

TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Resolution Honoring Robert Mantey 2024 - 17

Whereas, Robert Mantey, the Tuscola County Drain Commissioner, will be retiring effective December 31, 2024 and has been a respected and loyal Tuscola County employee providing 16 years of dedicated service; and

Whereas, Bob received a Bachelor of Science degree from Michigan State University in Agricultural Engineering (now Bio-Systems Engineering). He also had a strong interest in civil engineering classes that involved water movement. Bob received floodplain training from the University of California, Davis while he was employed at the DNR Water Management Division; and

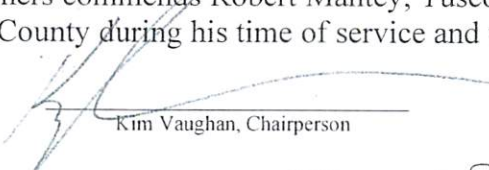
Whereas, Bob has served on the Tuscola County Planning Commission from 1995-2004; the Tuscola County Parks and Recreation Board since 2009; was elected as the Treasurer for the Michigan Association of County Drain Commissioners in 2012; became the Tuscola County Board of Public Works Chair in 2015, and then became the Tuscola County Board of Public Works Designee in 2023; and

Whereas, during his years as Drain Commissioner, Bob has received the Michigan Association of County Drain Commission awards for the Fulton Street Drain, Rich Intercounty Drain, and the Pigeon River Intercounty Drain; and

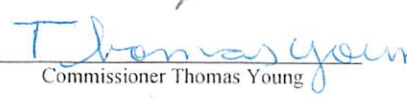
Whereas, in 2014, Mastodon remains were found in the S.O. Drain located on the property of the Fowler Center in Dayton Township, Tuscola County and Bob oversaw the site excavation and the repair of the site erosion slopes back to the original channel once the project was completed; and

Whereas, Bob's passion for soil conservation stewardship and knowledge of drains and drainage districts has enhanced the function of the county's drains.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that on behalf of the residents of Tuscola County, the Board of Commissioners commends Robert Mantey, Tuscola County Drain Commissioner, for his valuable contributions to Tuscola County during his time of service and wishes Bob many enjoyable years of retirement.


Kim Vaughan, Chairperson


Thomas Bardwell, Vice Chairperson

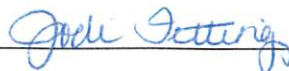

Commissioner Thomas Young


Commissioner Bill Lutz


Commissioner Matthew Koch

I, Jodi Fetting, Tuscola County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners at its meeting on December 23, 2024.

Date December 23, 2024



Jodi Fetting, Tuscola County Clerk