

TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of October, 2021 with the meeting called to order at 8:00 a.m.

Commissioners Present: Thomas Young, Thomas Bardwell, Douglas DuRussel,
Dan Burnshaw

Commissioner(s) Absent:

Kim Vaughan

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner DuRussel, seconded by
Commissioner Young.

Resolution in Support of House Bill 5026

Resolution 2021-14

WHEREAS, the Emergency 9-1-1 Service Enabling Act, Michigan Public Act 32 of 1986, MCL §484.1101 et seq., as amended ("Act"), sunsets on December 31, 2021; and

WHEREAS, without an extension of the Act, Tuscola County has no authority to provide 9-1-1 service or to determine the technical, operational, managerial, or fiscal aspects of 9-1-1 service within the Tuscola County 9-1-1 Service District; and

WHEREAS, the cost of the 9-1-1 Emergency Service IP Network has been historically funded by user fees on communication devices; and

WHEREAS, user fee revenue has fallen short of expectations, which will result in a deficit in the State fund that pays for 9-1-1 network costs by 2023; and

WHEREAS, HB 5026 increases the State prepaid device user fee from 5% of the sale to 6% of the sale; and

WHEREAS, this small increase in the prepaid user fee, along with a \$16 million appropriation in SB 82, will provide only the amount necessary to fund the Emergency Services IP Network; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners supports enactment of HB 5026 to ensure continued operation and funding of 9-1-1 service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution will be forwarded to all members of the Michigan legislature.

Roll Call Vote:

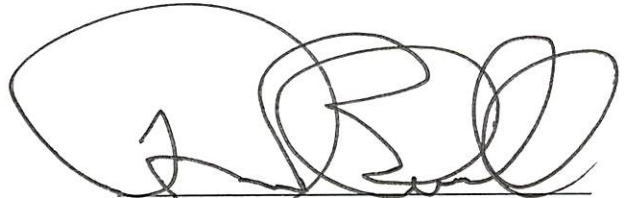
Ayes: *Mumshaw, Young, DuRussel, Bardwell*

Nays: *None*

Vaughan - absent

Resolution declared adopted.

Date 10-14-21



Thomas Bardwell, Chairperson
Tuscola County Board of
Commissioners

I, Jodi Fetting, Tuscola County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners at its meeting on October 14, 2021.

Date 10-14-2021

Jodi Fetting

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Tuscola County Clerk