

Arlington Township Resolution in opposition to House Bill 4526, 4527 and 4528.

AT A MEETING OF THE Board of Trustees OF THE TOWNSHIP OF Arlington, Van Buren County, 52022 34th Ave., Bangor MI 49013

HELD AT 07:00p.m., On May 17 2023.

RESOLUTION: 05/02/2023

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Township of Arlington, Van Buren County, 52022 34th Ave. Bangor MI 49013 does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, In all due respect the Arlington Township Board of Trustees stand in opposition to House Bills, 4526, 4527, and 4528.

WHEREAS, This approach to the one size fits all zoning oversite is not a good fit for all townships.

WHEREAS, Arlington Township is primarily an agriculture community which is vital to the food chair of the world, not just Arlington Township.

WHEREAS, In order to facilitate the most efficient and effective remedy to these bills the Township needs and must have zoning rights and regulations.

WHEREAS, This legislation would create havoc in our township with county roads and peaceful enjoyment of our taxpayers.

WHEREAS, We have citizens who have moved to our rural township due to health problems living in a metropolitan area and should not have their lives disrupted with hazardous dust, diesel smoke and noise.

WHEREAS, school buses, public transit buses and Intermediate School buses use our township roads to transport children, senior citizens and employees to and from school, medical appointments and jobs. Adding numerous gravel train trucks would cause additional traffic which could result in accidents and loss of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY PROCLAIMED by the Board of Trustees of the Township of Arlington, Van Buren County, Bangor MI 49013 vote to stand in opposition to House Bills 4526, 4527, and 4528.

Douglas De Leo, Supervisor
Trustee Ron Klein

Treasurer Jill Sanborn
Trustee Ted Swanson Clerk Georgette Peterson