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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN: Your County Administration Committee respectfully recommends the adoption of the following

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, TRANSCAERSM (Transportation Community Awareness Emergency Response) is a national outreach program led by industry professionals who volunteer their time to support the mission of promoting safe transportation and handling of hazardous materials, educate and assist communities near major transportation routes about hazardous materials, and aid community emergency response planning for hazardous material transportation incidents; and

WHEREAS, the TRANSCAER Hazmat Team Response Fund was established in 2020 to assist hazmat responders in acquiring hazmat response equipment and advanced training to protect themselves and their community when responding to hazardous materials transportation incidents; and

WHEREAS, The TRANSCAER Hazmat Team Response Fund provides annual awards from \$500-\$2,500 based on individual needs.

WHEREAS, interested parties must submit an application no later than May 1, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Berrien County Hazardous Materials Regional Response Team Commander is authorized and directed to submit the 2021 TRANSCAER Hazmat Team Response Fund grant application on behalf of Berrien County.

**Respectfully Submitted,
BERRIEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**

Jim Curran, Chairperson

Don Meeks, Vice Chairperson

David Vollrath

Julie Wuerfel

RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
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