

A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD'S SIGNATURE ON THE SERVICE CENTER OPERATIONS REED ACT FUNDS PLAN APPLICATION TO THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2002 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2003 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$145,294 FOR THE EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES GROUP; AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE NOTICE OF GRANT AWARD; APPROVING THE BUDGET, AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE DELEGATE CONTRACTS

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

November 6, 2002

WHEREAS, the Michigan Works! Service Center is recognized as the focal point for workforce activities in the county; and

WHEREAS, the Service Center then is the primary location where workforce development activities will occur; funds will be used for the continuation of upgrading and operating the current Washtenaw County Michigan Works! Service Center; and

WHEREAS, funding for FY 2002 Service Center Operations under WIA has been rescinded; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2002 Service Center Operations - Reed Act plan in the amount of \$145,294 replaces the FY 2002 WIA Service Center Operations plan in the amount of \$109,672 approved by the Board of Commissioners in Resolution #02-0115 on July 17, 2002; and

WHEREAS, Reed Act funds will be used for the continuation of upgrading and operating the current Washtenaw County Michigan Works! Service Center; and

WHEREAS, these services will include improving customer service, upgrading facilities and technology, and informing the public about the Michigan Works! Service Center; and

WHEREAS, through a partnership with the local community college and businesses an Earn and Learn Center is being planned to train and employ residents in culinary arts and restaurant management; and

WHEREAS, the Earn and Learn Center concept entails the use of a restaurant as a place where people majoring in Restaurant/Food Management at Washtenaw Community College, or some other college, could work and learn at the same time within the field the field they are studying; and

WHEREAS, this matter has been reviewed by the Washtenaw County Workforce Development Board, Corporation Counsel, Finance, Human Resources, the County Administrator's Office, and the Ways and Means Committee

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby ratifies the Chair of the Board's signature on the Service Center Operations Reed Act Funds plan application to the Michigan Department of Career Development, in the amount of \$145,294 for the period of October 1, 2002 through September 30, 2003 for the Employment Training and Community Services Group, as on file with the County Clerk.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners takes the following actions contingent upon receipt of the grant award in conformity with the application:

1. Authorize the Administrator to sign the Notice of Grant Award
2. Approving the budget, as attached hereto and made a part hereof
3. Authorizing the Administrator to sign the delegate contracts upon review by Corporation Counsel, to be filed with the County Clerk.

Washtenaw County ETCS
Fund #2430 - Service Center Operation
Business Unit 2430029100
Year Ending September 30, 2003

Revenues

50000

Federal Revenue

\$ 145,294

Expenditures

80000

Other Services and Charges

\$ 145,294