

EATON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

APRIL 21, 2021

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE APPLICATION FOR MICHIGAN DRUG COURT
GRANT PROGRAM (MDCGP)
DISTRICT HYBRID COURT**

Introduced by the Public Safety Committee

Commissioner Barnes moved the approval of the following resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Ridge.

WHEREAS, the Eaton County Trial Courts, through the Community Corrections Department and the District Court Probation Department, has operated a District Court sobriety program for approximately twenty years; and

WHEREAS, the State Court Administrative Office is making grant funds available for the period of October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the District Court seeks to expand the program with grant funds to provide treatment and tether services.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners authorize the District Court Department to submit a grant application in an amount not to exceed \$100,000; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the grant is not continued or requires a County appropriation, the continuation of the grant funded positions will be reviewed by the appropriate committees to determine the necessity of the General Fund commitment; 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 or his designee be authorized to sign any necessary contracts or documents.

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.