RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT AND ENDORSEMENT OF THE 2014 UPDATED PLATTE RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION PLAN:

In August, 2014 the updated PLATTE RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION PLAN was adopted by Benzie Conservation District (BCD), Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR), Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Platte Lake Improvement Association (PLIA) and numerous other governmental and conservation agencies.

And

WHEREAS: BENZONIA TOWNSHIP has previously endorsed and supported the PLATTE WATERSHED PROTECTION PLAN presented in the year 2002 and

WHEREAS: BENZONIA TOWNSHIP has always supported planning to achieve and maintain high water quality in both the Zoning Ordinances and Master Plan.

WHEREAS: BENZONIA TOWNSHIP supports ongoing efforts to protect water quality with other watershed-wide stakeholder groups to achieve designated and desired goals.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the TOWNSHIP OF BENZONIA, BENZIE COUNTY, hereby support and endorse the PLATTE RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION PLAN.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Benzie Township Clerk and/or Supervisor is hereby authorized to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to any governmental or conservation agency.
At a special Benzonia Township Board meeting held on 18 February, 2016, a motion to approve the resolution was passed.

VOTING IN FAVOR: Sheets, Burns, Priest, Barnard, Heller

VOTING AGAINST: None

The Supervisor declared the resolution adopted.

James R. Sheets
Supervisor

The undersigned, as duly elected township clerk, hereby certifies that this resolution was duly adopted by the Benzonia Township Board at a Special Board meeting held 18 February, 2016.

Diana Heller
Clerk
02/18/2016