

Monterey, Hopkins and Watson Township Early Voting Resolution No. 2026-01

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Hopkins Township Board of Allegan County, Michigan are held in the Hopkins Township Hall on the 12th day of January 2026 at 7:30PM.

Board Members Present: Bolser, Timmer, Alberda, Modreske, Wamhoff

Board Members Absent: None.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Board Member ___Eric Alberda_____ and supported by Board Member ___Bob Modreske_____.

Whereas the voters in Michigan on November 8, 2022, approved the passage of Proposal 22-2, which in part, entitles voters the right, once registered, to vote in each statewide and Federal election in person at an early voting site prior to election day, open for nine (9) consecutive days beginning on the second Saturday before the election and ending on the Sunday before the election, for at least eight hours each day; and

Whereas the Early Voting Precinct for all Monterey, Hopkins, and Watson Township registered voters will be held at the Hopkins Township Hall, 128 S Franklin St, Hopkins, MI, 49328, as it meets polling place requirements; and

Whereas the Early Voting precinct for State and Federal Elections will be open for nine (9) consecutive days beginning the second Saturday before election day through the Sunday before election day during the hours of 8:00AM-5:00PM and 10:00AM-7:00PM; and

Whereas the Township Clerk(s) are allowed to set additional hours for Early Voting, add additional days of Early Voting, and allow early Voting for an election that is not a statewide or Federal election by this resolution; and

Whereas all Early Voting dates and times will be posted sufficiently forty-five (45) days prior to every election to notify voters; and

Now Therefore Be It Resolved that the Township of Hopkins Board approves the establishment of the Monterey, Hopkins and Watson Township Early Voting Precinct which will be located at the Hopkins Township Hall, 128 S Franklin St, Hopkins, MI, 49328 and for the Monterey, Hopkins and Watson Township registered voters.

Vote:

Ayes: ___5_____

Nays: ___0_____

Certification of Township Clerk

I, Stacey Timmer, Township Clerk for Hopkins, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Hopkins Township Board of Hopkins Township, County of Allegan, State of Michigan, at a regular meeting held on January, 12 2026, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of the said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meeting Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of the said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

_____ *Stacey Timmer* _____

Stacey Timmer, Township Clerk