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PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2010

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Adoption of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes dated January 14, 2010 (previously distributed)
5. Public Participation
6. Authorize Community Services Agency to Receive Grant with Meals on Wheels Association of America (mailed)
7. Authorize Community Services Agency to Receive Transport Vehicle Through Grant with United Way for Southeastern Michigan (mailed)
8. Report by Community Services Agency Director (mailed)
9. Status Report by Veterans Services Department Director (mailed)
10. Status Report by Macomb County Department of Human Services (mailed)
11. New Business
12. Public Participation
13. Adjournment

MEMBERS: Torrice-Chair, Tocco-Vice-Chair, Mijac, Brdak, Bruley, Accavitti, Boyle, Kepler, Lampar and Gieleghem (ex-officio)

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RESOLUTION NO. _____

FULL BOARD MEETING DATE 2/25/2010

AGENDA ITEM: _____

MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION TO: Recommend that the Macomb County Board of Commissioners authorize the
Macomb County Community Services Agency to receive 12,150 through a grant with Meals on Wheels
Association of America.

INTRODUCED BY: Commissioner Carey Torrice, Chair Public Services Committee

Background

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Funding Amount

\$12,150 grant funds
\$ 1,350 match funds (10% Minimum)
\$13,500 total project funds

Although the grant requires match, no County funds are being utilized for this project.

Period of Performance

January 31, 2010 – June 30, 2010

Funding Utilization

Funds will be used to purchase delivery equipment to ensure the appropriate food temperatures are maintained during food delivery to our network of pick up locations.

Customer Eligibility Requirements

Not Applicable

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MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION TO: Recommend that the Macomb County Board of Commissioners authorize the
Macomb County Community Services Agency to receive one transport vehicle through a grant with United
Way for Southeastern Michigan.

INTRODUCED BY: Commissioner Carey Torrice, Chair Public Services Committee**Background**

United Way for Southeastern Michigan formed a public-private partnership between Bank of America and the Ford Motor Company Fund to address the growing food crisis in southeastern Michigan. Ford Motor Company is making an in-kind donation of five (5) specially-designed transport vehicles. A agreement has been developed and is being reviewed by Corporation Counsel, Risk Management and the Finance Department. (See attached press release).

Funding Amount

We will be the recipient of one of these transport vehicles. Staff costs, as well as gas, maintenance, and insurance will be covered with existing grant funds. We anticipate taking delivery on the vehicle on March 2, 2010.

No County funds are being utilized for this project.

Period of Performance: March 2, 2010 to December 31, 2010**Funding Utilization**

A 2010 Ford; Transit Connect XL Cargo Van will be used to deliver meals for the Meals on Wheels program across Macomb County. An employee of the agency will deliver approximately 65 liquid meals per day during the period of use.

Customer Eligibility Requirements

Not Applicable

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PRESS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

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United Way for Southeastern Michigan Receives Unprecedented Financial and In-Kind Support from Bank of America and the Ford Motor Company Fund to Address the Issue of Hunger in Our Community
More than 700,000 people in the metro Detroit area are currently in need of food

DETROIT, Jan. 20, 2010 – United Way for Southeastern Michigan today announced the formation of an unprecedented public-private partnership between Bank of America and the Ford Motor Company Fund to address the growing food crisis in our region. Food insecurity affects more than 700,000 people in southeast Michigan. As the unemployment rate rises, the need for food increases dramatically. United Way estimates that currently one in six people face hunger problems.

United Way is leading the effort to improve food aid in three areas:

- Utilization (significantly increase the use of existing federal food assistance programs and raise awareness of how to access them);
- Distribution (double the amount of food provided through formal food distribution channels by aggressively addressing issues of supply, capacity and access); and
- Expansion (adding programs and services to address growing community need).

Bank of America and the Ford Motor Company Fund have made substantial financial and in-kind contributions to support these efforts. Bank of America is making a \$400,000 contribution and the Ford Motor Company Fund is making an in-kind donation of five specially-designed transport vehicles along with a financial contribution for a combined total value of \$211,000.

Responding to the rising demand for food, United Way is taking a two-pronged approach by focusing its efforts on food assistance and early childhood programs. United Way projects that the need will exist for many years to come. The organization's goal is to link agencies, identify gaps in capacity and develop innovative ways to effectively address the issue. The funds from Bank of America will be applied to school programs in critical need of food support. The donated vehicles and funds from Ford Motor Company Fund will provide a model for revamping the food delivery transport system that could be replicated on a national scale.

"Bank of America remains focused and proactive on providing relevant, meaningful support to help individuals and families navigate difficult times," said Kieth Cockrell, Michigan Market President for Bank of America. "In these times of a shifting economy, the need to address our food distribution and access systems is critical to the health and vitality of our community. We are proud to support United Way, both financially and through the dedication and efforts of our associates. We hope this contribution will inspire other companies to join us, in partnership and address this basic need so that our youth, mothers, fathers, workers and families have access to fresh, nutritious and affordable food options."

"As part of our realignment into a community-impact organization through the Agenda for Change, United Way will continue to take the lead in unprecedented, innovative work throughout the region to address the food crisis," said Mike Brennan, president and CEO of United Way for Southeastern Michigan. "Through the generosity of Bank of America and the Ford Motor Company Fund, we are laying the groundwork for long-term success by working to redesign a system that is currently under tremendous stress."

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"There isn't an issue that is more critical at this time in this region than hunger," said Jim Vella, President, Ford Motor Company Fund and Community Services. "At Ford, we want to be part of the solution to the hunger problem by ensuring that every single person in need gets at least one meal a day. Our five Mobile Transit Connect Pantries—which are on the road right now—will help us structurally change the way food is delivered and also how food is recovered."

In 2009, The Kresge Foundation and W.K. Kellogg Foundation joined forces to fund (\$500,000 and \$250,000 respectively) a study performed by McKinsey & Co. to evaluate the food assistance service gaps that United Way is now focused on bridging.

A meeting was held today to update community partners on United Way's food work. Representatives from Kresge, Bank of America, the Ford Motor Company Fund and other corporate and community partners were in attendance. During his remarks to this group of key stakeholders, Brennan communicated the need for continued reform. "Now, more than ever, the success of the region in the 21st century will require us to address our communities' most pressing need for food assistance by taking rapid action and unprecedented approaches to systemic change."

About United Way for Southeast Michigan

United Way for Southeastern Michigan mobilizes the caring power of Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties to improve lives in measurable and lasting ways throughout the region. The organization is led by a diverse group of volunteers from business, labor, government, human services, education and the community. United Way provides opportunities to invest in the metropolitan Detroit community through its annual Campaign and is a leader in convening partners to impact local residents each year by increasing economic self-sufficiency, protecting children and youth at risk, strengthening families, empowering neighborhoods and communities, and promoting health and wellness. Additional information is available at www.uwsem.org.

About Bank of America Corporate Philanthropy

Building on a long-standing tradition of investing in the communities it serves, last year Bank of America embarked on a new, ten-year goal to donate \$2 billion to nonprofit organizations engaged in improving the health and vitality of their neighborhoods. Funded by Bank of America, the Bank of America Charitable Foundation gave more than \$200 million in 2008, making the bank the most generous financial institution in the world and the second largest donor of all U.S. corporations in cash contributions. Bank of America approaches investing through a national strategy called "neighborhood excellence" under which it works with local leaders to identify and meet the most pressing needs of individual communities. Bank associate volunteers contributed more than 900,000 hours in 2008 to enhance the quality of life in their communities nationwide. For more information about Bank of America Corporate Philanthropy, please visit www.bankofamerica.com/foundation.

About Ford Motor Company Fund and Community Services

Ford Motor Company Fund and Community Services is a community relations and philanthropic nonprofit funded by Ford Motor Company. Celebrating its 60th anniversary in 2009, Ford Fund supports initiatives and institutions that foster and promote innovation in education, greater automotive safety and American heritage and diversity. National programs include Ford Partnership for Advance Studies (Ford PAS), which provides a 21st century skills-based curriculum to more than 40,000 high school students; and Ford Driving Skills for Life, which has taught safe driving skills to more than 337,000 young drivers. In addition, the Ford Volunteer Corps, established in 2005, enlists the help of thousands of Ford employees and retirees who volunteer their time to continue Ford's legacy of community service worldwide. For more information about programs made possible by Ford Motor Company Fund and Community Services, please visit www.community.ford.com.

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MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION TO: Receive and file a report from the Macomb County Community

Services Agency Director.

INTRODUCED BY: Commissioner Carey Torrice, Chair Public Services Committee

- 1. Update on fund raising activities
- 2. Update on the Continuum of Care Coordinator office assignment
- 3. Update on upcoming March outreach activities

COMMITTEE/MEETING DATE

Public Services Committee 7/16/2009

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DATE: _____

FULL BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

ITEM: _____

MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION TO Receive and file Monthly Status Report for January 2010,
as submitted by Kermit Harris, Director of Veterans Services.

INTRODUCED BY: Carey Torrice, Chair, Public Services Committee

COMMITTEE / MEETING DATE

Public Services / 02-11-2010

**PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD MEETING
Status Report for JANUARY 2010**

Veterans Services Commission Members:

Mike G. Kinney, Chairman
George Helm, Vice Chairman
Pat M. Daniels, Member at Large
Natalie V. McPherson, Member at Large
Therese Wrobøl, Member at Large

After review by the Veterans Services Commission 24 county burial applications and 3 marker reimbursement applications were approved for January.

STATUS REPORT – JANUARY 2010		<u>2010</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2009</u>
		<u>(JAN)</u>	<u>(2010)</u>	<u>(JAN)</u>
1.	Personal Contacts with Veterans	518	518	406
	<u>WWII</u>			
	<u>Korean</u>			
	<u>Vietnam</u>			
	<u>Persian</u>			
	<u>Iraq</u>			
	<u>Peacetime</u>			
	87			
	67			
	247			
	52			
	40			
	25			
2.	Claims (New/On-Going): Compensation, Pension DIC, Widows Death Pension	235	235	114
3.	Federal Burial Allowance	9	9	6
4.	County Burial Allowance	24	24	30
5.	County Burial – Excess Net Worth	12	12	11
6.	Government Markers	3	3	5
7.	Flag Display Cases	35	35	38
8.	Financial Assistance (MVTF)	20	20	25
9.	Veterans Relief Fund (VRF)	4	4	2

**AMOUNT OF DOLLARS BROUGHT IN
MACOMB COUNTY FROM VA FOR THE
MONTH OF JANUARY 2010**

Total Amount of One Time <u>Payment of Retro</u>	Total Amount of <u>Recurring Monthly</u>
\$646,013	\$40,864

Kermit E. Harris, Lt Col USAF (ret)
Director, Veterans Services

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MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION TO receive and file the Caseload Trend Report submitted by the Department of Human Services for December, 2009

INTRODUCED BY: Carey Torrice, Chair, Public Services Committee

COMMITTEE/MEETING DATE
Public Services 02/11/10

**MACOMB COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
SUMMARY OF ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS CASES AND APPLICATIONS**

December 2009

	JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH		APRIL		MAY		JUNE	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	*2009	2008	*2009
FIP	3032	3172	2997	3208	2947	3188	2958	3179	3005	3164	3002	3038
DAY CARE	3376	3258	3405	3187	3322	3061	3317	2913	3360	2792	3440	2611
SDA, AMP	3769	3125	4382	2875	4711	3257	4741	4093	4632	5002	4519	5270
SSI/MA	10796	11384	10802	11431	10846	11424	10838	11258	10887	11119	11002	10611
MA (M,O,P)	12217	12287	12290	12406	12480	12484	12634	12595	12585	12624	12555	12522
MA (L,N,Q)	32271	33866	32805	34620	33128	35518	33328	35741	33490	35681	33855	34713
FAP-Cash	2659	2822	2626	2891	2549	2919	2583	2922	2657	2910	2660	2794
FAP-Non-Cash	28001	34200	28317	35120	28806	36019	29148	36983	29254	37824	29537	37388
SER	138	162	108	132	83	124	102	109	102	92	90	110
TOTAL ACTIVE CASES	96259	104276	97732	105870	98872	107994	99649	109793	99972	111208	100660	109057
TOTAL AP APPLICATIONS	11749	13660	10177	12460	10772	15005	11468	15205	10380	15356	10028	14150

	JULY		AUGUST		SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER		NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
	2008	**2009	2008	**2009	2008	***2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
FIP	2986	3336	2920	3241	2856	3572	2940	3808	3040	3762	3087	3961
DAY CARE	3215	2704	3219	***2557	3213	2476	3241	2423	3247	2417	3230	2399
SDA, AMP	4391	5765	4181	5833	4002	5764	3914	5656	3792	5471	3435	5344
SSI/MA	11058	12202	11125	11896	11194	12275	11192	12774	11194	12958	11355	13096
MA (M,O,P)	12609	13600	12548	18345	12615	18633	12762	18874	12908	18903	12349	19096
MA (L,N,Q)	34160	38457	33691	41150	33832	42220	34168	43694	34607	44505	33889	45945
FAP-Cash	2655	3066	2589	3329	2541	3558	2646	3800	2725	3936	2767	4127
FAP-Non-Cash	29821	40248	30195	40249	30539	41383	31362	42491	32056	43806	33061	45350
SER	113	172	137	448	99	701	134	1147	127	858	151	820
TOTAL ACTIVE CASES	101008	119550	100605	124491	100891	130582	102359	134667	103696	136616	103324	140138
TOTAL AP APPLICATIONS	10190	12048	10479	9544	11746	8664	12861	12454	9754	11935	11751	11391

*Case totals may not include all active cases due to cases converted to Bridges

**Includes case data from Bridges and Legacy

***Bridges only (no legacy report, from September 2009 on)

(REV. 8/09)

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**MACOMB COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
SUMMARY OF SOCIAL SERVICES CASES**

December 2009

	JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH		APRIL		MAY		JUNE	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
COMM PLC ADULT	43	40	43	43	41	43	42	46	41	50	41	46
*CHILD FOSTER CARE	1226	1254	1242	1264	1245	1241	1245	1230	1205	1222	1210	1208
*ADOPTION		43		40		55		55		64		39
DELINQUENCY	96	75	94	70	91	55	88	55	83	43	76	54
PS-ADULT	145	81	156	103	152	108	121	143	106	168	121	164
PS-CHILDREN	203	166	213	204	211	183	211	215	215	205	227	214
ADULT SERVICES	3653	3969	3677	3975	3681	4013	3717	3977	3759	3948	3804	3842

	JULY		AUGUST		SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER		NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
COMM PLC ADULT	39	38	38	47	38	47	38	45	40	51	40	49
*CHILD FOSTER CARE	1248	1213	1241	1181	1246	1183	1233	1191	1245	1186	1274	1152
*ADOPTION		47		51		65		47		62		41
*DELINQUENCY	72	58	75	55	64	55	62	57	64	58	63	54
PS-ADULT	93	197	118	213	101	213	83	141	91	132	67	147
*PS-CHILDREN	200	225	199	184	205	184	218	190	226	213	239	233
ADULT SERVICES	3838	3143	3875	4123	3863	4121	3916	4039	3927	4082	3963	4079

(REV. 09/09)

*Previously used data sources for Child Welfare are no longer available. Effective January 2009

Adult Source: ASCAP run date 01/04/10

new data sources for these programs are as follows: Foster Care and Delinquency - SWS005,

Adoption - WebIntelligence, PS-Children - CPS Active Caseload Report

Also: Data for Child Foster Care and Adoption that had previously been combined as Comm PLC Child is now separated by program type with data entries beginning January 2009.