

**TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BERRIEN COUNTY:** Your County Personnel and Human Services Committee respectfully recommends the adoption of the following:

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, the sleep-related infant death rate in Berrien County is greater than the overall rate in Michigan and promoting safe sleep environments for infants is among the top priorities for Michigan's Infant Mortality Reduction Plan; and

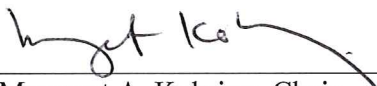
**WHEREAS**, the Berrien County Health Department (BCHD) wishes to contract with Ms. Patrice Lohraff for educational presentations promoting safe sleep at Berrien County Public Libraries and pre-arranged community groups, and /or events; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Lohraff will invoice BCHD upon completion of each safe sleep presentation/event in the amount of \$50.00 per presentation. Payment will be made by BCHD within 45 days of receipt of each invoice. The contract is in effect beginning April 1, 2019 through September 30, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Health endorses the contract pending approval of its Corporate Counsel.

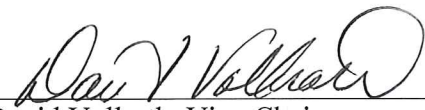
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HERBY RESOLVED**, that the Berrien County Board of Commissioners authorizes BCHD to contract with Ms. Patrice Lohraff for Safe Sleep education.

Resolution endorsed by the  
BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

  
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Margaret A. Kohring, Chair

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,  
BERRIEN COUNTY PERSONNEL AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**

  
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William J. Chickering, Chairman

  
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David Vollrath, Vice-Chairman

  
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RESOLUTION APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Administrator <u>W</u>	Date <u>3/6/19</u>
Corporate Counsel	Date
Comments Attached	