

Board of Trustees Meeting
Charter Township of Bloomfield
March 13, 2006

PRESENT: Barnett, Buckley, Devine, Payne, Roncelli, Stefanos, Savoie
Also present, Attorney William Hampton

ABSENT: None

ITEM #6 Consider Revised 5-year Goose Round Up Resolution

Clerk Roncelli advised the Board that a Goose Round Up Resolution is required by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) to allow for the control of the Canadian Geese population. She stated that a 5-year resolution had been completed last year, but that it needed to specifically list euthanasia as an option.

Trustee Savoie asked if the geese would be removed or euthanized. Clerk Roncelli responded that the MDNR makes the decision. They (MDNR) will remove the geese to another area whenever possible.

MOTION by Stefanos and SUPPORT by Devine to APPROVE the Revised 5-year Goose Round Up Resolution.

RESOLUTION

GOOSE ROUND-UP

WHEREAS, there is an increasing need for different techniques to resolve urban geese conflicts; and

WHEREAS, nest destruction is one possible tool to control site-specific nuisance goose problems; and

WHEREAS, the birds removed may be released at other sites within or outside the State or may be disposed of by euthanasia; and

WHEREAS, the MDNR has set the forth guidelines, for those interested in receiving a permit, that allows the removal and destruction of real goose eggs to assist in goose population control; and

WHEREAS the application must be obtained from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Division (DNR Wildlife Division); and

WHEREAS a lake association, which represents property owners on the subject lake/body of water/site, can submit the appropriate forms/paperwork to

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the DNR Wildlife Division and are responsible for adhering to the appropriate DNR requirements and procedures; and

WHEREAS this Resolution includes, but is not limited to the following lake associations/lakes:

Echo Lake, Forest Lake, Gilbert Lake, Hammond Lake, Heather Lake in Chestnut Run North Subdivision, Hunter Lake, Island Lake, Kern Lake, Kirkwood Lake, Lower Long Lake, Meadow Lake, Minnow Lake, Orange Lake, Shorewood Lake, Sodon Lake, Upper Long Lake, Wabeek Country Club and Wing Lake; and

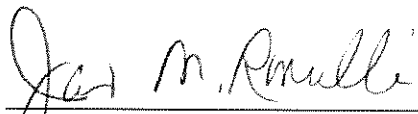
WHEREAS this Resolution submitted will be valid for a **5-year period, but the applicant must apply annually for the program** 2006 – 2011.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Charter Township of Bloomfield does hereby adopt this resolution for the control of the goose population for 2006 – 2011 on this 13th day of March 2006.

AYES: Buckley, Devine, Payne, Roncelli, Stefanos
NAYS: Barnett and Savoie

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

I, JANET M. RONCELLI, TOWNSHIP CLERK of the Charter Township of Bloomfield, County of Oakland, Michigan, do hereby certify the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Board at their regular meeting held on March 13, 2006.



JANET M. RONCELLI
TOWNSHIP CLERK