

RESOLUTION – Health Insurance Eligibility for Elected Officials

WHEREAS, the historical custom, practice and policy of Edgar County has been to provide health insurance coverage to employees of Edgar County; and

WHEREAS, a resolution dated August 5th, 1981 evidences this intention to make all employees eligible for a group health program sponsored by the county; and

WHEREAS, in excess of twenty years eligibility for group health coverage has been extended by the county to its elected officials; and

WHEREAS, Article 5, Section 5-1069 of the Counties Code (55 ILCS 5/5-1069) authorizes a county to provide a group health insurance program to county employees, specifically including elected officials as “employees” for this purpose; and

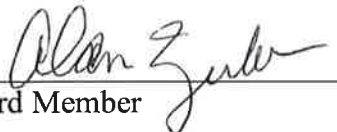
WHEREAS, the Board has passed decades of budgets, authorized payments annually and solicited bids pricing group health insurance with this intention; and

WHEREAS, a request has been made to memorialize this policy, and with the difficulty in record keeping and manual review of historical records a previous resolution to this effect has yet to be recovered;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Edgar County Board memorializes past policy and practice extending group health insurance benefits to elected officials of Edgar County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Edgar County Board adopts any previous resolution extending said benefits as described herein.

I move for the adoption of the foregoing Resolution.


Board Member

I second the motion for the adoption of the foregoing Resolution.


Board Member

Passed and adopted by the County Board of Edgar County this 14 day of Oct, 2015.


Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:


Edgar County Clerk (SEAL)