

**DAVISON AREA RECREATION PLAN
PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES
December 9, 2019**

PRESENT: Tim Elkins, Joe Madore, Andrea Schroeder, Cindy Shields, Pat Miller, Matthew Karr, Travis Howell, Matt Place, Casey Reed, Keith Pyles, Jeni Clawson, Jalene Jameson

CALL TO ORDER

The Public Hearing of the proposed Davison Area Recreation Plan was called to order at 6:30 pm at the Davison Township Municipal Center, 1280 N. Irish Road, Davison, MI 48423. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

PUBLIC HEARING

Jeni Clawson from Spicer Group gave a brief presentation of the draft Davison Area Recreation Plan. The 2020-2024 plan is for Davison Township, City of Davison, Richfield Township and Davison Community Schools. The entities have collaborated to develop this Recreation Plan to serve as a guideline for improving recreation facilities and to develop new recreational opportunities in the region. It was based on community involvement, creating maps of the recreational facilities, addressing the future needs and priorities of the area, financial assistance, goals, objectives and actions.

A five-year, Michigan Department of Natural Resources-approved Recreation Plan is necessary for the participating entities to pursue MDNR grants. Each entity must pass a resolution approving the plan. The rec plan must be submitted by February 1, 2020. Once approved by MDNR, each municipality will be eligible to apply for grant funding.

The public comment period was opened at 6:37 pm. There were no comments.

ADJOURNMENT

The public hearing was adjourned at 6:38 pm.

Submitted by:

Cindy K. Shields, Davison Township Clerk