

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BERRIEN COUNTY: Your County Personnel and Human Services Committee respectfully recommends the adoption of the following:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, BCHD is the recipient of a grant from the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) for support of a project under the Michigan Health and Wellness 4X4 Plan in order to implement strategies related to policy, systems, and environmental change to impact nutrition and physical activity (approved under Resolution P1811365); and

WHEREAS, the approved work plan included partnership from the Southwest Michigan Planning Commission to assist with planning efforts in the expansion of the Indiana-Michigan River Valley Trail from Niles to Berrien Springs via the Interurban Rail Line corridor; and

WHEREAS, the Berrien County Health Department wishes to enter into a partnership agreement with the Southwest Michigan Planning Commission with a contract total of \$16,500 during an agreement period of April 1, 2020 through September 30th, 2020 to provide support for planning, assessment, and mapping activities related to the proposed expansion of the Indiana-Michigan River Valley Trail; and

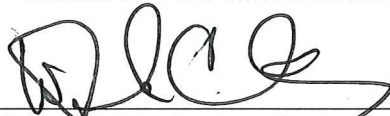
WHEREAS, the Board of Health endorses this contract agreement pending approval of its Corporate Counsel.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HERBY RESOLVED, that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes BCHD to contract with the Southwest Michigan Planning Commission.

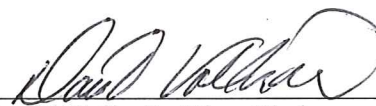
Resolution endorsed by the
BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

Margaret A. Kohring, Chair


**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
BERRIEN COUNTY PERSONNEL AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**



William J. Chickering, Chairman



David Vollrath, Vice-Chairman



Teri Sue Freehling

RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Administrator <u>lv</u>	Date <u>3/11/20</u>
Comments Attached _____	
Corporate Counsel <u>7</u>	Date <u>3-10-20</u>
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