Workshop Meeting of the Livonia Town Board Held at the Livonia Town Hall Thursday May 19, 2011

Supervisors present: Doebler, Hass, Hewitt, Manthei, and Sherper

Staff present: Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Olson

Others present: ISD Superintendent Bezek, School Board member Steinbrecher, Zimmerman Mayor

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Chairman Sherper called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm for the purpose of discussing playing fields.

Superintendent Bezek talked about the changing needs of the School District as enrollment seems to have leveled off and is actually down in the northern area. The initiative is to concentrate on the original footprint of the school and work on enhancing what the school has rather than building on a new site. Bezek will be presenting a proposal to the School Board later this summer that would include such things as a track, turf field, permanent rooms vs. temporaries, purchase of 6 acres adjacent to the school property, and possibly an auditorium. At this point, both 80 acre sites in Zimmerman and Otsego are being held for future expansion. Bezek stated that both the Elk River and Rogers communities have contributed to school projects such as field houses and ice arenas. He was hoping that the Zimmerman community was willing to form a partnership in the same way.

The Board thanked Superintendent Bezek for coming and sharing his information. They will bring to May Town Board Meeting for further discussion.

Hass/Hewitt unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 pm.

Dated this 27th day of June 2011

Clerk/Treasurer or Deputy Clerk/Treasurer