

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN:
Your County Administration Committee respectfully recommends the adoption of the following

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Michigan State Court Administrative Office (SCAO) has closed the FY2021 Swift and Sure Sanctions Probation Program application process; and

WHEREAS, the program is based on the "Swift and Certain" probation program implemented in 2001 in Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, Berrien County has received an award in the amount of \$150,000, with an in-kind match of \$6,250.70 (staffing costs), to continue the work being done in Berrien County; and

WHEREAS, the program utilizes two Michigan Department of Corrections (MDOC) agents, one of which is paid via additional funding through this grant and the inter-agency agreement between the SCAO and the MDOC (\$65,000); and

WHEREAS, program goals include reducing the number and frequency of missed appointments with felony probation officers, reducing the number and frequency of positive drug and alcohol tests, reducing recidivism, and reducing the number of felony probation revocations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners accepts the FY2021 Swift and Sure Sanctions Probation Program award and authorizes the Chairperson to execute the agreement via DocuSign.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BERRIEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Jim Curran, Chairperson

Michael J. Majerek, Vice Chairperson

Don Meeks

Chris Heugel

RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
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