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February 14, 2019

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN: Your County Administration Committee respectfully recommends the adoption of the following:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the National Peace Officers' Memorial Service is held in Washington D.C. on May 15th every year in conjunction with National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, the Berrien County Sheriff's Office has three names of fallen officers on the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Wall; and

WHEREAS, these three officers have paid the ultimate sacrifice while serving and protecting the residents of Berrien County; and


WHEREAS, since the tragic incident that occurred at the Berrien County Courthouse on July 11, 2016, the Berrien County Sheriff's Office has sent the Honor Guard and / or the Motor Unit to participate in the scheduled activities as well as having responsibilities and duties throughout the week leading up to the Memorial Service; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff wishes to honor these three fallen officers along all other officers who have paid this ultimate sacrifice by sending up to four representatives from the Berrien County Sheriff's Office to participate in the National Police Week Events annually; and


WHEREAS, the Sheriff wishes to use funding from the Sheriff's Sale fees (26443809-861000) to pay for costs incurred for sending these officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Sheriff to send up to four officers annually to represent the Berrien County Sheriff's Office and the County of Berrien at the National Police Week event in Washington D.C.

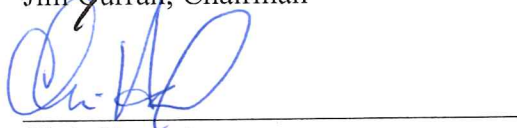
Respectfully submitted,
BERRIEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE



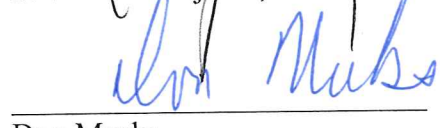
Jim Curran, Chairman



Michael J. Majerek, Vice Chair



Chris Heugel



Don Meeks

RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Administrator <u>W</u>	Date <u>2/4/19</u>
Comments Attached _____	
County Counsel <u>2</u>	Date <u>2.4.19</u>
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