

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

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Brandywine Community Schools (“School”) would like to enter into a contract with the County of Berrien (“County”) on behalf of the Berrien County Sheriff (“Sheriff”) for the purposes of providing a School Resource Officer that is assigned in and around the Brandywine Community School buildings and other school facilities ; and

WHEREAS, Act 35 of the Public Acts of 1951 [MCLA 124.2; MSA 5.4082] authorizes the County and the School to enter in to a contract regarding the performance of governmental functions, including police protection; and

WHEREAS, the School, consistent with applicable law, shall pay to the county the actual cost, including salary, overtime costs, equipment, additional or specialized training, and overhead costs, of the deputy sheriff assigned as a resource officer, in connection with the School Resource Officer as outlined in the attached School Resource Officer Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff has agreed to provide additional police protection for the Brandywine Community Schools consistent with the terms and conditions set forth in the attached School Resource Officer Agreement, which has been reviewed and approved by Corporate Counsel.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Chairman of the Board and the County Clerk to execute said agreement on behalf of the County and the Sheriff, following the approval of the School Resource Officer Agreement by the Brandywine Community Schools Board of Education.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the authorization provided by this resolution shall not end, unless said Agreement is either terminated by the County or the School pursuant to the terms of the Agreement.

**Respectfully submitted,
BERRIEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**

Jim Curran, Chairperson

Don Meeks, Vice Chairperson

David Vollrath

Julie Wuerfel

RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Administrator _____	Date _____
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Corporate Counsel _____	Date _____
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