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INGHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE WILL MEET ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2010 AT 7:00 P.M., IN THE PERSONNEL CONFERENCE ROOM (D & E), HUMAN SERVICES BUILDING, 5303 S. CEDAR, LANSING.

****REMINDER, PLEASE BRING YOUR JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMUNITY AGENCY APPLICATIONS FOLDER DISTRIBUTED AT THE AUGUST 24th BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING****

Agenda

Call to Order

Approval of the [September 1, 2010](#) Minutes

Additions to the Agenda

Limited Public Comment

1. Presentation - Impact System of Care, Matt Wojack (*No Materials*)
2. Circuit Court - Resolution to Utilize Telephonic Conference Services Provided by [CourtCall](#) for the Circuit Court
3. Circuit Court/Family Division
 - a. [In-State Travel](#) Notification - JJAM Conference, Bellaire, Michigan
 - b. [In-State Travel](#) Notification - 2010 Michigan Association of Family Court Administrators Conference, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan
 - c. [In-State Travel](#) Notification - Michigan Juvenile Detention Association's (MJDA) Annual Conference, Higgins Lake, Michigan
4. Controller/Administrator - Resolution Authorizing 2011 Agreements for Juvenile Justice Community [Agencies](#)
5. Board Referrals
 - a. Letter from Michigan Department of Human Services Regarding Amended 2009-2010 Annual Plan and Budget for [Child Care Fund](#) Expenditures
 - b. Letter with Attachments, from William Metros Regarding an [Order](#) from 55th District Court

Announcements **PLEASE TURN OFF CELL PHONES OR OTHER ELECTRONIC**
Public Comment **DEVICES OR SET TO MUTE OR VIBRATE TO AVOID**
Adjournment **DISRUPTION DURING THE MEETING**

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JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
September 1, 2010
Minutes

Members Present: Deb Nolan, Laura Davis, Penelope Tsernoglou, Randy Schafer, Steve Dougan and Board Chairperson Debbie De Leon

Members Absent: Rebecca Bahar-Cook

Others Present: Mary Lannoye, Teri Morton, John Nielsen, Jared Cypher, Beth McLaughlin, Maureen Winslow, Sara Deprez, Mary Sabaj, Judge Collette, Mark Ferguson, Vince Dragonetti, and others

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Nolan at 6:01 p.m. in the Personnel Conference Room "D & E" of the Human Services Building, 5303 S. Cedar Street, Lansing.

Approval of the August 12, 2010 Minutes

MOVED BY COMM. SCHAFER, SUPPORTED BY COMM. TSERNOGLOU, TO APPROVE THE AUGUST 12, 2010 MINUTES.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY. Absent: Comm. Bahar-Cook

Additions to the Agenda

1h. Late – Out of State Travel Notification – Boys Town

Limited Public Comment

None

MOVED BY COMM. SCHAFER, SUPPORTED BY COMM. TSERNOGLOU, TO APPROVE THE CONTROLLER'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS AND TO APPROVE THE OUT OF STATE TRAVEL REQUEST – BOYS TOWN:

1. Budget Hearings
 - a. Circuit Court
 - b. Circuit Court – Family Division
 - c. Circuit Court – Friend of the Court Division
 - d. District Court

MOVED BY CHAIRPERSON NOLAN, TO AMEND THE CONTROLLER'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR THE DISTRICT COURT, BY ELIMINATING A VACANT COURT CLERK POSITION (\$63,313) INSTEAD OF ELIMINATING A PROBATION OFFICER POSITION (\$84,977). THE DIFFERENCE OF \$21,664 WILL BE MADE UP BY REDUCING A FULL-TIME PROBATION OFFICER TO THREE-QUARTER TIME. THIS WAS ACCEPTED AS A FRIENDLY AMENDMENT.

- e. Jury Administration
- h. Out of State Travel Request – Boys Town

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY. Absent: Comm. Bahar-Cook

- 1. Budget Hearings
 - b. Circuit Court – Family Division

Ms. Winslow, Circuit Court, expressed her concern that the reduction is too large. She stated that if necessary, they would return to the Board of Commissioners in order to ask for additional funds via a resolution.

- g. JUCC Recommendation

Ms. Sabaj, CCAB, requested that a Pre-Trial Investigator position be added to the “Z” list.

The Committee discussed the position and recommendation from JUCC.

(Board Chairperson De Leon arrived at 6:17 p.m.)

- f. Probate Court

Mr. Strander, Probate Court, indicated that they are satisfied with the Controller's recommended budget; however they are requesting that a Deputy Court Registered position be added to the Z list.

The Committee discussed the implications of the Probate Court's request.

MOVED BY COMM. SCHAFER, SUPPORTED BY COMM. DOUGAN, TO APPROVE THE CONTROLLER'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR THE PROBATE COURT.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY. Absent: Comm. Bahar-Cook

MOVED BY COMM. TSENOGLOU, SUPPORTED BY COMM. DAVIS, TO ADD THE PRE-TRIAL INVESTIGATOR POSITION TO THE “Z” LIST.

MOTION CARRIED (3-2) with Comms. Schafer and Dougan voting No. Absent: Comm. Bahar-Cook

2. Final Ranking
None

Announcements
None

Public Comment
None

The meeting adjourned at approximately 6:43 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karsha Sathianathan

RESOLUTION STAFF REVIEW

DATE September 7, 2010

Agenda Item Title: Resolution to Utilize Telephonic Conference Services Provided by CourtCall for the Circuit Court

Submitted by: Circuit Court

Committees: LE____, JD_ X_, HS____, CS____, Finance____

Summary of Proposed Action: This resolution will authorize a contract for the utilization of telephonic conference services provided by CourtCall, at no cost to the County, for any proceedings that may be held by telephonic conference pursuant to applicable court rules, statutes and state guidelines. See attached memo for further description of service and equipment.

This proposal is to allow a vendor to provide service to Court clients if they choose to use it and pay the costs associated with the service.

Financial Implications: The parties desiring to utilize these services will be responsible for paying for the service. Participation is voluntary. There is no cost to the County, nor any revenue sharing arrangement.

Other Implications: If the Court chooses to end the relationship with this vendor, the contract will be terminated and the vendor will collect its equipment and disconnect the phone line installed by the vendor. This will be a stand alone system to be installed and maintained by the vendor and will not touch the County networks of infrastructure.

Staff Recommendation: MAL ____ JLN_ X_ TL ____ TM____ JC ____
Staff recommends approval of the resolution.

MEMORANDUM

To: Judiciary Committee and Finance Committee
From: Rhonda K. Swayze
Date: September 7, 2010
Re: Telephonic Court Appearance

MCR 2.402 provides for the use of communication equipment in certain proceedings. The Circuit Court desires to provide parties with the ability to utilize telephonic conferencing for qualified proceedings. Utilization of the service is voluntary and is paid for by the party requesting the service.

CourtCall is a full service telephonic court appearance program. At no cost to the Court, CourtCall will provide us with high quality speakerphones (Polycom SoundStation 2EX) and pay for the analog phone line that is used. Parties who wish to use the telephonic court appearance option will contact CourtCall to make the arrangements. CourtCall will advise the Court as to its telephonic court appearance schedule. The parties and Court will each call an 800 number and meet on an electronic "bridge" that is monitored by an operator employed by CourtCall. Hearings will be conducted as they would be if the party had appeared in person.

The service is advantageous to parties who cannot afford the travel time to the Court.

cc: Hon. William E. Collette
Hon. Joyce Draganchuk
David Easterday
Hon. Paula J. M. Manderfield

**TELEPHONIC COURT APPEARANCE
COMPARISON OF VENDORS**

Vendors: CourtCall, James Kelly
 Tele-Court, Mark Dunbar

| | CourtCall | Tele-Court |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Equipment | Polycom SoundStation 2EX with 2 external mics ¹ Telephone line | Polycom SoundStation 2EX with 2 external mics Telephone line |
| Price of Equipment | Provides the equipment to the Court at no cost to the Court | Can provide the equipment to the Court at no cost to the Court (cost bore by the participants over a specific period of time in the form of an increased fee for use) or Court can purchase the equipment ² |
| Ownership of Equipment | Equipment is owned by CourtCall. Equipment is replaced within 24 hours if inoperative. | If Tele-Court provides the equipment, once it is paid for through the fee described above, the equipment is owned by the Court. If the Court purchases the equipment, then the Court owns the equipment. |
| Fee for Use | \$60 per call ³ ; \$65 per call with revenue sharing \$85 per call if scheduled late (within two court days before hearing) | \$25 - \$50 per call ⁴ No late fee |
| Operator Assistance | Operator assistance is provided to manage the telephonic conference schedule | Operator monitors the calls but doesn't necessarily manage the calls |
| Maintenance of Court Schedule | CourtCall sends notice to the parties 2 weeks in advance of the hearing. The telephonic conference hearing will be faxed to the Court a day before the scheduled hearings. | Notice of Request to Appear by Phone is prepared by the party and submitted to Tele-Court. Tele-Court forwards this to e-mail addresses provided by the Court as a tickler notice. At 8:00 a.m. the day telephonic appearances are scheduled, a reminder is send to the e-mail addresses provided by the Court. The schedule in its entirety can be viewed at the web link |
| Other Features | 98 employees; been in business since 1995; participates regularly as a vendor in court related | Provided by vendor: "Tele-Court doesn't disclose employment figures. We staff to serve the need, |

¹ Equipment is same as that used in demonstration of CourtCall functionality.

² Polycom SoundStation 2EX with 2 external mics is approximately \$552.

³ If calls regularly extend beyond either a morning or afternoon session, vendor will suggest implementing a sliding payment scale

⁴ Amount of fee will be based on whether the Court purchases the equipment (\$25 per call) or whether Tele-Court provides the equipment (\$30 - \$50 depending on what equipment is needed and the recovery period selected)

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| | conferences; has offered Judges and staff the opportunity to “sit in” on another locations hearings | and counting the bodies would not be enlightening. Tele-Court was incorporated in Colorado in 2008”; web link allows you to determine current participant status, see a picture of the participant (with web cam, the person in real time), and have control over those participants you wish to mute or disconnect; owns conference bridge equipment. |
| Other Comments | Company has provided information of competitor’s appeal from lost RFP awards and of competitor’s clients lost to CourtCall due to dissatisfaction with the service provided ⁵ | Company has maintained that it offers more service for less money, but has refrained from maligning competitor. |
| References | References provided by the company; participating Michigan Court, 18 th Judicial Circuit (Bay County) | References provided by the company; not currently in use by Michigan Courts. |

⁵ Per Jana Brackett, Federal Bankruptcy Court, Northern District, Western Division started with Tele-Court and then switched to CourtCall. Ability to access real time web site was appealing. However, lost connections, dropped calls, spotty operator assistance, and outside noise without permanent solutions being offered, caused them to switch to CourtCall. The operator assistance provided by CourtCall made not having the real time web site irrelevant.

Introduced by the Judiciary Committee of the:

INGHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**RESOLUTION TO UTILIZE TELEPHONIC CONFERENCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY
COURTCALL FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT**

WHEREAS, various court rules, statutes and state guidelines provide for participation in Court proceedings via telephonic conference; and

WHEREAS, the Circuit Court wishes to provide to the parties desiring to participate in proceedings in this manner the ability to utilize this service; and

WHEREAS, the Circuit Court has interviewed and been provided demonstrations by two vendors who offer this service, CourtCall and Tele-Court; and

WHEREAS, both vendors offer telephonic conference services at no cost to the County; and

WHEREAS, because of the company's longevity and presence in the State of Michigan, the Circuit Court has decided to pursue utilization of the telephonic conference capabilities provided by CourtCall.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ingham County Board of Commissioners approves the Ingham County Circuit Court's recommendation and authorizes a contract with CourtCall for the installation of telephonic conference equipment within the Circuit Court County Facilities effective the date of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Ingham County Board of Commissioners authorized the Board Chairperson and the County Clerk to sign any necessary contract documents that are consistent with this resolution and approved as to form by the County Attorney.

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Chief Circuit Judge

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Circuit Court Administrator



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Deputy Court Administrator/
Friend of the Court

RHONDA K. SWAYZE
Deputy Court Administrator /
General Trial Division

MAUREEN WINSLOW
Deputy Court Administrator /
Juvenile Division

MEMORANDUM

TO: Judiciary Committee

FROM: Maureen Winslow

DATE: September 8, 2010

RE: **In-State JJAM Conference**

In compliance with Ingham County's Travel and Employee Reimbursement Policy, this memo serves as notification of overnight travel for 2 Senior Juvenile Court Officers and 3 Juvenile Court Officers to attend the annual JJAM (Juvenile Justice Association of Michigan) conference to be held on September 22, 2010 through September 24, 2010. The conference will be held at Shanty Creek in Bellaire, Michigan. The registration fee is \$60.00 per employee and the hotel costs are \$199.50 each for the two males and \$172.00 each for the three females sharing rooms for a total cost, including mileage and meals not to exceed \$1500.00 for all 5 county employees, with a portion of that cost reimbursed by the Child Care Fund.

The Senior Juvenile Court Officers registered for the conference are Dave Mateer and Jim Dudzinski. The Juvenile Court Officers attending this year are Lindsey Robinson, Kristen Kirsch and Christine Sayers.

The agenda for the conference is attached to this Memo.

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Deputy Court Administrator /
Juvenile Division

MEMORANDUM

TO: Judiciary Committee

FROM: Maureen Winslow

DATE: September 8, 2010

RE: **In-State MAFCA Conference**

In compliance with Ingham County's Travel and Employee Reimbursement Policy, this memo serves as notification of my attendance at the fall, 2010 Michigan Association of Family Court Administrators Conference on September 30, 2010 and October 1, 2010. The conference will be held at the Comfort Inn & Suites in Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.

The cost of this conference includes the registration fee of \$50.00 and the overnight hotel accommodations at a rate of \$89.00. The total cost of the conference with mileage and meals will not exceed \$250.00. These expenses are eligible for Child Care Fund reimbursement.

Thank you.

County of Ingham
30th Judicial Circuit Court-Family Division

July 20, 2010

To: Judiciary Committee

From: Richard Gentry

Re: Higgins Lake Annual Conference

Greetings to all,

Through this memo I am requesting approval to attend the annual Michigan Juvenile Detention Association's (MJDA) annual conference from August 11-13, 2010, at Higgins Lake, Michigan. I have attached the conference agenda to this notification.

I would like to send four Youth Center employees along with myself to the conference. One employee (Mr. Stan Granger) will present on Crisis Intervention and as a result, the association will cover his registration. Those scheduled to participate in this conference are:

- ◇ Richard Gentry
- ◇ Edward Bratchette
- ◇ Marion Ponder
- ◇ Martin King
- ◇ Stan Granger (presenter – registration will be paid by the association)

The cost for individual registrations are \$150.00, which includes meals, lodging, and seminars. The total cost for four attendees are \$600.00. The funding source for this trip, if approved will be covered through the Ingham County Juvenile Justice Millage. Departure will take place from the Youth Center on Wednesday August 11, 2010 and return on August 13, 2010. The trip is scheduled to take about two hours and eleven minutes and is a total of two hundred and seventy eight miles (278). We will be using one vehicle for the trip.

We will be recognizing our Child Care Worker and Support Staff of the Year at the conference. Our staff will greatly benefit professionally from the field related topics presented along with the team building exercises they will be exposed to.

I will be happy to present additional information for the Judiciary committee if needed

Thank you so very much for considering.

Submitted by,

Richard Gentry, MAFS, Director
Ingham County Youth Center
700 East Jolly Road
Lansing, MI 48910
rgentry@ingham.org
517 887 4340

RESOLUTION STAFF REVIEW

DATE: August 21, 2010

Agenda Item Title: Resolution Authorizing 2011 Agreements for Juvenile Justice Community Agencies

Submitted by: Judiciary Committee

Committees: LE ____, JD_ X_, HS__ CS ____, Finance_ X_

Summary of Proposed Action:

This resolution would authorize contracts for the 2011 Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process. The Board of Commissioners previously reserved \$100,000 of the Juvenile Justice Millage (JJM) funds to contract with qualified vendors, to increase the capacity of the county juvenile justice system for the treatment of delinquent and disturbed youth which the County believes to be consistent with the provisions of the millage.

The Judiciary Committee will hear presentations on the proposed programs and review the applications for these funds before they recommend funding to the Finance Committee and the Board of Commissioners.

Copies of the JJM Community Agencies Applications, Resolution #10-179, "Resolution to Adopt the 2011 Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process Calendar", and other background material were distributed to the Board of Commissioners at their August 24, 2010 meeting, per the adopted Calendar.

Financial Implications:

The current 2010 allocation is as follows:

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| Dispute Resolution Center of Central Michigan - | \$ 21,750 |
| Lansing Teen Court - | 28,250 |
| Child and Family Services Capital Area - | <u>50,000</u> |
| | \$100,000 |

For 2011, \$100,000 is available for this purpose; the requests exceed available funds by \$14,000.

For 2011 the individual agency requests for funds are:

| | |
|---|---------------|
| Dispute Resolution Center of Central Michigan - | \$ 25,000 |
| Lansing Teen Court - | 39,000 |
| Child and Family Services Capital Area - | <u>50,000</u> |
| | \$ 114,000 |

Other Implications:

This will be the fifth Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process. The second round was for eighteen months for the time period July 1, 2007 through December 31, 2008, as a one time transitional process. For the third round and hereafter the Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process is an annual process for the duration of the millage period (2007-2011) to coincide with the County calendar fiscal year.

Staff Recommendation: ML ___ JLN X TL ___ TM ___ JC ___

This resolution is consistent with a Board of Commissioners' 2011 Budget priority objective as adopted by resolution # 10-130:

Providing Appropriate Treatment and Sanctions for at Risk Juveniles

Continue to implement recommendations resulting from the system-wide evaluation of programs and placements for delinquent juveniles done by the Center for Criminal Justice Research, and from the development of strategies by the Ingham County/City of Lansing Community Coalition for Youth, utilizing Child Care Funds and Juvenile Justice Millage funds to maintain the juvenile justice system in a manner that is most appropriate for Ingham County in order to foster appropriate behavior, apply appropriate sanctions, and reduce criminal recidivism.

Specific enhancement: Use Juvenile Justice Millage funds to continue implementation of the Action Plan created in the Chinn Study, including specifically: the operation of the Continuum of Care facility known as the Ingham County Family Center that houses the Ingham Academy with a comprehensive juvenile assessment component; day treatment/evening reporting program; and center for respite/crisis intervention to support community-based programming that will support the Court's and County's goals of treating adjudicated youth locally within Ingham County whenever appropriate, as advised by the Ingham County/City of Lansing Community Coalition for Youth and the Ingham County Family Center Board .

Introduced by the Judiciary and Finance Committees of the:

INGHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING 2011 AGREEMENTS FOR
JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMUNITY AGENCIES**

WHEREAS, a Juvenile Millage was approved by the voters of Ingham County in November of 2002, and renewed in 2006 for the purpose of funding an increase to Ingham County's capacity to detain and house juveniles who are delinquent or disturbed, and to operate new and existing programs for the treatment of such juveniles; and

WHEREAS, the Ingham County Board of Commissioners established a Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process, through Resolution #10-170 by reserving a pool of Juvenile Justice Millage funds, to seek and fund proposals from qualified vendors to increase the capacity of the county juvenile justice system for the treatment of delinquent and disturbed youth which the County believes to be consistent with the provisions of the millage proposal approved by the voters; and

WHEREAS, the County has received applications for the 2011 Juvenile Justice Community Agency Process.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ingham County Board of Commissioners hereby directs the County Attorney to draft contracts for the period of January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011, for each Community Agency listed below in accordance with the dollar amounts allocated in the 2011 Budget as stated below, and for the services to Ingham County residents previously approved by the Judiciary Committee:

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| Child and Family Services Capital Area | \$ |
| Dispute Resolution Center | \$ |
| Lansing Teen Court | \$ |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board Chairperson and County Clerk are authorized to sign the necessary contracts documents consistent with this resolution and approved as to form by the County Attorney.

RECEIVED

AUG 18 2010



AGENDA ITEM # 5a

JENNIFER M. GRANHOLM
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
LANSING

ISMAEL AHMED
DIRECTOR

August 13, 2010

Mark Thomas, Chairperson
Ingham County Board of Commissioners
Box 319
Mason, Michigan 48854

Dear Commissioner Thomas:

Your **amended** 2009-10 annual plan and budget for Child Care Fund expenditures is approved for state reimbursement in the amount of \$5,425,318.50. This amount is 50% of your county's gross annual plan and budget which is \$10,850,637.00.

Act 87 P.A. 1978 prohibits the state from reimbursing county Child Care Fund expenditures which exceed a county's approved budget. Child Care Fund policy prohibits reimbursement of capital, rental, lease and certain equipment and repair cost. If your expenditures exceed your **amended** approved budget of \$10,850,637.00, it will be necessary to submit a new/approved budget no later than October 9, 2010, with all three required signatures to be eligible for reimbursement for expenditures in excess of the original approved budget. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in state reimbursement being limited to authorized budget.

Reimbursement for In-Home Care and Basic Grant will only be made up to the amount approved for individual service components.

The following In-Home Care components are authorized:

| <u>Title</u> | <u>Administrative Unit</u> | <u>Gross Expenditures</u> |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aftercare/Truancy | Court | \$ 939,746.00 |
| Sexual Offender Program | Court | \$ 198,054.00 |
| Intensive Probation Services | Court | \$ 832,315.00 |
| In-Home Detention | Court | \$ 242,203.00 |
| Intensive Neglect Services/Family Supp.Serv. | Court | \$1,238,392.00 |
| Evening Reporting Program | Court | \$ 444,923.00 |
| Juvenile Assessment Center | Court | \$ 240,280.00 |
| Day Treatment Program | Court | \$1,661,707.00 |
| IMPACT Program | Court | \$1,225,882.00 |
| Community Programs/Services | Court | \$ 277,288.00 |
| MSU Diversion | Court | \$ 163,529.00 |
| IMPACT 2010 | DHS | \$ 353,396.00 |
| In Home Psychological Services 2010 | DHS | \$ 62,007.00 |

The following Basic Grant components are authorized:

| <u>Title</u> | <u>Administrative Unit</u> | <u>Gross Expenditures</u> |
|--------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| N/A | | |

Mark Thomas, Chairperson

August 13, 2010

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Any claim for state monies from the Child Care Fund to cover expenditures incurred between October 1, 2009 and September 30, 2010, will signify your acceptance of the terms of this **amended** approval letter as well as all conditions outlined in the original approval letter.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at (517) 241-7521.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Mehren", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mary Mehren, Director
Federal Compliance Division

cc: The Honorable Janelle A. Lawless, Family Court Judge, Ingham County
Randy Rauch, Acting Director, Ingham County DHS
Keith Schafer, Child Care Fund/Chargeback Unit
Melinda Fandel, Child Care Fund Specialist
Child Care Fund File

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AGENDA ITEM # 5b

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July 17, 2010

Jill E. Rhode
121 E. Maple
PO Box 319
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RE: People v Maroney
Docket No. 07-15592-SM
Judge Allen

Dear Ms. Rhode:

Please find enclosed an order following remand from 55th district court. As the order states, the actual victim in the above captioned case was Penny Panetta. The court erroneously paid this amount to the wrong person. Therefore, we are asking that the board of commissioners pay to Penny Panetta the amount ordered by the court - \$6685.00.

If you have any questions, please call.

Yours truly,



William Metros
Attorney at Law

cc: Penny Panetta
Prosecutor

STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 55TH DISTRICT COURT

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,

File No 07-15592-SM

Plaintiff,

Hon. Donald L. Allen

V

BRYANT ANDREW MARONEY,

Defendant

And

PENNY J. PANETTA,

Intervener

ORDER FOLLOWING REMAND

At a session of the 55th District Court held at 700 Buhl Drive,
Mason, Ingham County, Michigan on July 12, 2010

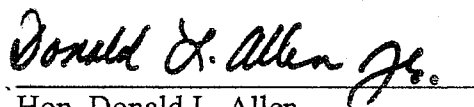
Present: Honorable Donald L. Allen, District Judge

The Defendant having pleaded guilty to embezzlement; the parties having agreed that the embezzled property, a tennis bracelet, was worth \$6,685.00; this Court having entered an Order of Probation on March 4, 2009 which included a requirement that the Defendant pay "\$6,685 restitution to victim;" the Defendant having paid \$6,685.00 to this Court; this Court having remitted \$6,685.00 to the Defendant's former employer, Randal Plaunt, based on the belief that he was the victim in this case; the Intervener having subsequently filed a Motion to Correct Record and having argued that she was entitled to the restitution; a hearing on this

motion having been held on November 9, 2009; this Court having determined that the restitution belonged to Randal Plaunt; an order to that effect having been entered on November 9, 2009; the Intervener having filed an appeal known as Ingham County Circuit Court File No 09-1597-AR; the Circuit Court having determined that this Court erred in its finding that the restitution belonged to Randal Plaunt; the Circuit Court having remanded this matter to this Court for further proceedings; the Intervener having filed a Motion for Entry of Order ~~and a Motion for Attorney Fees; both motions~~ having been heard on July 12, 2010,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion to Enter Order is granted. The March 4, 2009 Order of Probation in this case shall be modified to state: "6,685 restitution to victim, Penny J. Panetta."

~~IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Motion for Attorney Fees is denied for the reasons stated on the record.~~



Hon. Donald L. Allen
District Judge


TRUE COPY
55TH DISTRICT COURT

Countersigned:


Deputy Clerk

Approved as to form for entry:


Guy L. Sweet (P34298)
Attorney for the Plaintiff


William Metros (P42246)
Attorney for the Intervener

Drafted By:
Guy L. Sweet (P34298)