

Cato Township Board
Meeting Minutes
September 20, 2023

The Cato Township Board met for a special meeting on Wednesday September 20, 2023, at the Lakeview Community Center.

Meeting called to order by Clark-Hubbard at 7:00pm with pledge of allegiance.

Members present: Clark-Hubbard, Behrenwald, Grieser, Myers
Members absent: Lincoln
12 members of the public present

Motion by Grieser supported by Myers to approve agenda as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

Public comment on agenda: Jamie Snyder of Cato Township, Leslie Rydahl of Pine Township, Penny Bassett of Maple Valley Township, and Kevin Murphy of Winfield Township all expressed support of a proposed resolution supporting local control of local land uses.

New Business: Clark-Hubbard read aloud a proposed resolution expressing support to maintain local control over local land uses including, but not limited to: short-term rentals, industrial solar installations, industrial wind turbine installations and sand and gravel mining.

Motion by Clark-Hubbard, supported by Myers to approve the resolution as presented. Discussion on the importance of maintaining local control in the community. Roll call vote: Clark-Hubbard – Yes, Behrenwald – Yes, Grieser – Yes, Myers – Yes. Motion carried. Approved resolution to be sent to the MTA, Senator Outman, Representative Outman, and several officials in Lansing.

Public comment: Jamie Snyder emphasized the importance of the public also reaching out to officials in Lansing.

There being no further business to come before the Board, motion by Myers, supported by Behrenwald to adjourn the meeting at 7:10pm. All in favor, motion carried.

Recorded by:

Brandi Clark-Hubbard
Township Supervisor