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**Resolution to Approve the 2022 Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with MSU Extension as Determined by the 2022 MSUE Budget – MSU Extension**

**WHEREAS,** MSU Extension and Livingston County have a long history of working cooperatively to deliver Extension services and MSU Extension is committed to helping people improve their lives through initiatives in four Extension Educational Program Institutes; and

**WHEREAS,** the base MOA, approved in 2012 with MSU Extension will allows for the continued presence of MSU Extension in Livingston County and of the 4-H program; and

**WHEREAS,** the County portion of the MOA included four primary components. First, the county agrees to provide MSU Extension an annual base assessment of \$101,356. Second, the county agrees to continue providing office space, telephones, and internet access. Third, the continuation of the Consumer Horticulture program at 0.75 FTE requires an additional investment of \$80,918 above the base assessment. Finally, the transition of the two half-time county support staff FTEs to a one FTE MSU employed support staff (half funded by Livingston County and half by MSU) for \$33,337; and

**WHEREAS,** to fully fund the MOA, additional educator position and MSU employed support staff, the 2022 MOA for MSU Extension is \$215,611; and

**WHEREAS,** these funds will allow for the continuation of current programming as well as access to MSU Extension programming staff from around the state.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners approve the 2022 MOA with MSU Extension in the amount of \$215,611.

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