

Legislative File No: 2012-0315 Ver. 2

TO:	Mayor and City Council Members
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FROM: Gerald Carvey, GSAB Chairperson

DATE: November 20, 2012

SUBJECT: Presentation and recommendation of 884 Adams Road N, parcel #15-08-100-005

REQUEST:

Members of the Green Space Advisory Board (GSAB) would like to make a presentation and recommendation regarding the acquisition of 884 Adams Road N, parcel #15-08-100-005. The parcel consists of approximately 5 acres with a residential structure and is located on the north boundary of Nowicki Park.

BACKGROUND:

The parcel was evaluated and scored based on comparisons made to criteria related to the protection of water resources, habitat protection, recreational/historical value, steep slopes, woodlands and natural features. In addition, the review included its contributions to Oakland County's Green Infrastructure Network and its support of the GSAB vision. The recommended parcel also supports the City's Master Recreation Plan.

RECOMMENDATION:

If City Council concurs with the GSAB recommendation the next step would be to authorize the Administration to assemble a negotiating team to begin the acquisition process. A resolution has been included for consideration.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Mayor		
City Council Liaison		