

**Resolution 7 – Amend the Previously Adopted “Maintain and Operate Three Campgrounds”
Resolution to Sell Sanford and Maintain The Woodlands**

Submitted by The Woodlands Board of Directors

Whereas, As an act of responsible stewardship, the April 11, 2015 Michigan Mission Center Conference body voted to reduce the number of Mission Center managed campgrounds from five (5) to three (3);

Whereas, The First Presidency has called us to greater stewardship in our financial support of World Church ministries;

Whereas, The potential sale revenue of The Woodlands will not be sufficient to provide the resources necessary for the desired improvements at the remaining campgrounds, much less provide the appropriate generous response to World Church ministries such a sale would merit;

Whereas, The Woodlands is on the market and has received no reasonable offer to date;

Whereas, We believe the sale of another campground, other than The Woodlands, would move the intentions of the April 11, 2015 conference forward with expedience; and

Whereas, We honor and value diversity in all things, and recognize the untapped potential of our resources; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the resolution titled Maintain and Operate Three Campgrounds previously adopted at the April 11, 2015 conference and amended at the November 7, 2015 conference be further amended by

- 1) Striking “Sanford” and inserting “The Woodlands” in the list of campgrounds to be operated and maintained, and
- 2) Striking “The Woodlands” and inserting “Sanford Campground” in the list of campgrounds to be sold and in the paragraph authorizing the campground board to continue functioning until transfer of title/ownership.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If this resolution is adopted, then the sale of Sanford Campground would be handled under the net proceeds policy that became effective on July 1, 2017, which states, “The use of net proceeds from the sale of capital assets will be invested or used for programs, financial obligations, and/or capital projects that support the vision, mission, and goals of Community of Christ as determined by the field apostle, Presiding Bishopric, and director of Field Ministries. Local jurisdictions may make recommendations to the field apostle on how to use the net proceeds for local mission.