

**City of North Muskegon
RESOLUTION 2016-191**

RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A LAKE BOARD
IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART 309, INLAND LAKE IMPROVEMENTS,
OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT,
PA 451 of 1994, as amended.

WHEREAS, Bear Lake is a public inland lake located in the City of North Muskegon and Laketon Township in Muskegon County, Michigan; and

WHEREAS, Bear Lake is a valuable natural resource that provides fishing, boating, and other recreational opportunities to area residents; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of a lake board for Bear Lake pursuant to Part 309, Inland Lake Improvements, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, PA 451 of 1994, as amended (hereinafter referred to as Part 309), is essential to the effective management of Bear Lake;

NOW THEREFORE, under the authority of and subject to the provisions of Part 309, **BE IT RESOLVED:**

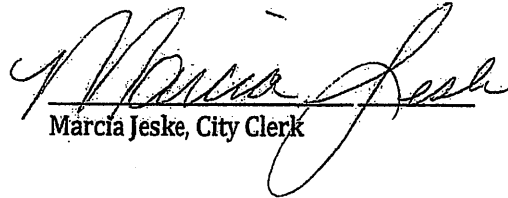
1. The City of North Muskegon does hereby create a lake board upon its own motion pursuant to Section 30902 of Part 309.
2. The Bear Lake Improvement Board shall initiate proceedings in accordance with Part 309 to implement an improvement project on Bear Lake.
3. The Bear Lake Improvement Board shall determine the scope of the project to improve conditions on Bear Lake and shall establish a special assessment district, including within the special assessment district all parcels of land and local units that will be benefited by improvements to the lake.
4. Pursuant to Section 30903 of Part 309, the Bear Lake Improvement Board shall consist of the following:
 - a) A member of the Muskegon County Board of Commissioners appointed by the chairperson of the county board of commissioners.
 - b) A representative of the City of North Muskegon.
 - c) A representative of Laketon Township.
 - d) The Muskegon County Drain Commissioner or her designee.
 - e) A member elected by the members of the lake board at the first meeting of the lake board. Only a person who has an interest in a land contract or a record interest in the title to land that abuts Bear Lake is eligible to be elected to serve in this capacity. An organization composed of and representing the majority of lakefront property owners on Bear Lake may submit up to three names to the lake board, from which the lake board shall make its selection.

At a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of North Muskegon, held on March 7, 2016 in the Council Chambers of City Hall, located at 1502 Ruddiman Drive, the foregoing

resolution was moved for adoption by Mayor Pro-tem Mogren, seconded by Council Member Closz and carried.

Yeas: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 2

Resolution declared adopted.



Marcia Jeske, City Clerk

Laketon Township
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IT IS RESOLVED:

1. The Township Board of Laketon Township does hereby create a lake board upon its own motion pursuant to Section 30902 of Part 309.
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Moved by Kane and seconded by Zaagman

Ayes Kane, Zaagman, Arter, Archer, Achterhoff

Nays 0

Abstain 0

Resolution declared adopted this 17 day of March, 2016