

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, the Berrien County Parks Department and Berrien County jointly paid for the replacement of the 1839 Courthouse windows in the summer and fall of 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Historical Courthouse Square facility has been maintained and operated through a long-term lease with the Berrien County Historical Association, Inc.; and


WHEREAS, the Berrien County Historical Association has undertaken numerous renovation projects inside the 1839 Courthouse, the 1830 Murdoch Log Cabin, and the 1870 Sheriff's Residence, in addition to the ground's new interpretive signage; and

WHEREAS, the Berrien County Parks and Recreation Commission voted in 2021 to allow the Berrien County Historical Association to manage the assessment and sale of the old Courthouse windows; and

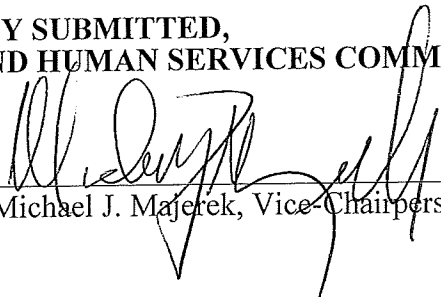
WHEREAS, the Berrien County Historical Association agreed to use the raised fund towards a future revitalization project on the grounds or in the buildings and to follow guidelines set forth by Berrien County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Berrien County Historical Association to move forward with the sale of the windows of the historic 1839 Courthouse and to apply the funds towards a revitalization project of their choice.

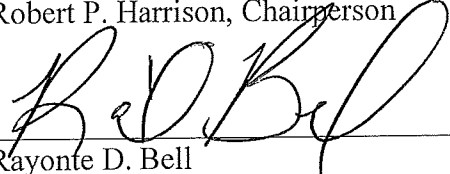
**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
BERRIEN COUNTY PERSONNEL AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**



Robert P. Harrison, Chairperson



Michael J. Majerek, Vice-Chairperson



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RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM
Date 7-18-22
Commissioner Approved TH Date 7/13/22