

COUNTY OF CALHOUN
ELECTION COMMISSION

IN RE: Petition to Recall Bill Brenner
Burlington Township Trustee

DETERMINATION OF ELECTION COMMISSION

A Petition was filed with the Calhoun County Clerk seeking the recall of Burlington Township Trustee, Bill Brenner. The Election Commission met in public session on Thursday, May 30, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. and took comments and arguments on the clarity and factual nature of the petition language.

The Commission is charged with determining whether each reason stated in the petition is based upon conduct occurring during the official's current term of office, and whether each reason, "is factual and of sufficient clarity to enable the officer whose recall is sought and the electors to identify the course of conduct that is the basis for the recall."

The language filed is as follows:

"voting "NO" on milling and processing of Lumber Text Amendment, November 8, 2018. Also for missing 4 township meetings in a row from Dec. 13, 2018 through March 14, 2019."

The Election Commission is charged as follows:

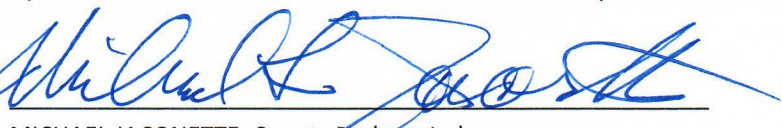
" ... shall meet and shall determine whether each reason for the recall stated in the petition is factual and of sufficient clarity to enable the officer whose recall is sought and the electors to identify the course of conduct that is the basis for the recall. If any reason for the recall is not factual or of sufficient clarity, the entire recall petition shall be rejected." MCL 168.952

The Election Commission determines by a vote of 3 APPROVED and 0 Rejected that the reasons for recall stated in the petition are factual in nature and of sufficient clarity to enable the officer whose recall is sought and the electors to identify the course of conduct that is the basis for the recall.

Appeals to this determination may be made to the Circuit Court of Calhoun County no later than JUNE 10, 2019.


Dated: 5-30-19

Approved
 Rejected


MICHAEL JACONETTE, County Probate Judge

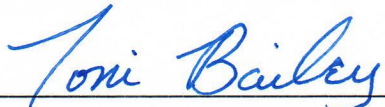
Dated: 5/30/19

Approved
 Rejected


BRIAN WENSAUER, County Treasurer

Dated: 5-30-19

Approved
 Rejected


TONI BAILEY, Chief Deputy Clerk, in absence of County Clerk

