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WORK SESSION MARCH 27, 2019

1. 2019 Gypsy Moth Spray Blocks
2. Open Meetings Act/Transparency
3. Building Emergency/Catastrophic Weather Closure Policy
4. Up North Prevention Building Rental

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AGENDA MARCH 27, 2019

1. Meeting Called to Order by Robert E. Schneider – 10:00 a.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call of Board Members
4. Approval of Agenda
5. Public Comment – Please limit to 5 minutes/person
6. Administrator/Controller Report
7. Correspondence
 - a. Cheboygan County Board of Commissioners
8. Monthly Department Reports – Gypsy Moth, Economic Development Committee Corp.
9. Visitors
10. Unfinished Business/New Business
11. Motions/Resolutions
12. Committee Reports
13. Public Comment – Please limit to 5 minutes/person
14. Adjournment



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MOTIONS MARCH 27, 2019

- 1. Move to appoint Richard Shutter to the Roscommon County Jury Board for a six (6) year term to expire April 30, 2025.**
- 2. Move to appoint Ken Elmore to the Roscommon County Jury Board for a six (6) year term to expire April 30, 2025.**
- 3. Move to appoint Carolyn Pietchak to the Roscommon County Jury Board for a six (6) year term to expire April 30, 2025.**
- 4. Move to adopt the ‘Paid Medical Leave’ policy effective March 27, 2019. (see attached)**
- 5. Move to adopt the “Requirements to Petition Change to Lake Level Control Structures and Legal Levels Resolution”:**

REQUIREMENTS TO PETITION CHANGE TO LAKE LEVEL CONTROL STRUCTURES AND LEGAL LEVELS RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, as outlined under Part 307, Inland Lake Levels, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451 as amended (the Act), lake levels were established for Higgins Lake, Houghton Lake and Lake St. Helen to protect public health, welfare, and safety and for the conservation of natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners, as required by the Act, is the delegated authority of the county in regards to lake level and lake level control structure maintenance; and

WHEREAS, MCL 324.30702 et seq. provides that the County Board of Commissioners in which an inland lake is located may, upon the board's own motion, or shall within 45 days following receipt of a petition to the board of 2/3 of the owners of lands abutting the inland lake, initiate action to take the necessary steps to cause to be determined the normal level of the inland lake; and



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WHEREAS, the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners believes that lake usage and home values will be best represented by obtaining a majority opinion of those land owners outlined in the Act as being needed to petition for legal lake levels; and

WHEREAS, MCL 324.30703 further provides that the County Board of Commissioner may require a cash payment from the petitioners sufficient to cover the actual preliminary study costs or \$10,000.00, whichever is less.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners shall require a petition of two-thirds of the owners of land abutting the lake prior to considering any public requests to initiate any change(s) to the existing lake level control structures and/or legal lake levels of Higgins Lake, Houghton Lake and Lake St. Helen.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that before a preliminary study is conducted, the Roscommon County Board of Commissioners will require a cash payment from the petitioners sufficient to cover the actual preliminary study costs or \$10,000.00, whichever is less.