

EATON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

May 18, 2022

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE COUNTY CLERK ELECTION SECURITY GRANT

Introduced by the Ways & Means Committee

Commissioner Mulder moved the approval of the following resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Pearl-Wright.

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of State has federal Help America Vote Act (HAVA) Election Security Grant (CFDA 90.404) funds available to be passed through to local jurisdictions for the reimbursement of expenditures to counties up to \$150 per precinct; and

WHEREAS, and the County Clerk has determined these funds can be used to reimbursement for the cost to purchase and upgrade technology and networks used to support election administration; and

WHEREAS, the grant funds will be used to reimburse the County, in the amount of \$7,650, to upgrade equipment operating systems that provide additional security; and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has reviewed and is recommending the County Clerk be authorized to submit a request for the reimbursement of these eligible expenditures to improve election security.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eaton County Board of Commissioners approves the County Clerk's application for reimbursement for the HAVA election security grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Controller/Administrator is authorized to amend the FY21-22 budget to include revenue as outlined in the grant. Carried unanimously.