WINDSOR CHARTER TOWNSHIP ELECTION COMMISSION EATON COUNTY, MICHIGAN EARLY VOTING PLAN FOR WINDSOR CHARTER TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS RESOLUTION: 23-03

WHEREAS, Michigan electors adopted Proposal 2022-2 to amend the Michigan Constitution on November 8, 2022, which in part requires each municipality to have at least one early voting site for statewide and federal elections to accommodate early voting; and

WHEREAS, early voting consists of nine consecutive days of in-person voting starting the second Saturday before the election through the Sunday prior to the election, with eight hours of in-person voting each day; and

WHEREAS, the Michigan Secretary of State offers three options to municipalities to accommodate voters for the nine days of early voting. 1. Enter into a county agreement and authorize the county to conduct early voting, or 2. Enter into a municipal agreement and jointly conduct early voting with one or more other municipalities in the same county, or 3. Offer early voting as a single municipality; and

WHEREAS, Delta Charter Township is currently offering to administer early voting with an Early Voting Center (EVC) located in the Delta Charter Township Administration Building, Room A for any registered voter residing in Delta and Windsor Charter Townships; and

WHEREAS, A Municipal Agreement for the Conduct of Early Voting between Municipalities in Eaton County must include all of the items listed in MCL 168.720g as amended by PA 81 of 2023, and an early voting plan must be filed with the county by the coordinator of the municipal agreement and submitted to Eaton County by September 30, 2023; and.

WHEREAS, early voting dates and times will be posted sufficiently forty-five (45) days prior to every election to notify voters; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Windsor Charter Township Election Commission hereby authorizes the Windsor Charter Township Clerk to enter into a Municipal Agreement with Delta Charter Township to offer early voting to Windsor Charter Township registered voters with EVC located in Delta Charter Township Administration Building, Room A, for all statewide and federal elections.

The foregoing resolution offered by <u>Clerk Rumsey</u>

and supported by <u>Trustee Piper</u>

Roll Call Vote: Trustee Piper, <u>Aye</u>; Trustee Myers, <u>Aye</u>: Clerk Rumsey, <u>Aye</u>.

Ayes: <u>3</u>

Nays: <u>3</u>

Absent: 0

This Resolution declared adopted this <u>10th</u> Day of <u>October</u>, 2023.

Lisa A. Rumsey