

RESOLUTION

NO: 2023-09-162

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

DATE: September 11, 2023

Resolution to Apply for the CDC Public Health Infrastructure Grant Program through the Michigan Department of Health and Human Resources – Health Department

WHEREAS, as part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s (CDC) Public Health Infrastructure Grant Program, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) will be distributing \$31,008,494 in funding to 44 local health departments (LHDs) through the Strengthening Public Health Workforce and Infrastructure in Michigan grant opportunity. Funds will be available for the period October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2027; and

WHEREAS, this funding is intended to support public health infrastructure needs in local jurisdictions related to the public health workforce, foundational capabilities and data modernization. Funding is intended to be flexible to meet the needs of each jurisdiction and can be used for cross-jurisdictional arrangements; and

WHEREAS, funding will be split equally among the 44 LHDs, for a total of \$704,738 per LHD (or \$176,184 per year for four years). Funds can also be requested as a lump sum or spread across the grant period as desired; and

WHEREAS, allowable expenses include but not limited to office remodeling, staff recruitment and retention, supplies and equipment, workforce development, software, internal service costs; and

WHEREAS, Livingston County Health Department’s (LCHD) portion of this funding would be \$704,738; and

WHEREAS, LCHD has submitted a Capital Improvement Project for FY24 to the Board of Commissioners for a remodel of the PPHS Division offices and public spaces which would be an allowable expense under this grant; and

WHEREAS, LCHD will be able to use the remaining funds for other allowable expenses; and

WHEREAS, no local match is required; and

WHEREAS, no new positions are requested to carry out the duties of this grant; and

WHEREAS, the Livingston County Health Department will seek Board approval for the acceptance of funds.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the application submission in the amount of \$704,738 to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services to participate in the CDC Public Health Infrastructure Grant funding opportunity, covering the period of October 1, 2023 to September 30, 2027.

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