



**RESOLUTION # 24-03-11**

RICHLAND TOWNSHIP  
KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN

**PA 152 of 2011 OPT-OUT RESOLUTION  
FOR THE BENEFIT YEAR 2024-2025**

**WHEREAS**, Richland Township is a general law township located in Kalamazoo County Michigan that provides employee health insurance to qualified employees and board members in accordance with MCL 41.110b et seq. and the Richland Township Group Insurance Plan Ordinance (Ordinance No. 207, as amended codified at Section 5.00 of the Richland Township Code of Ordinances); and

**WHEREAS** PA 152 of 2011 (being MCL 15.561 et seq.) known and cited as the "Publicly Funded Insurance Act" limits the contribution that a local unit of government, such as Richland Township, may make towards medical insurance benefits; and

**WHEREAS** MCL 15.568(1) permits the township to exempt itself from the contribution limits of PA 152 of 2011 for the next succeeding medical benefit plan coverage year prior to commencement of a new plan year; by a 2/3 vote of the Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Board desires to exempt the Township from the medical benefit funding limitations of PA 152 of 2011 for the benefit year 2024-2025.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, it is resolved that Richland Township hereby exercises its option under MCL 15.568(1) and exempts itself from the requirements of P.A. 152 of 2011 for the benefit year 2023-2024.

This resolution offered by board member Eldridge.

Supported by board member Wendzel.

Upon a roll call vote, the following voted:

**AYES:** Harma, Peter, Drown, Wendzel, Priest, Eldridge

**NAYS:** NONE

**ABSTAIN:** NONE

**ABSENT:** Foust

Supervisor Harma declared the resolution adopted this 19th day of March 2024.



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Bear Priest  
Richland Township Clerk

Attested, Lysanne Harma  
Richland Township Supervisor

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Richland Township Board held on March 19, 2024, held at the Richland Township Hall, 7401 North 32nd Street, Richland MI, 49083. I furthermore certify the meeting was conducted and public notice of the meeting was given pursuant to and in compliance with the Michigan Open Meetings Act; that a quorum of the Board was present and voted in favor of the resolution; and that the minutes of the meeting will be or have been made available as required by the Open Meetings Act.

Bear Priest  
Richland Township

3-19-2024

Date