## **RESOLUTION 20-02**

## APPROVING SUBMISSION OF COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE ST. CLAIR/MACOMB COASTAL BIRDING TRAIL

WHEREAS, the creation of a St. Clair/Macomb Coastal Birding Trail will help to protect bird species through awareness, and grant products include a detailed trail brochure, lens cloth cleaners and bird watching platform design, and

WHEREAS, the creation of a St. Clair/Macomb Coastal Birding Trail may result in an increase of economic development around outdoor recreation services, outfitters, restaurants and motels, and

WHEREAS, funding is available from the U.S. Department of Commerce through the Coastal Zone Management Program, and

WHEREAS, total project cost is estimated at about \$32,500, of which \$13,200 would be funded through the Coastal Zone Program and \$19,266 would be a local match;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the St. Clair County Board of Commissioners approves the submission of the grant application to the Michigan Coastal Zone Management Program in the amount of \$32,500 for creation of the St. Clair/Macomb Coastal Birding Trail

DATED: January 16, 2020

Reviewed and Approved by:

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