

EATON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MARCH 17, 2021

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE A MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT GREAT LAKES AND ENERGY SCRAP TIRE RECYCLING GRANT APPLICATION

Introduced by the Public Works and Planning Committee

Commissioner Lautzenheiser moved the approval of the following resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Brehler.

WHEREAS, the Resource Recovery Department has been established for the development and administration of the County Solid Waste Management Plan under Act 641; and

WHEREAS, key components of the Resource Recovery Department include increasing the amount of materials recycled; and

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of Environment Great Lakes and Energy Scrap Tire Recycling Grant is designed to provide assistance in the removal of residential tires; and

WHEREAS, the Resource Recovery Department offers two Scrap Tire collection events annually; and

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of Environment Great Lakes and Energy has encouraged regional applications and Eaton County has been approached by Clinton County, Barry County, and Ingham County to submit one grant for all four communities; and

WHEREAS, the grant program does not have any matching requirements; and

WHEREAS, Eaton County will serve as the applicant and fiduciary for the grant; and

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that Eaton County approves the application of the Scrap Tire grant; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that acceptance of the grant award is contingent upon the approval of Memorandums of Understanding between the County and other individual participating entities providing for said participating entities to reimburse the County for any non-grant costs associated with collection events held within their jurisdiction; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairperson of the Board of Commissioners, or his designee, is authorized to sign any necessary grant documents; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Controller is authorized to make budgets amendments to the adopted budget, in the event the grant is authorized.

Roll call vote. Ayes: Tim Barnes, Blake Mulder, Terrance Augustine, Brandon Haskell, Jeanne Pearl-Wright, Jane M. Whitacre, Mark Mudry, Joseph Brehler, Brian Droscha, Dairus Reynnet, Wayne Ridge, Brian Lautzenheiser, Jim Mott, Jeremy Whittum, Barbara Rogers. Nays: None. Carried.