

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING AN INDIVIDUAL TO STATE EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMUNITY RIGHT-TO-KNOW COMMISSION FOR APPOINTMENT TO SERVE ON THE WASHTENAW COUNTY LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMISSION

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

August 4, 1999

WHEREAS, the "Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act" (SARA) was enacted on October 17, 1986; and

WHEREAS, SARA Title III (The Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986) established requirements for reporting on hazardous and toxic chemicals; and

WHEREAS, the State Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Commission was established in 1987; and

WHEREAS, local emergency management jurisdictions were adopted to serve as emergency planning districts under Title III of SARA; and

WHEREAS, Washtenaw County and the City of Ann Arbor each represent a district; and

WHEREAS, each Local Emergency Planning Committee shall include at a minimum elected state, elected local, law enforcement, fire fighting, first aid, health, civil defense, local environmental, hospital, transportation, broadcast and print media, community groups, owners and operators of facilities subject to the requirements under this Act; and

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners directed the County Administrator to seek recommendations from various organizations and agencies for names of individuals for consideration by the Board for submission to the State for a Local Emergency Planning Committee (87-0260); and

WHEREAS, establishing a three-year term to revisit the recommended membership will effectively update the State Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Commission; and

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists due to the resignation of Laura Burkey as the first aide representative

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby recommends Cathleen Taylor as the first aide representative to the State Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Commission for appointment to the Washtenaw County Local Emergency Planning Committee for the remainder of a three year term expiring December 31, 2001

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