

Notice of Public Hearing on the Special Assessment Roll for
2026-2028 – Aquatic Weed Control Program for the Whites Beach Inner Canal
And
the Whites Beach Saginaw Bay Shoreline
Standish Township, Arenac County, Michigan

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF STANDISH TOWNSHIP, ARENAC COUNTY, MICHIGAN, OWNERS OF LAND WITHIN THE 2026-2028 – AQUATIC WEED CONTROL PROGRAM FOR THE WHITES BEACH INNER CANAL AND THE WHITES BEACH SAGINAW BAY SHORELINE AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the supervisor and assessing officer of the township has reported to the township board and filed in the office of the township clerk for public examination a special assessment roll prepared by him covering all properties within the 2026-2028 – Aquatic Weed Control Program for the Whites Beach Inner Canal and the Whites Beach Saginaw Bay Shoreline that are benefited by the application of chemical treatment, pre- and post-treatment vegetation surveys and water-quality monitoring, ongoing monitoring and maintenance throughout each treatment season, permitting, and administrative, legal, engineering costs necessary to operate the district, and other work incidental thereto (the “Improvements”). The district contains all of the parcels fronting or having deeded access to the interior canal system of the Whites Beach area which connects to Saginaw Bay and all listed parcels fronting or having deeded riparian access to the open waters of Saginaw Bay within the commonly recognized Whites Beach area of Standish Township. Said assessment roll has been prepared for the purpose of assessing a portion of the costs of the Improvements within the aforesaid assessment district as more particularly shown on the plans as prepared for the Township on file with the township clerk at 4997 Arenac State Road, Standish, Michigan 48658, within the township, which assessment is in the total amount of \$52,250.00.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the assessing officer has further reported that the assessment against each parcel of land within said district is such relative portion of the whole sum levied against all parcels of land in said district as the benefit to such parcels bears to the total benefit to all parcels of land in said district.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the township board will meet at the Standish Township Hall, located at 4997 Arenac State Road, Standish, Michigan 48658, on August 6, 2026, at 6:00 o'clock p.m. local time, for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. Said roll may be examined at the office of the township clerk during regular business hours of regular business days until the time of said hearing and may further be examined at said hearing.

Appearance and protest at the hearing held to confirm the special assessment roll is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal. An owner or party in interest, or his or her agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance or protest by letter and his or her personal appearance shall not be required. (The owner or any person having an interest in the real

property who protests in person or in writing at the hearing may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the Michigan Tax Tribunal within 30 days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll.)

Melissa Jennings, Standish Township Clerk

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