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LEELANAU COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ANNUAL STATUTORY MEETING – TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 20080V 1 8 2008

Tentative Minutes - Meeting recorded.

Roll Call:

District #1 Commissioner Jean I. Watkoski

District #2 Commissioner Mark Walter
District #3 Commissioner William J. Bunek
District #4 Commissioner Mary P. Tonneberger
District #5 Commissioner David W. Shiflett
District #6 Commissioner Robert L. Hawley
District #7 Commissioner Melinda C. Lautner

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## **ACTION ITEMS:**

Resolution Opposing House Bill 6112:

Vice-Chairman Tonneberger requested clarification on the draft resolution. Commissioner Shiflett questioned if binding arbitration would pass, would it affect the Leelanau County Corrections Officers and Gill indicated that it will. Gill continued with explanation.

MOTION BY BUNEK TO APPROVE A RESOLUTION OPPOSING HOUSE BILL 6112. SECOND WATKOSKI.

ROLL CALL: BUNEK - YES; LAUTNER - YES; SHIFLETT - YES; WATKOSKI - YES; TONNEBERGER - YES.

AYES - 5 NO - 0

ABSENT/EXCUSED – 2

MOTION CARRIED.

## RESOLUTION #2008 - 024 RESOLUTION OPPOSING HOUSE BILL 6112

WHEREAS, House Bill 6112 was introduced in the House; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 6112 passed from the House on June 26, 2008

WHEREAS, House Bill 6112 was received in the Senate on June 27, 2008.

WHEREAS, House Bill 6112, if passed, will create a new act known as the Corrections Officer Compulsory Arbitration Act to provide binding arbitration procedure for the resolution of labor disputes; and

WHEREAS, compulsory arbitration of labor disputes has proven to be a costly and timeconsuming process by which a third party decides the terms and conditions of collective bargaining agreements instead of the parties themselves; and

WHEREAS, this act would create a procedure that mirrors what is known as Act 312 compulsory arbitration which currently applies to police officers and fire fighters, and not to

WHEREAS, compulsory arbitration promotes an adversarial labor-management solution and discourages continued negotiations toward mutually obtained collect bargaining agreements;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE Leelanau County Board of Commissioners

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Jennifer Granholm, Senator Michelle McManus, Representative David Palsrok, the Government Operations and Reform Senate Committee and its members, and the Michigan Association of Counties.

State of Michigan

hereby goes on record in strong opposition of HB 6112; and

County of Leelanau

Court of record having a seal, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Record now remaining in my office and of the whole thereof. In Testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Circuit Court the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 2008.

Michelle L. Crocker, Leelanau County Clerk

I, Michelle L. Crocker, Clerk of said County and Clerk of Circuit Court for said County, the same being a