

**DAVISON TOWNSHIP
DOWNTOWN DISTRICT AUTHORITY
March 3, 2026**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kelly Smith, Jim Slezak, Tom Wright, Jackie Hoist, Todd Ferguson, Zak Hawley

MEMBERS ABSENT: Casey Clark, Kurtis McMahan, Craig Stefanko, Bill Delzer

OTHERS PRESENT: None

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Davison Township DDA was called to order at 9:04 a.m. at the Davison Township Municipal Center, 1280 N. Irish Road, Davison, MI 48423.

ADOPT THE AGENDA

MOTION BY SLEZAK, SECOND BY FERGUSON to adopt the March 3, 2026, agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

PREVIOUS BOARD MINUTES

MOTION BY FERGUSON, SECOND BY SMITH to amend and add that the fireworks do not go past the tree line and then adopt the minutes from February 3, 2026. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVE BOARD BILLS

MOTION BY HOIST, SECOND BY SMITH to approve the board bills as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment opened at 9:05 a.m. and there were no comments. Public comment period closed 9:05 a.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Discuss fireworks for the Fourth of July.

The board discussed fireworks for the Fourth of July; there is training we can do for the fireworks show; there were talks about Casey asking for more money to add to the drone show some fireworks as well; we are being asked for more money for a less of a fireworks show; board decided that they are only donating \$5,000 to the drone show as long as the Parks came up with the remaining \$15,000 for the drone show as discussed in the previous DDA meeting; how are we going to promote; personally the Fourth of July is better for fireworks show;

MOTION BY HOIST, SECOND BY WRIGHT to approve fireworks for the Fourth of July. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION BY HOIST, SECOND BY WRIGHT to approve \$20,000 for the Fourth of July fireworks.

C.I.P.

The board went over the Capital Improvement Plan; we as the board can add or take away as we would like; having this list will help in securing grants in the future.

MOTION BY HOIST, SECOND BY SMITH to add on the C.I.P. to have an outdoor restroom

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added for the walking trail. Motion carried unanimously.

The board discussed that they need to try and at least spend money that comes in from the tax base; we need to rebid the quadrants this year since the rates went up; will have Steve send out information on bidding to companies.

INFORMATIONAL

Wright – any new businesses coming in?

Slezak – there are some that will be going to the Planning Commission here soon.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION BY SMITH, SECOND BY WRIGHT to adjourn at 9:54 a.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Kurtis McMahan – DDA Secretary