

BENTON CHARTER TOWNSHIP

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

May 18, 2026 7:04 PM

A Benton Charter Township Special Board meeting was held at the Township Hall, 5136 Windsor Hwy, Potterville, MI 48876 at on May 18, 2026

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Gary Suits led the board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Gary Suits.

Roll Call for Board Members

Included: Gary Suits-Supervisor, Carah Spadafore-Clerk, Dave Falsetta, Neal Rohrs, Scott Hoornstra, Chris Tennes- Trustees ABSENT- Karen Miller-Treasurer

RECOGNIZE VISITORS PUBLIC COMMENT

Carol Bemis, Garie Bemis, Kevin Christiansen, Robert Hipple, Regina Hipple, Jake Arndt, Casey Keast, Jan Bruce, Randy Bruce.

Public comment was offered at 7:10pm, no comment given.

Supervisor Gary read resignation letter from Treasurer Karen Miller effective as of June 1st 2026

Neal motioned to accept Karen Millers Resignation as Treasurer supported by Chris.

Motion carried unanimously.

Neal motioned to appoint Carol Bemis as treasurer supported by Scott

Roll Call VOTE: Scott - Yea, Dave- Nay, Chris-Nay, Gary- Nay, Carah- Nay, Neal-Yea.

Motion Failed 2 Yeas - 4 Nays.

Carah motioned to appoint Robert Hipple as Treasurer supported by Chris

Roll Call VOTE: Scott - Nay, Dave- Yea, Chris-Yea, Gary- Yea, Carah- Yea, Neal Nay.

Motion carried 4 Yeas - 2 Nays.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment was offered at 7:44pm, no comment given.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 7:45P.M

Carah Spadafore, Clerk