

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
COUNTY OF GRATIOT, MICHIGAN

TOWNSHIP PENSION PLAN
Ordinance No. 1991-003 Rev. 2024

At a meeting of the Township Board of Washington Township, Gratiot County, Michigan, held at the Washington Township Hall on May 16, 1991, Township Board Members adopted the original Ordinance 1991-003.

Revision 2024 were made at a meeting of the Township Board of Washington Township of Gratiot County, Michigan held at the Washington Township Hall on October 18, 2024. Motion to adopt O-1991-003 Rev. 2024 was made by Nancy Rogers and supported by Eric Whitford.

An ordinance to create and establish a Township Pension Plan covering all of the elected officers and full-time employees of the Township; to authorize the Township Supervisor and the Township Clerk to contract, in the name of the Township, for such plan; to set forth respective contributions which are to be made by the Township to the plan on behalf of each elected officer or full-time employee; to ratify and affirm other types of insurance now provided for such elected officers and full-time employees; and to repeal all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, GRATIOT COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

SECTION 1: PURPOSE. Pursuant to Act 27 of the Public Acts of 1960, as amended [MCLA 41.901 et seq; MSA 5.48(1) et seq], the Township of Washington hereby creates and establishes a group pension plan to provide retirement benefits for its officers and full time employees as provided hereafter and also authorizes the Township Supervisor and the Township Clerk to contract, in the name of the Township, subject to the approval of the Township Board, with any company authorized to transact such business within the State of Michigan for such group pension plan.

SECTION 2: TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the Washington Township Pension Plan Ordinance.

SECTION 3: GROUP PENSION PLAN

- A.** The group pension plan created, established and contracted for under this Ordinance shall provide the following contribution formula in arriving at the amount of the monthly contribution for each elected official and full-time employee to be made to the plan: The monthly contribution for each such person shall be a total of 15% of the monthly compensation of each such person.
- B.** The monthly contributions as specified above shall be secured by 7.5% from the general fund of the Township and 7.5% from the elected officials and full-time employees' monthly

compensation and paid to the company which has contracted with the Township to provide the pension plan.

- C. The pension plan as approved by the Township Board shall provide for a normal retirement age for the receipt of the benefits; the accumulation of each beneficiary's pension account; the types of payments of benefits upon becoming eligible; benefits in the event of withdrawal as a result of death, total disability or termination of employment; funding and investment provisions; and payment of plan expenses.

SECTION 4: SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any part is declared invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction it shall not affect the remainder of the Ordinance which shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 5: REPEAL. All other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 6: EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective within thirty days following its publication.

Roll call vote:

YEAS: Howard Whaley, Barbara Hoffer, Kevin Whaley, Eric Whitford, Nancy Rogers

NAYS: None

ABSENT/ABSTAIN: None

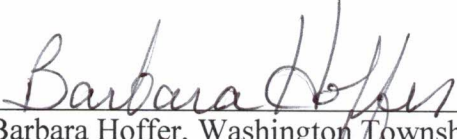
ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED: October 18, 2024

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Howard Whaley, Washington Township Supervisor Date

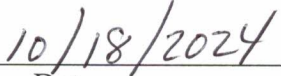
**WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
NOTICE OF ADOPTION
ORDINANCE NO. 1991-003 Rev. 2024**

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP PENSION PLAN

On October 18, 2024, the Washington Township Board adopted a revision of the Washington Township Pension Plan Ordinance No. O-1991-003 Rev. 2024, which regulates a pension plan for elected officials and full-time employees of the Township, and repeals and replaces inconsistent ordinances. The Ordinance has the following sections and catch lines: Section 1: Purpose; Section 2: Title; Section 3: Group Pension Plan; Section 4: Severability; Section 5: Repeal; and Section 6: Effective Date; which is thirty (30) days after the publication of this Notice of Adoption. A true copy of the Ordinance is available for inspection and may be obtained at the offices of Washington Township, 8989 S Baldwin Rd, Ashley, MI 48806 upon reasonable request to the Clerk's Office at (989) 847-1000.



Barbara Hoffer, Washington Township Clerk



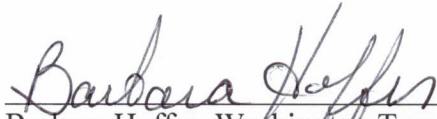
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CERTIFICATION

Original Certification was by Marilyn Whitford, Clerk of Washington Township, adopted by Washington Township on the 16th day of May in the year 1991. A summary of the Ordinance was duly published in The Advertiser, a newspaper that circulates within Washington Township, on May 28, 1991. A copy O-1991-003 with the certification can be found in the Township Book of Ordinances.

CERTIFICATION

I, Barbara Hoffer, Clerk of Washington Township, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the Pension Ordinance No. 1991-003 Rev. 2024 adopted by Washington Township on the 18th day of October in the year 2024. A summary of the Ordinance was duly published in the Gratiot County Herald, a newspaper that circulates within Washington Township, on October 24, 2024. Within 1 week after such publication, I recorded the Ordinance in a book of ordinances kept by me for that purpose, including the date of passage of the Ordinance, the names of the members of the Township Board voting, and how each member voted. I filed an attested copy of the Ordinance with the Gratiot County Clerk on October 24, 2024.


Barbara Hoffer, Washington Township Clerk


Date