HOPE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING TO CONSIDER A SPECIAL EXCEPTION USE APPLICATION FOR AN ACCESSORY DWELLING LOCATED AT 6632 GURD ROAD, HASTINGS, MI 49058.

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF HOPE TOWNSHIP, BARRY COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

Notice is hereby given that the Hope Township Planning Commission will hold a meeting and Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 14th, 2025 at 6:30pm at the Hope Township Hall located at 5463 S. M-43 Hwy Hastings, Michigan 49058 within the Township.

The purpose of the meeting is to receive comments from the public regarding an application by Tim and Marilyn Bayerl for the construction of an accessory dwelling on the parcel located at 6632 Gurd Road, Hastings, MI 49058 (parcel number: 08-07-013-011-00). The property is within the AR, Agricultural/Residential zoning district. Accessory dwellings are permitted in the AR district subject to Special Exception Use approval by the Planning Commission, and as permitted by Section 10.13 and Article IV of the Hope Township Zoning Ordinance.

A copy of the Hope Township Zoning Ordinance and the application is available for review at the Hope Township Hall, 5463 S. M-43 Hwy, Hastings, Michigan 49058, during regular business hours of 9:00 a.m. through noon and 1:15 p.m. through 3:00 p.m. on Wednesdays. The Hope Township Zoning Ordinance is also accessible online at www.hopetwp.com. Written comments will be received from any interested persons by the Hope Township Clerk at the Hope Township Hall during regular business hours or via email at clerk@hopetwp.com up to the time of the hearing. Oral and written comments will be further received by the Planning Commission at the meeting.

All interested persons are invited to be present at the aforesaid time and place.

This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Hope Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed material being considered at the hearing, to individuals with disabilities at the hearing upon seven (7) days' notice to the Hope Township Clerk. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Hope Township Clerk at the address or telephone number listed below

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