

**TOWNSHIP OF SCIO WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN
RESOLUTION #2023-42**

**RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS TOWNSHIP'S POSITION ON THE
APPLICATION FOR ANNEXATION BY THE CITY OF DEXTER OF
APPROXIMATELY 45 ACRES OF THE "SLOAN-KINGSLEY"
PROPERTY**

At a Regular Meeting of the Township Board of Scio Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, held at the Scio Township Hall, 827 N Zeeb Road, in said Township, on November 14, 2023, at 7:00 pm.

Members Present: Hathaway, Flintoft, Brazeau, Kerry, Reiser

Members Absent: Palmer, Knol

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Trustee Kerry and supported by Trustee Brazeau.

WHEREAS, the City of Dexter is a municipality adjacent to Scio Township; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dexter received an application dated May 17, 2023 for it to annex into the City 45 acres of property located in Scio Township, otherwise known as a portion of H-08-08-300-001; and

WHEREAS, Scio Township and the City of Dexter appointed annexation representatives to discuss the request; and

WHEREAS, the Scio Township and City of Dexter annexation representatives held several meetings to discuss the possible annexation; and

WHEREAS, Scio Township and the City of Dexter have expressed their desire to maintain their good relationship; and

WHEREAS, the Scio Township Land Preservation Commission has recommended the entire "Sloan-Kingsley" property for preservation by the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Scio Township annexation representatives have not identified the potential annexation as furthering, or meeting its goals for open space preservation or pathways; and

WHEREAS, the Scio Township Board recognizes the importance of ongoing communication with the City of Dexter regarding planning issues that cross the boundaries of our jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, after deliberation and discussion, the Scio Township Board wishes to express its official position on the annexation application to the City of Dexter.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Scio Township Board agrees that the proposed annexation request does not promote or meet Township goals of open space preservation or pathways.

AND BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED THAT, until a formal request for annexation of the property is received from the City of Dexter, Scio Township Board of Trustees declines to engage in further discussions regarding the City of Dexter's pending application dated May 17, 2023 from Baker Road Land Holdings, LLC.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YES: Hathaway, Flintoft, Brazeau, Kerry, Reiser

NO: None.

ABSENT: Palmer, Knol

ABSTAIN: None

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

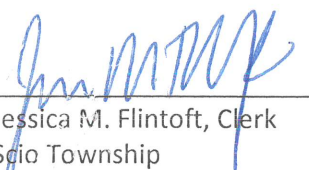


Jessica M. Flintoft,
Clerk Scio Township

DATED: November 14, 2023

CERTIFICATE

I, Jessica M. Flintoft, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of Scio Township, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting held on November 14, 2023, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.



Jessica M. Flintoft, Clerk
Scio Township

DATED: November 15, 2023