RESOLUTION	NO:	2022-06-089
LIVINGSTON COUNTY	**DATE:**	**June 27, 2022**

Resolution Authorizing the Juvenile Court to Apply for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services Child and Parent Legal Representation (CPLR) Grant FY 2023 – Juvenile Court

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has allocated federal Title IVE funds for a fourth year to enhance legal representation for children and parents in child protective proceedings and has invited Juvenile Courts to apply for said funding; and

WHEREAS, available grant funds are not to supplant existing funding for legal representation; and

WHEREAS, this grant will enhance legal representation in Livingston County by providing court-appointed attorneys with funding for continuing education and enhancing fair compensation in child protective proceedings; and

WHEREAS Livingston County's allocation for the period of October 1, 2022 – September 30, 2023 is in the range amount of $42,750 to $71,250 based on a cost share of 75% general fund and 25% grant funding; and

WHEREAS no new positions are required or requested to carry out this grant program; and

WHEREAS, the Juvenile Court is seeking approval to apply for the FY 2023 Child and Parent Legal Representation Program (CPLR) funding from the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services in the range amount of $42,750 to $71,250.

WHEREAS if awarded, the Juvenile Court will seek Board of Commissioners approval for acceptance of the funds.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Juvenile Court to apply for FY 2023 Michigan Department of Health and Human Services grant funding to enhance legal representation in child protective proceedings in the range amount of $42,750 to $71,250 covering the period of October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commisioners authorize the Board chair to sign any documents related to the application.

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