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Board of Trustees Minutes for a Working Session Held September 28, 2022

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Synopsis of a Work Session

Pittsfield Charter Township Board of Trustees, September 28, 2022 E.A. Jackson Morris Hall, The Robert A. Lillie Service Center 6201 W. Michigan Avenue, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108

Members Present: Anzaldi, Scribner, Edwards-Brown, Jaffer, Krone, Urda-Thompson

Members Absent: Grewal

Others Present: Recording Clerk Kaly Coburn, Director Best, Director Harshberger,

Commissioner Sanders, Christina Lirones, Kathe Wunderlich, Andy

McGill

Call Working Session to Order

Working Session was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Agenda Items to be Discussed:

1. Update on the Ann Arbor Airport runway expansion by the Committee for Preserving Community Quality, Kathe Wunderlich & Andy McGill

Clerk Anzaldi opened the discussion for an update on the Ann Arbor Airport runway expansion by members of the Committee for Preserving Community Quality, Kathe Wunderlich and Andy McGill.

Ms. Wunderlich provided a history of the project that has been ongoing since 2009 and introduced Andy McGill.

Mr. McGill began by discussing Ann Arbor's plans to expand the Airport runway in May of 2004 and the submission to Michigan Department of Transportation for approval in 2007 by Ann Arbor Council. The plans were submitted and approved by the Federal Aviation Administration. Mr. McGill stated that Pittsfield was not notified until 61 days after the approval which foreclosed the Townships ability to take it to court.

Mr. McGill said that in September of 2008 funds were approved to conduct an environmental assessment as required by the FAA. The Committee for Preserving Community Quality began working with Pittsfield Township in 2009 to respond to the issues relating to the Airport expansion. In February of 2010, the first draft of the environmental assessment was issued and due to lingering issues, the FAA required an additional environmental assessment which was completed in January of 2017. The Committee for Preserving Community Quality responded. (The Response Binder is located at the Clerk's Office at 6201 W. Michigan Avenue.)

Mr. McGill stated the third environmental assessment will likely be issued within the next month, which allows only 30 days after being issued for a response to MDOT

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and the FAA. He notes the main issues within the response are of safety and children's health including noise and exposure to leaded gasoline. He said if the expansion is approved planes will be landing 93 ft. over houses on Lohr Road.

Clerk Anzaldi thanked Mr. McGill and Ms. Wunderlich for presenting the updated information on the Ann Arbor Airport runway expansion.

The Working session adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

Kaly Coburn, Recording Clerk
Pittsfield Charter Township

Michelle L. Anzaldi, Clerk
Pittsfield Charter Township

Mandy Grewal, Supervisor Pittsfield Charter Township