

**The Michigan Assembly**  
General Assembly Meeting  
Minutes



Date: November 26, 2024

**Open Michigan Public Forum**

6:00pm – 7:00pm

**Education/Outreach presentation**

Presenter: Amy Hunt

Topic: The Birth Certificate Fraud

**General Assembly Meeting**

**Special Session**

7:00pm – 7:37pm

**Welcome**

Opening Prayer (Debra-Ann Garcia Wagner)

Bivens Decision (Kenny Fisher)

Meeting Protocol (Kenny Fisher)

No changes to previous meeting minutes during special sessions

**No Reports during Special Sessions**

**Coordinator Updates (only if urgent)** – there were no urgent updates

**In Process Items**

- **Proposal for Ombudsman Service Fees** (Debra-Ann Garcia Wagner) (Recording 00:03:40)
  - Proposal was updated from recommendations made during the GA meeting on November 19, 2024
  - Proposal Designation: 20241112-OS-01-03 provided in agenda and read by Debra-Ann
  - “*Shall we accept Proposal 20241112-OS-01-03 as proposed by Debra-Ann Garcia-Wagner? Yes or No*” - placed in the chat
  - RESULTS from MAA: YES = 13; NO = 0; Abstain = 0      **PASSED**

**New Items**

- **Proposal for 2024 Committee Budgets** (Mark Steinke) (recording 00:18:45)
  - Proposal Designation: 20241118-TB-01-02 attached – updated with Ombudsman Committee budget
  - Discussion followed including a question about what happens if funds aren't used in 2024; do they carry over as designated for a committee into 2025? Banking Committee to discuss at next committee meeting and update the proposal wording to cover that.

Minutes prepared by:

Linda Steinke

11/26/24

**Attachments**

- Proposal 20241118-TB-01-02 from the Banking Committee
- Zoom attendance
- Zoom Chat

**Meeting Recording Link**

- <https://rumble.com/v5tnfoe--0029-the-michigan-assembly-general-assembly-meeting-november-26-2024.html>

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**Agenda Proposal**



**1) Proposal Designation: 20241118-TB-01-02**

**2) Proposal Working Title: 2024 Committee Budgets**

**3) Proposal Language:** Fund committees requesting 2024 funds

Records committee:	\$440.00 (stamps and AI transcribing service)
IT/Communications:	\$648.60 (website and domain)
Vetting:	\$500.00 (background checks)
Ombudsman:	\$ 30.41 (paper and printer ink)

**4) Describe how this proposal serves and/or protects the people on Michigan: Funding the GA committees**

**5) Sponsor:** Banking Committee

**6) Assemblymen who worked on the proposal:** Amy Hunt, Debra-Ann Garcia Wagner, Charlie Raffoul, Jan Buzard, Mark Steinke, Linda Steinke

**7) Activity**

Proposal Written Date:	18 November 2024 (updated 11/26/24)
Proposal Read at the GA Date:	26 November 2024
Committee Delegated to, Instructions, and Vote Result:	
Reconsidered Date:	
Disposition and Vote Result:	
[add as needed]	

**8) Support from other Committees:** Records, IT/Communications, Vetting, and Ombudsman

**9) Treasury Opinion and Funds Supported:** We support the funding of those committees who have submitted budgets for 2024.

**10) Dissenting Views and their Consideration:** There were no dissenting views from the Banking Committee.

Autographs and Seals, etc.

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11/26/2024 05:50:22 PM - 11/26/2024 07:41:42 PM

Name (original name)	Duration
*Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan	112
*Elsa Carpenter-Peck (Elsa Carpenter-Peck)	112
*Jeff Barth (iPhonehjeffbarth)	109
*Jan Buzard	1
*jan buzard (jan buzard)	105
*Amy Hunt, Kent County, Michigan (Michigan State Coordinator))	103
Mariana	70
Bob *troy brown Wayne/Michigan	95
*Amy Pethers Mecosta, Michigan	101
*Nicholas Kiciak/Macomb	75
Alan Alcid 24-02902-LT	59
ERIC SCHUTTE	61
Jabari T (BLU M10L PLUS)	5
*Mark & *Linda Steinke - Michigan/Alger county (*Linda Steinke - Michigan/Alger county)	95
BarryMug	57
*Donte Adams (Donte Adams)	93
Jabari Tate	89
Shanina Tyus iPad	85
*Aaron Stoddart-Cordova	83
*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner on Washtenaw (*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner)	67
*Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County (Brent Barth)	59
*Dolores and Nigel on Michigan (*Dolores on Michigan & on Spain)	45
*Monir Elmlwany (Monir Elmlwany)	44
*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN	44
*Rick Worden - Midland County	43
*Kenny (Kenneth) Fisher/MAA/Allegan	43

01:30:05 \*Amy Hunt, Kent County, Michigan (Michigan State Coordinator)): Shall we accept Proposal 20241112-0S-01-03 as proposed by Debra-Ann Garcia-Wagner? Yes or No.

01:30:06 \*Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan: Yes

01:30:11 \*jan buzard: yes

01:30:11 \*Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County: Yes

01:30:13 \*Mark & \*Linda Steinke - Michigan/Alger county: Mark - yes

01:30:17 \*Mark & \*Linda Steinke - Michigan/Alger county: Linda - yes

01:30:17 \*Dolores and Nigel on Michigan: Yes -Nigel

01:30:18 \*Kenny (Kenneth) Fisher/MAA/Allegan: Yes

01:30:19 \*Elsa Carpenter-Peck: Yes

01:30:20 \*Rick Worden - Midland County: Yes

01:30:22 \*Donte Adams: Yes

01:30:28 \*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN: yes

01:30:32 \*Amy Pethers Mecosta, Michigan: Yes

01:30:35 \*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner on Washtenaw: Yes

01:31:06 \*Amy Hunt, Kent County, Michigan (Michigan State Coordinator)): VOTE END