

**Proposed MINUTES OF THE WATER AND SEWER RATE ADVISORY BOARD
OF
THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD
September 15, 2016**

The meeting was called to order by David Joseph at _5:30__pm in the Charter Township of Chesterfield Municipal Offices at 47275 Sugarbush, Chesterfield, MI 48047.

Present: Kathy Noland, Paul Lafata, Joe Katich, Victor Karns, Rick Boyland, David Joseph
Absent: Ron Tobianski, Kim Pratt, David Novak, Mike Lovelock, Steve Maul, Brett Gatti, Cindy Berry

The following items were discussed:

- Meeting consisted of discussion of White Paper construction. WP topics will include synopsis of all 3 PP presentations
- Members very frustrated with lack of response from Township board
- Members expressed interest in notifying public about lack of Board support or interest in WSRAB deliberations
- Members advised by Chair that official recommendations to the Twp. Board from the WSRAB should be made during public presentations.
- Members responded by stating that they intend to speak out as individuals as is their right
- Resident "Jimmy Thompson" attended meeting and was allowed to address the WSRAB:
- Mr. Thompson indicated that he attended the meeting with the intention of advising the committee to recommend an immediate rate increase. Stated that after listening to the White Paper deliberations, his opinion changed. Mr. Thompson stated that he believes the DPW and Board should make DPW financial information much more transparent and available to the general public. Further stated that more people need to get involved.
- Next meeting set for 9/29/16 @ 5:30PM

Meeting adjourned at 6:45
Respectfully submitted,

Cindy Berry, Chesterfield Township Clerk