

EATON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AUGUST 19, 2020

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE COUNTY VETERANS SERVICES GRANT APPLICATION

Introduced by the Public Works & Planning Committee

Commissioner Whitacre moved to approve the following resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Rogers.

WHEREAS, the Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency has grant funds available to counties to enhance county veterans service operations; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development/Veterans' Services Department has developed a plan to utilize the funds to enhance veterans services, including a grocery voucher program and provide funding for foreclosure and eviction prevention services for veterans; and

WHEREAS, the County is eligible for up to \$88,620, in base and per capita funding; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works & Planning Committee has reviewed the proposed plan prepared by the Community Development/Veterans' Services Department to utilize these grant funds and is recommending the approval of a grant application based on said plan; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners authorize the submission of a grant application in an amount not to exceed \$88,620 for 2021; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Controller be authorized to approve any necessary budget amendments to increase expenditures and increase grant revenue if the grant is approved by the State of Michigan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairperson of the Board of Commissioners be authorized to sign any necessary documents. Carried.