NOTICE OF ADOPTION ORDINANCE NUMBER 84

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE SECTION 16.23 "WIND ENERGY CONVERSION SYSTEMS"

The intent of this Ordinance is to promote the effective and efficient use of Wind Energy Conversion Systems (WECS) with the minimum regulations on the sitting, design, and installation of conversion systems so that the public health, safety, and welfare of neighboring property owners or occupants will not be jeopardized. This Section provides standards for sitting and approval for Commercial and Private Wind Energy Systems, as defined under Section 16.23(B). Agricultural Wind Energy Systems as defined under Section 16.23(B) are exempt from this Section. A full copy of this Section is available to be inspected or purchased at the Manchester Township Hall located at 275 South Macomb. Hours: Monday-Wednesday and Friday from 8:30 am to 12 noon.

I, Ann M. Becktel, Clerk of Manchester Township, and Washtenaw County, Michigan hereby certify as follows:

- 1. The preceding ordinance was adopted by the Manchester Township Board of Trustees at the regular meeting held on Tuesday September 13, 2011
- 2. A summary of this ordinance was published in the Manchester Enterprise on 9/22/11.
- 3. The ordinance changes shall take effect seven (7) days after this publication of the notice of adoption unless petition procedures are initiated under MCL 125.3402. If petition procedures are initiated, the ordinance shall take effect in accordance with MCL 125.3402.

A copy of the complete ordinance text may be inspected or purchased at the Manchester Township Hall, 275 S. Macomb, Manchester, MI 48158. The office hours are 8:30 a.m. until noon Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

Adopted: 9/13/11 Published: 9/22/11

Effective: 9/29/11, subject to Public Act of 2003, as amended (MCL 125.139).

Ann Becktel, Clerk Manchester Township