

**RESOLUTION
for the
UPWARD TALENT COUNCIL**

WHEREAS the Congress of the United States enacted the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), replacing the Workforce Investment Act, and State of Michigan has the authority to designate the Michigan Works! Service Areas, under WIOA, in alignment with Prosperity Regions; and

WHEREAS the Western Upper Peninsula Alliance Board, the Six County Employment Alliance Board, and the Eastern Upper Peninsula Employment and Training Consortium Administrative Board are currently the respective Boards of the three separate, Upper Peninsula Michigan Works! Boards (of County Commissioners), created by Michigan Public Act 7 and Act 8; and

WHEREAS the three Boards, on June 3, 2015, on June 4, 2015 and on June 18, 2015; respectively, deliberated on Service Area Designation and passed unanimous motions in their separate meetings to unite into one, Upper Peninsula Michigan Works! Board (of County Commissioners); and

WHEREAS the three separate Upper Peninsula Michigan Works! Boards (of County Commissioners) desiring the unification of the Upper Peninsula Michigan Works! have:

1. created the 15-County P.A. 7 Interlocal Agreement, and whose Members agreed in Boards' motions to request their own respective County Boards to adopt the Agreement; and
2. presented here a copy of the proposed Interlocal Agreement, designating the UPWARD Talent Council as the 15-County Michigan Works! Board (of County Commissioners), with this Resolution; and

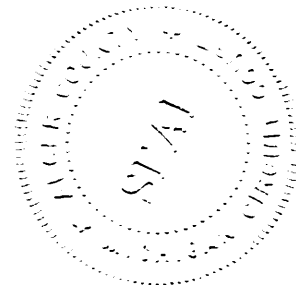
WHEREAS this Interlocal Agreement among all 15 Counties of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan requires approval by each County Board of Commissioners prior to submission to the Governor's Office and the Attorney General for approval; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Alger County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the proposed Third Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement to establish the UPWARD Talent Council and its functions and authorizes the Board Chairperson and County Clerk to sign the Interlocal Agreement.

This resolution shall have immediate effect.

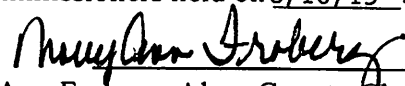
Adopted this 10 day of August, 2015.


Jerry Doufette, Chairperson
Alger County Board of Commissioners



CERTIFICATION

I certify that this resolution was passed by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Alger in the State of Michigan at an open meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on 8/10/15.

By: 
Mary Ann Froberg, Alger County Clerk