

RESOLUTION

To: The Honorable Board of Commissioners
Huron County
Michigan

WE, the LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 203 and House Bill 4432 create the opportunity for competition by an out-of-state for-profit agency that is now publicly-owned; this entity recently issued an IPO raising \$350 million; and

WHEREAS, given the resources and availability of trusted PACE providers with strong track records, it is unconscionable to invite non-Michigan providers to jump to the front of the line and take resources away from successful, Michigan small businesses that want to keep expanding to serve the need; and

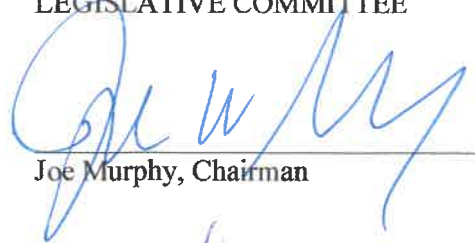
WHEREAS, current PACE organizations are currently unable to expand at a rate that is commensurate with public demand due to an array of state enrollment caps, and Senate Bill 203 and House Bill 4432 do not state that the new out-of-state organization will have the same state enrollment hurdles; and

WHEREAS, existing PACE organizations in Michigan have made large investments in our state's communities and have made a commitment to provide high-quality, cost efficient care to the older adults across the state, PACE has already proven its success in reducing costs and maintaining effective care while improving the overall quality of life for participants; now


THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners hereby opposes Senate Bill 203 and House Bill 4432 which grant an entity to establish a PACE organization in a geographical area already designated to and served by an existing PACE organization.

Respectfully submitted,

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE



Joe Murphy, Chairman



Michael H. Meissner, Vice Chairman



Steve Vaughan, Member

Dated: April 13, 2021

~~VOICE~~ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COMMISSIONER	YES	NO	ABSENT	COMMISSIONER	YES	NO	ABSENT
SAMI KHOURY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JOHN L. BODIS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
MICHAEL H. MEISSNER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	JOE MURPHY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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STEVE VAUGHAN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

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