020: Worked with MDNRE and EGLE to conduct environmental/soil testing to finalize purchase and ensure safe use of the land for park and recreational purposes

In my May 2016 letter to you, I informed you that the Board of Trustees' supported my suggestion to acquire the property at the southwest corner of Waters and Oak Valley as a public park. In my September 2019 letter to you, I informed you of the meeting wherein I was requesting the Board of Trustees to counter the Park Commission's decision not to purchase the property and support its purchase. In my September 2020 letter to you, I informed you of about an upcoming presentation on the proposed development of the parcels adjacent to the proposed park. At this time:

- 1. MDRNE/EGLE have approved the parcel, now owned by Pittsfield Township, for park use
- 2. A private developer, Robertson Brothers, is seeking to develop the three parcels between Hawthorne Ridge subdivision and the proposed park. Last month, they proposed swapping a larger portion of those three parcels (approx. 4.5 acres) for the corner Township parcel (approx. 4.0 acres)

The main reason I have unwavering advocated for park land purchase in northwest Pittsfield is to provide relief from the intense development in a part of our community that has, since 1990s, been at the front-end of the same. As such, the corner parcel is well-suited to provide for that visual and aesthetic relief. However, the busy corner and its small size do not lend itself well to many recreational uses. Given these and other issues that may be of importance to you, I sincerely hope you will be able to attend the virtual public forum being hosted by us on **March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm** so we may: (1) Understand your position before responding to Robertson Brothers' proposal; and (2) Clarify/update your priorities for park development

For details on attending the forum, please go to: <a href="http://www.pittsfield-mi.gov/WOV">http://www.pittsfield-mi.gov/WOV</a>. If you are unable to attend the forum, we will post the presentation at this same webpage. In addition, please feel free to contact me with questions/input/feedback at: <a href="mailto:grewalm@pittsfield-mi.gov">grewalm@pittsfield-mi.gov</a>; 734-822-3136. You have been an integral part of shaping your neighborhood's future, especially in the last five years and I want to thank you for it. My advocacy and vision only work when I know I am working on your behalf.

Best regards,

Mandy Grewal, Ph. D.

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Mandy Grewal, Supervisor

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Mandy Grewal PH.D., Supervisor

**FROM:** Craig Lyon, Director of Utilities and Municipal Services

**DATE:** February 12, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Digital Speed Display (DSD) Sign Program

Attached is the proposed schedule and location map for a spring roll-out of the DSD sign Program. Sign placements in this program have been strategically placed taking into account seasonal traffic patterns to ensure greatest level of effectives during the presence of a sign in the neighborhood. However, placement of signs is subject to change due to unforeseen conditions such as construction and availability of existing signage for mounting DSD signs to.

As identified in the attached schedule, all locations requested during the DSD Public Forum have been accounted for. The schedule also includes the proposed install date for the described sign location and a removal date which will be completed in the field approximately one month after the install date per WCRC requirements.

Any questions, please let me know.



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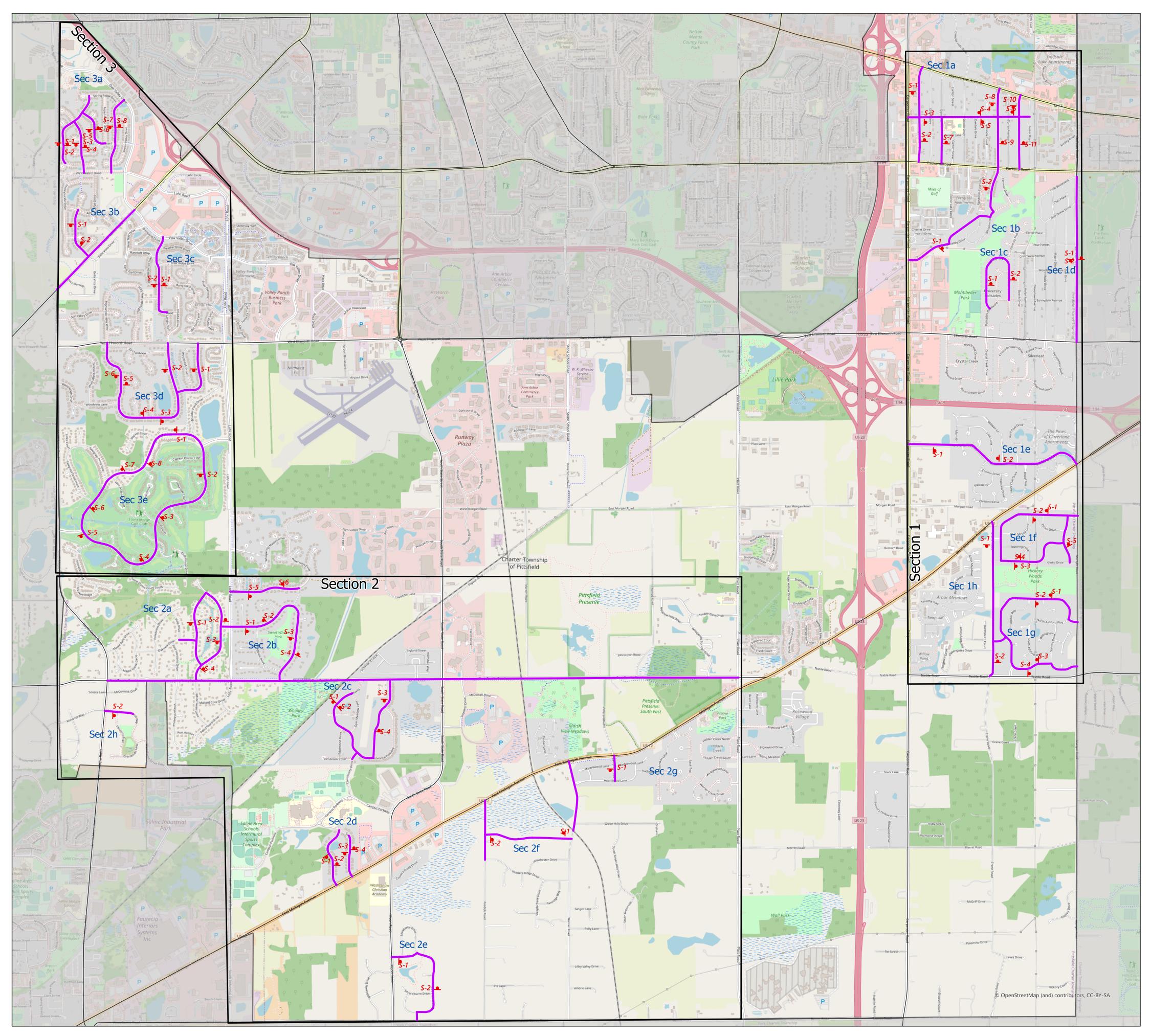
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2021 Township Wide DSD (Dynamic Speed Dispay) Sign Program					
	Sub Section Number	Sign Numbers	Description		Date Removed
Section 1	Section 1a	S-1; S-2	Crystal - Washtenaw to Packard	April	
Section 1	Section 1a	S-3	Grant and Central	April	
Section 1	Section 1a	S-4; S-5; S-6	Central Blvd - Carpenter to Foster	May	
Section 1	Section 1a	S-7	Dayton - Central to Packard	June	
Section 1	Section 1a	S-8; S-9	Hawks - Packard to Washtenaw	June	
Section 1	Section 1a	S-10; S-11	Deake - Washtenaw to Packard	July	
Section 1	Section 1b	S-1; S-2	Packard and Hawks to Blossom and Knollcrest to Center Valley and Carpenter	Aug	
Section 1	Section 1c	S-1; S-2	Pallisades and Fieldcrest	Sept	
Section 1	Section 1d	S-1; S-2	Golfside - Cole to Ellsworth	Oct	
Section 1	Section 1e	S-1; S-2	Cloverlane - Carpenter to Michigan	2022	
Section 1	Section 1f	S-1; S-2	Hickory Pointe - Munger to Blue Spruce	2022	
Section 1	Section 1f	S-3; S-4	Hickory Pointe - Munger to Blue Spruce	2022	
Section 1	Section 1f	S-5	Buckley - Ginko to Hickory Pointe	July	
Section 1	Section 1g	S-1; S-2	Sycamore - Crane to Munger	2022	
Section 1	Section 1g	S-3; S-4	Cottonwood - Crane to Munger	2022	
Section 1	Section 1h	S-1; S-2	Crane - Michigan to Textile	April	
Section 2	Section 2a	S-1	Lakeshore - Lohr Lake to W Textile	Aug	
Section 2	Section 2a	S-2; S-3; S-4	Lohr Lake - Lakeshore to W Textile	Sept	
Section 2	Section 2b	S-1; S-2	N Silo Ridge - Lohr Lake to Evergreen	June	
Section 2	Section 2b	S-3; S-4	E Silo Ridge - Evergreen to W Textile	July	
Section 2	Section 2b	S-5; S-6	Waterways - Lohr to Evergreen	Aug	
Section 2	Section 2c	S-1; S-2	Bicentennial - Gyer Meadows to Wilson	Sept	
Section 2	Section 2c	S-3; S-4	Wilson - W Textile to Bicentennial	Oct	
Section 2	Section 2d	S-1; S-2	Wapiti - Campus to E Michigan	April	
Section 2	Section 2d	S-3; S-4	Suncrest - Wapiti to E Michigan	May	
Section 2	Section 2e	S-1: S-2	Moon and Northern Dancer to Secretariat and Bemis	Oct	
Section 2	Section 2f	S-1; S-2	Tamarack - Warner to Fosdick	2022	
Section 2	Section 2g	S-1	Campbell - E Michigan to Heartwood	June	
Section 2	Section 2h	S-2	Windmill to N Maple	July	
Section 3	Section 3a	S-1: S-2	Mystic - Spring Ridge to Cliffside	Sept	
Section 3	Section 3a	S-3; S-4	Cook Creek - Mystic to W Waters	May	
Section 3	Section 3a	S-5; S-6	Boulder Ridge - Mystic to Aspen Ridge	June	
Section 3	Section 3a	S-7; S-8	Silver Spring - Oak Valley to W Waters	July	
Section 3	Section 3b	S-1; S-2	Tiger Lily - Aspen Ridge to Ann Arbor Saline	Aug	
Section 3	Section 3c	S-1; S-2	Burnham - Oak Valley to Landin	April	
Section 3	Section 3d	S-1	Spring Lake - W Ellsworth to Westbrook	April	
Section 3	Section 3d	S-2; S-3	E Lake Forest - Ellsworth to Lakeside Ct	Oct	
Section 3	Section 3d	S-4; S-5; S-6	W Lake Forest - Ellsworth to Westpark Ct	2022	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-1	N Stonebridge - Bay Hill Ct to E Stonebridge	May	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-2	S Stonebridge - Lone Oak Ct to E Stonebridge	June	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-3	S Stonebridge - E Stonebridge to Doral Ct	July	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-4	S Stonebridge - Club House to S Prairie Dunes	Aug	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-5	S Stonebridge - Pinnacle Ct to W Stonebridge	Sept	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-6	S Stonebridge - W Sawgrass to W Stonebridge	Oct	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-7	N Stonebridge - Saint Andrews to Doral Ct	2022	
Section 3	Section 3e	S-8	N Stonebridge - Doral Ct to Bay Hill Ct	2022	



# **Dynamic Speed Display (DSD)**





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February 2021

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# Washtenaw County Treasurer Declares Tax Foreclosure Moratorium for Occupied Properties During Pandemic

Catherine McClary, Washtenaw County Treasurer, declared a moratorium from tax foreclosure for occupied properties this year. Tax foreclosure occurs annually by state law in February and property owners have until March 31 to redeem their property from foreclosure or face eviction. This year's tax foreclosure judicial hearing occurs next week.

"Last year," McClary explained, "the pandemic had just begun after all the tax foreclosure hearings took place and March 31 was coming up quickly. The Governor's Office reached out to me and we agreed to extend the tax foreclosure redemption deadline to June 30 on a statewide basis. This year the pandemic is still ongoing, and we have tenant eviction moratoriums in place, so it only makes sense to extend the tax foreclosure deadline until next year."

She knows homeowners, landlords, and small business owners faced special difficulties this past year with job losses, an inability to pay rent, or an inability to remain open for business. There is a legal process for a County Treasurer to establish Financial Hardship extensions for properties that face tax foreclosure. McClary used this process to amend the Financial Hardship Policy to include:

In 2021 during the COVID-19 pandemic, for tax years 2018 and prior, the Washtenaw County Treasurer is withholding all OCCUPIED property from tax foreclosure, regardless of Principal Residence Exemption status or classification, for financial hardship in alignment with state and federal laws (including the federal CARES Act), executive orders, and Michigan state court

administrative orders (including Michigan State Court Administrative Order No. 2020-17) addressing evictions during the COVID-19 pandemic.

For the full text of the policy, or for additional help to help get caught up on property tax payments go to <a href="www.Washtenaw.org/Treasurer">www.Washtenaw.org/Treasurer</a>. To make a secure property tax payment, go to <a href="www.Washtenaw.org/PAY">www.Washtenaw.org/PAY</a>. The Treasurer accepts partial payments.

McClary and her staff work with a variety of other community organizations to provide referrals, resources, income tax preparation, budget and debt counseling without charge. They created robust programs, including a County revolving loan fund, Bridge Loans to Affordability, to assist homeowners. The initial funding for the Bridge Loan Fund, and its partner program, Home for Generations, was provided by the Board of Commissioners in their 2018 Budget process. The Board has been supportive of the Treasurer's foreclosure prevention efforts for more than two decades. "Their advocacy and support reinforce the impact of this tax foreclosure moratorium," said McClary.

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