

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

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the State Court Administrative Office (SCAO) has opened the FY 2023 Michigan Mental Health Court Grant Program (MMHCGP) application process; and

WHEREAS, the Berrien County Trial Court plans to submit an application in the amount of \$156,219.05, with an in-kind match of \$20,340.25, for a one year term beginning October 1, 2022, to continue the operation of the Berrien County Mental Health Court Program; and

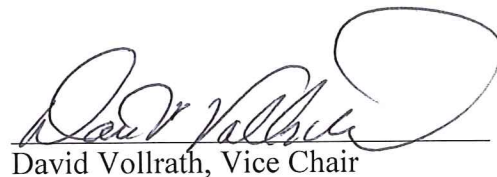
WHEREAS, this grant application is a cooperative partnership with Riverwood Center; and

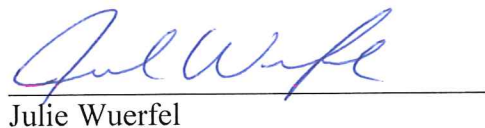
WHEREAS, the goals of the program include linking 80% of participants to mental health services within 21 days of screening; 100% of the participants remain substance free for 60 days prior to graduation; 80% of the participants will not be convicted of a new offense while in the program; 100% of participants will establish stable living arrangements for at least 90 days prior to graduation; and 80% of the participants will be compliant with mental health treatment services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Berrien County Trial Court to submit a grant application to the State Court Administrative Office for the Michigan Mental Health Court Grant Program.

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
BERRIEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**


Jim Curran, Chair


David Vollrath, Vice Chair


Julie Wuerfel



RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Administrator 	Date 5-18-22
Comments Received _____	
Corporate Counsel _____	Date _____
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