RESOLUTION NO: 2024-12-176

LIVINGSTON COUNTY DATE: December 16, 2024

Resolution Establishing Compensation for Livingston County Board of Commissioners – Board of Commissioners

WHEREAS, state statute (MCL 46.415) prohibits a Board of Commissioners from altering their compensation during their term of office, however, state statute does allow for structured changes in compensation implemented in phases over the term of office; and

WHEREAS, compensation for the Board of Commissioners was last increased in December of 2020 (Resolution 2020-12-301), resulting in an increase from \$15,326 to \$16,000 for a Board Member, \$16,024 to \$17,000 for the Vice Chair, and \$18,114 to \$19,000 for the Board Chair; and

WHEREAS, compensation for the Board of Commissioners was last reviewed in October of 2022 (Resolution 2022-10-2022) and the same pay structure for the Board of Commissioners that was adopted in December of 2020 was kept in place by an 8-0 vote, with one member absent; and

WHEREAS, a review of counties considered to be comparable shows that Livingston County Board members have a rate of compensation that is approximately 14% lower than similar counties in the state of Michigan; and

WHEREAS, under the new law establishing 4-year terms for members of the Board of Commissioners, this is the only opportunity for compensation to be adjusted until 2029.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the following salary schedule for the Board of Commissioners effective January 1, 2025.

Board Chair \$19,780 Vice Chair \$17,780 Board Member \$16,780

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the following salary schedule for the Board of Commissioners effective January 1, 2026.

Board Chair \$20,560 Vice Chair \$18,560 Board Member \$17,560

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the following salary schedule for the Board of Commissioners effective January 1, 2027.

Board Chair \$21,340 Vice Chair \$19,340 Board Member \$18,340

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the following salary schedule for the Board of Commissioners effective January 1, 2028.

Board Chair \$22,120 Vice Chair \$20,120 Board Member \$19,120

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