

**A RESOLUTION FOR APPROVAL OF THE KOCHVILLE TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SAGINAW COUNTY AND MICHIGAN MUTUAL AID BOX ALARM SYSTEM DIVISION**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER: 17-12**

**WHEREAS**, Kochville Township Board of Trustees has the power, privilege and authority to maintain and operate a fire department providing fire protection, fire suppression, emergency medical services, technical rescue, hazardous incident response, and other emergency response services ("Fire Services"); and

**WHEREAS**, Fire Services can further be improved by cooperation between political subdivisions during times of public emergency, conflagration or disaster ("Incidents"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Michigan Constitution of 1963, Article 7, § 28, and the Urban Cooperation Act of 1967, Act No. 7 of the Public Acts of 1967, Ex. Sess., being MCL 124.501 *et seq.* (the "Act"), permit a political subdivision to exercise jointly with any other political subdivision any power, privilege or authority which such political subdivisions share in common and which each might exercise separately; and

**WHEREAS**, the Kochville Township Board of Trustees desires to enter into an interlocal agreement, pursuant to the Act, to further improve Fire Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mutual Aid Box Alarm System (MABAS), is a mechanism that may be used for deploying personnel and equipment in a multi-jurisdictional or multi-agency emergency mutual aid response; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of entering into an interlocal agreement to further improve Fire Services, the Parties are creating the Saginaw County MABAS Division; and

**WHEREAS**, Kochville Township Fire Department has the authority to execute this Agreement pursuant to resolution of its governing body; and

**WHEREAS**, Kochville Township Fire Department desires to commit personnel and equipment to another Party if deemed reasonable upon the request of another Party; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: Kochville Township Board of Trustees finds it is the best interest of its citizens from a safety and fiscal standpoint to enter into the Interlocal Agreement creating the Saginaw County MABAS Division and agrees to appoint one member to the MABAS Executive Board.**

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The foregoing resolution was offered by Board Member Trustee Thon and supported by Supervisor Loiacano.

Upon roll call vote, the following voted:

"Aye" – Supervisor Loiacano, Clerk Machata, Treasurer Brewster, Trustee Ferrell and Trustee Thon

"Nay" - None

"Abstained" – None

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Kochville Township Board held on the 20th day of March, 2017.

Resolution No. 10-07 is hereby repealed.

  
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James Loiacano  
Supervisor of Kochville Township

  
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Kevin Machata  
Clerk of Kochville Township

### **CERTIFICATE**

I, Kevin Machata, Clerk of Kochville Township, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Kochville Township Board at its meeting held on March 20, 2017.

  
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Kevin Machata  
Clerk of Kochville Township