

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1999 AS "KEEP OFF THE GRASS" DAY --- A DRUG-FREE DAY ALTERNATIVE TO THE ANNUAL HASH BASH

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

March 24, 1999

WHEREAS, increased drug and alcohol use by youth in Washtenaw County is of increasing concern to local elected officials and citizens; and

WHEREAS, a number of organizations have worked collaboratively to develop a drug-free alternative to the Annual Hash Bash in Ann Arbor; and;

WHEREAS, individuals from the Community Action on Substance Abuse (CASA); the Ann Arbor Public Schools, the University of Michigan, local law enforcement agencies, and concerned citizens have proposed "Keep Off The Grass" Day to be held, Saturday, April 3, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners applauds the efforts of these organizations and citizens to help eliminate drug and alcohol abuse in our community; and

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Public Health Department, City of Ann Arbor, Saint Joseph Mercy Hospital, Washtenaw County Community Partnership, Drug Enforcement Agency, University of Michigan, Huron Valley Ambulance, Office of Drug Control Policy, and the Substance Abuse Coordinating Agency for Livingston and Washtenaw Counties have made funding available in support of "Keep Off The Grass" Day in Washtenaw County

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaim Saturday, April 3, 1999, "Keep Off The Grass" Day--a drug free alternative to the Annual Hash Bash.

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