**RESOLUTION #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

WHEREAS, \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* has the power, privileges 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 \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* desires to enter into an interlocal agreement, pursuant to the Act, to further improve Fire Services; and

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

WHEREAS, as a result of entering into an interlocal government agreement to further improve Fire Services, the \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* is a signing party to MI-MABAS; and

WHEREAS, the \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* has the authority to execute this Agreement pursuant to resolution of its governing body; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* finds it is the best interest of its citizens from a safety and financial standpoint to enter into the interlocal Agreement joining the Michigan Mutual Aid Box Alarm System Association; and

1. That the \_*(insert City/Township/Village)\_\_* is authorized to enter into the Amended Michigan Mutual Aid Box Alarm System Association Agreement; and
2. That \_\_\_(*insert authorized signatory’s title*)\_\_\_ is hereby authorized to execute (sign) the attach agreement.