

APPROVED
PROCEEDINGS OF THE ALLENDALE
TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MAY SESSION 2nd DAY

The Allendale Township Board of Trustees met at the Allendale Township Auditorium, located at 6676 Lake Michigan Drive, on Tuesday, May 26, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. and was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mr. Elenbaas.

Present at Roll Call: Mr. MacDonald; Ms. Hansen; Mr. Zeinstra; Ms. Schuitema; Mr. Smit; Mr. Vander Wall; and Mr. Elenbaas. (7)

Absent at Roll Call: None (0)

Staff and Guests Present: Bob Sullivan, Legal Counsel; Chad Doornbos, Public Utilities Superintendent; Josiah Schuitema; Rose McKay; Gail Roelofs; Joel Roelofs; Krista Yetzke; Steve Yetzke; Marcia Hoekstra; and Sarah Avink.

Ms. Schuitema pronounced the invocation.

Mr. Elenbaas led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

BOT 26-077 Mr. MacDonald with support from Mr. Vander Wall moved to approve the agenda of today as presented. The motion passed.

BOT 26-078 Mr. Vander Wall with support from Mr. MacDonald moved to approve the following Consent Resolutions:

1. To approve the Minutes of the May 11, 2026, Board of Trustees meeting as presented.
2. To approve the general claims in the amount of \$2,219,561.10 and interim payments of \$199,925.26, as presented by the summary report for May 26, 2026.

The motion passed.

Items Received for Information

1. Notice of Hire: Seasonal Maintenance Assistant, Mason Mellenberger; Seasonal Maintenance Assistant, Jacob Babcock; and Seasonal Public Utilities Assistant, Jett Galloway.

Public Hearings- None

Public Comments

Comments were received from:

1. Gail Roelofs, Allendale, MI
2. Joel Roelofs, Allendale, MI
3. Marcia Hoekstra, Allendale, MI

BOT 26-079 Mr. Elenbaas with support from Mr. Smit moved to close public comment. The motion passed.

Guest Speakers- None

Action Items

BOT 26-080 Mr. Zeinstra with support from Mr. MacDonald moved to approve and authorize the Clerk/Supervisor to sign Ordinance 2026-06: Zoning Code Adoption Ordinances; an ordinance to codify and revise the zoning ordinances previously adopted by Allendale Charter Township; making certain changes in previously adopted ordinances; and provide for an effective date. The motion passed.

BOT 26-081 Mr. Elenbaas introduced Ordinance 2026-07: Township Moratorium Ordinance; an ordinance to protect the public health, safety, and welfare by establishing regulations relating to a limited moratorium on considering applications for data centers, battery storage facilities, large scale solar farms; and wind farms in Allendale Charter Township while the township completes a study of ordinances and regulations pertaining thereto; to provide for severability; to repeal ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith; and to provide for an effective date; for its first reading.

Discussion Items

The board discussed various Town Center Planning topics and potential next steps.

Public Comments

Comments were received from:

1. Sarah Avink, Allendale, MI

BOT 26-082 Mr. Elenbaas with support from Ms. Schuitema moved to close public

comment. The motion passed.

Board Comments

Ms. Schuitema thanked those in attendance for joining the meeting today.

Mr. Zeinstra requested that additional Planning Commissioners be trained on the audio/video meeting equipment and to check on the Wi-Fi connection issues.

Mr. MacDonald provided a brief overview of conversations of ground water impacts that relate to data centers, etc.

Ms. Hansen informed the board that election preparations are underway and expressed the need for more election inspectors.

BOT 26-083 Mr. Vander Wall, with support from Ms. Schuitema moved to recess the meeting at 6:37 p.m. to relocate to the Wastewater Treatment Plant, located at 11624 40th Avenue, Allendale Mi. 49401, for the purpose of touring the Water Resource Recovery Facility. The motion passed.

Ms. Schuitema left the meeting at 6:45 p.m.

The board reconvened at 7:03 p.m. and toured the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Those in attendance were Mr. MacDonald; Ms. Hansen; Mr. Zeinstra; Mr. Smit; Mr. Vander Wall; Mr. Elenbaas; Bob Sullivan, Legal Counsel; Chad Doornbos, Public Utilities Superintendent; Garry Scholten, Water Supervisor; Gary Nestle, Wastewater Supervisor; Whitney Elenbaas; Krista Yetzke; and Steve Yetzke.

BOT 26-084 Mr. Vander Wall, with support from Mr. MacDonald moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m. The motion passed.



Jody L. Hansen, Clerk
Of the Township of Allendale



Adam Elenbaas, Supervisor
Of the Township of Allendale