

**Resolution #2021-021**  
**Resolution Adopting**  
**Public Water Access Cooperative Agreement**

**WHEREAS**, The Harris Town Board has held numerous discussions over the last few years regarding parking, boat access repairs, and shore maintenance repairs at township boat landings; and

**WHEREAS**, The Harris Town Board submitted a formal request (letter) to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Area Supervisor in March 2021 requesting assistance with major repairs and ramp assistance at current boat landings within the township; and

**WHEREAS**, Harris Township defined Casper Landing, Mishawaka Landing, LaPlant Landing, Robinson Landing, and Woodtick Landing as those boat landings in need of repair; and

**WHEREAS**, The Harris Town Board conducted a boat landing walk-through together with the DNR Area Supervisor on July 12, 2021 to look at said landings and determine what the DNR would be able to provide assistance on; and

**WHEREAS**, The DNR Area Supervisor provided input on the DNR role regarding shore maintenance repairs, and ramp access, and would provide a coordinated maintenance agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, The DNR Area Supervisor provided progress in August 2021 on the Public Water Access Maintenance Agreement between the State of Minnesota and Harris Township; and

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, on October 6, 2021 the DNR Area Supervisor provided a final draft of the Public Water Access Cooperative Agreement between the State of Minnesota and Harris Township; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Harris Town Board has reviewed the Public Water Access Maintenance Agreement between the State of Minnesota and Harris Township;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, The Harris Town Board hereby enters into agreement with the Department of Natural Resources (DNR), and the Department of Administration.

Adopted by Harris Township, Itasca County, Grand Rapids, Minnesota this 13<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2021.

A motion was made by Supervisor Kelley and seconded by Supervisor Dawies to adopt Resolution #2021-021, a Resolution Adopting the Public Water Access Maintenance Agreement between the State of Minnesota and Harris Township, and approve and sign said Public Water Access Maintenance Agreement between the State of Minnesota and Harris Township; motion carried.

	YES	NO	OTHER
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By the Town Board Chair  
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Peggy Clayton, Chair

Attested:  
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Beth Riendeau, Clerk