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At the January 21, 2021 meeting of the Antrim County Board of Commissioners, the following Resolution was offered.

RESOLUTION #09-2021, by Ed Boettcher, seconded by Christian Marcus

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT
OF LOCAL BUSINESSES**

WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). Is a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death; and

WHEREAS, the Antrim County Board of Commissioners recognizes that COVID-19 is having direct impact on all County residents which includes, but is not limited to, physical and mental health care difficulties, education constraints, and financial strain; and

WHEREAS, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners understands that many local businesses have suffered and continue to suffer economic harm due to COVID-19, and

WHEREAS, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners furthermore recognizes that the local hospitality industry is being hit particularly hard with financial losses due to restrictions associated with COVID-19, and

WHEREAS, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners believes that the ability of County residents and visitors to patronize local restaurants, hotels, recreational venues, etc., contributes substantially to the overall well-being of the County; and

WHEREAS, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners is aware of many options to support the small businesses such as ordering takeout, using gift cards, and making advanced reservations, and

WHEREAS, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners believe small businesses engaged in food service can operate safely by practicing ServSafe health and safety practices specific to operating during a COVID-19 pandemic and limiting occupancy, while meeting the needs of the customer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Antrim County Board of Commissioners encourages County residents to support their local businesses, particularly during the course of the pandemic, without fear.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be transmitted to Governor Whitmer, both the Speaker of the State House of Representatives and the Majority Leader of the State Senate along with the Michigan Association of Counties (MAC) and all counties within the State of Michigan.

Yes – Jarris Rubingh, Joshua Watrous, Ed Boettcher, Terry VanAlstine, Brenda Ricksgers,
Dawn LaVanway, Jason Helwig, Christian Marcus;

No – Karen Bargy;

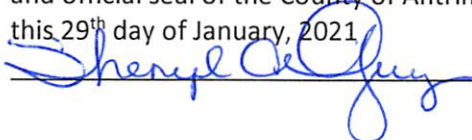
Absent – None.

RESOLUTION #09-2021 DECLARED ADOPTED.

ANTRIM COUNTY CLERK, BELLAIRE, MI
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF ANTRIM, ss

I, Sheryl A. Guy, Clerk of the Clerk of the County of Antrim,
certify the above is a true and exact copy of the original
record now remaining in this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand
and official seal of the County of Antrim
this 29th day of January, 2021.

 County Clerk

