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HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

111 S. Michigan Ave., Room 200, Saginaw, MI 48602

Monday, February 5, 2024 – 4:00 p.m.

Present: Gerald Little – Chair, Tracey Slodowski – Vice-Chair, Michael Webster, Lisa Coney, Christopher Boyd

Others: Mary Catherine Hannah, Koren Thurston, Dave Gilbert, Jaime Ceja, Mark Rankin, Saltanat Mambetova, Teresa Crook, Cheri Burk, Phil Kaatz, Monica Jean, Tom Miller Jr., Bruce McKinney, Catherine Hicks, Marissa Sawdon and Suzy Koeplinger

- I. Call to Order ---**Little at 4:00 p.m.**
- II. Welcome
- III. Correction/Approval of Minutes (*January 8, 2024*)
---**Moved by Boyd, seconded by Coney, to approve. Motion carried.**
- IV. Public Comment ---**None**
 - *Speakers limited to 3 minutes*
- V. Agenda
 1. **Mark Rankin, MSU Extension, District 9 Director, re:**
 - **2-20-1** Providing quarterly data reports for October – December 2023 and providing information on the Agribusiness and Agricultural Institute (AABI)
Mr. Rankin detailed the information in his report and offered a compiled list of MSU Extension 2023 programs.
---**Moved by Webster, seconded by Boyd, to receive and file. Motion carried.**
(Receive & File)

Staff from the MSUE Agribusiness and Agricultural Institute (AABI) - Teresa Crook, Phil Kaatz, Saltanat Mambetova, Cheri Burk, and Monica Jean introduced themselves, explained the scope of their positions with MSU Extension, and the positive impact of the programs on farmers, the local economy and commodity groups.
 2. Any other matters to come before the committee ---**None**
- VI. Miscellaneous ---**None**
- VII. Adjournment ---**Moved by Coney, seconded by Boyd, to adjourn. Motion carried; time being 4:33 p.m.**

Respectfully Submitted,
Gerald Little, Committee Chair
Suzy Koeplinger, Committee Clerk