ROSS TOWNSHIP KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS AND MEETING OF ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Ross Township Zoning Board of Appeals has scheduled public hearings to be held at a regular meeting on **August 6**, **2025**, **at 5:30 P.M.** at the Ross Township Hall located at 12086 M-89 within the Township of Ross, Kalamazoo County, Michigan.

The items to be considered at this meeting include, in brief, the following:

1. Public hearing on Application for Variance of:

Tom Hemberger

168 E. Gull Lake Dr.

Subject Parcel Property Tax Identification Number: 3904-20-178-010 located in the R-1 Low Density Residential Zoning District within Ross Township.

The Applicant is proposing to construct stairs, retaining walls and a deck. The applicant is requesting variance approval for a 5' waterway setback for stairs and retaining walls and 31' for a deck where the minimum waterway setback allowed is 50'. The applicant is also requesting variance approval for 44.5% lot coverage where the maximum allowed is 32%.

2. Public hearing on the Application for Variance of:

Tom Tarik Saad

6329 North 39th St.

Subject Parcel Property Tax Identification Number: 3904-29-412-080 located in the R-R Rural Residential Zoning District within Ross Township.

The Applicant is proposing to construct a deck and stairs. The applicant is requesting variance approval for a 10' waterway setback where the minimum allowed is 108'.

3. Such other matters as may properly come before the Board.

The Ross Township Zoning Ordinance/Map and Land Use Plan, the legal descriptions of the properties involved with the above matters, and the application with supporting documents, may be examined by contacting the Ross Township Office Manager at the Township Hall during regular business hours on regular business days maintained by the Township Offices from and after the publication of this Notice, and may also be examined at the meeting.

Written comments regarding the above referenced matters may be submitted at the Township Hall prior to the meeting, and may further be submitted to the Zoning Board of Appeals at the meeting. Public comments during the meeting are welcome.

Ross Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services at the meeting to individuals with disabilities such as signers for the hearing impaired and audiotapes of printed materials

being considered, upon three (3) days' notice to the Township. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Township Office Manager as designated below.

ROSS TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS:

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