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**TOWNSHIP HALL USE ORDINANCE
TOWNSHIP OF GRAND HAVEN, MICHIGAN
ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976**

An Ordinance to regulate the use of the Grand Haven Township Hall by persons, firms, corporations, organizations, and individuals; to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof. To permit exemptions from this Ordinance.

THE TOWNSHIP OF GRAND HAVEN, OTTAWA COUNTY, MICHIGAN
ORDAINS:

12.0410 ARTICLE I: TITLE

12.0411 Sec. 1 TITLE

This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the Township Hall Ordinance.
(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0420 ARTICLE II: REQUEST FOR USE OF TOWNSHIP HALL

12.0421 Sec. 1 PERMIT REQUIRED

No persons, firms, corporations, organizations, or individuals shall use the Grand Haven Township Hall for any meeting, gathering, or other purpose without first obtaining a written permit signed by the Township Supervisor, or in his absence, the Township Clerk.
(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0422 Sec. 2 REQUESTS IN WRITING

All requests for the use of the Township Hall shall be in written form, on an application provided by the Township Clerk. (ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0423 Sec. 3 APPLICATION INFORMATION

The applications shall provide the following information:

1. Name and address of the persons, firms, corporations, organizations, or individuals requesting permission to use the Township Hall.
2. Purpose of the intended use.
3. Date and time of the intended use.
4. Length of time of the intended use.

(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0430 ARTICLE III: USES PERMITTED

12.0431 Sec. 1 USES PERMITTED

The Township Hall may be used for any and all of the following:

1. Regular and special meetings of civic, political, labor, school organizations, and corporations.
2. Meetings of the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, YMCA, and other similar organizations.
3. Meetings of church and fraternal organizations.
4. Citizens groups meetings provided that the applicant is a bona fide resident of the Township of Grand Haven.
5. Individual and family gatherings provided that the applicant is a bona fide resident of the Township of Grand Haven.

(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0440 ARTICLE IV: RENTAL FEES

12.0441 Sec. 1 FEE

There shall be a rental fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day payable in advance for the use of the Township Hall. This fee shall be charged to any individual, firm, corporation, or family.

(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0442 Sec. 2 EXEMPTIONS

Recognized organizations such as service clubs, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Chamber of Commerce, shall not be subject to a rental charge.

(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976)

12.0450 ARTICLE V: USES NOT PERMITTED

12.0451 Sec. 1 DISRUPTIVE USES

No person, firms, organizations, or individuals shall be permitted to use the Township Hall when in the judgment of the Township Supervisor, or in his absence the Township clerk, the said use shall be disruptive to the normal day to day

12.0472 Sec. 2 PROSECUTION

The Township Supervisor, Township Superintendent (Township Manager), and the Township Attorney are authorized to issue municipal civil infractions citations for violations of this ordinance.

(ord. no. 9 eff. Jan. 19, 1976, amend. by ord. no. 220, eff. June 11, 1995)

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