

**Elmwood Township
Parks & Recreation Committee
8/30/06 Special Meeting**

Resolution

WHEREAS, the Elmwood Township Parks & Recreation Committee desires to create more passive recreation opportunities in Elmwood Township in accordance with the goals of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan approved and adopted on March 28, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the DeYoung property, in particular was acknowledged as a potential future site as being consistent with the goals of the Parks & Recreation Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Committee has reviewed and considered options presented by The Leelanau Conservancy for partnership and grant opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Committee recognizes that it is a recommending body only, and that final decisions are to be made by the Elmwood Township Board.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Elmwood Township Parks and Recreation Committee hereby adopts the following motion as recommendations for consideration by the Elmwood Township Board of Trustees:

Apply to the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund for funds to purchase a public access and conservation easement over the entire 145 acre DeYoung property.