

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING DESMOND MILLER FOR DISTINGUISHED  
SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF WASHTENAW COUNTY AND TO THE WASHTENAW  
COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

JANUARY 23, 2019

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners established the position of Board Liaison in the spring of 2017 to further the work and support the priorities of the Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, Desmond Miller, with his extensive ties to and knowledge of the Washtenaw County Community, and prior service as Student Body President and Vice President at Eastern Michigan University, and as Chief of Staff for State Representative Adam Zemke, was unanimously recommended for the position of Board Liaison, a decision which was unanimously approved by the Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, as Liaison to the Board of Commissioners, Desmond Miller was responsible for supporting the day to day needs of commissioners, including the sourcing and management of documents critical to the success of the board, the coordination of numerous complex communications, and other items as needed; and

WHEREAS, Desmond Miller performed crucial roles in major board projects, including the development of community engagement programming, involvement in the formation of the youth council, and the coordination of their meetings, and

WHEREAS, Desmond Miller has improved the position of Board Liaison through exceptional feedback about the role, the services which it could perform, and well-reasoned thoughts about how such a role could optimally benefit the work of the Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, Desmond Miller has been offered the opportunity to join the staff of State Senator Elect Jeff Irwin as his Chief of Staff, a position which will showcase his skills and talents, and a position which will allow him to continue to improve the lives of the people of Washtenaw County; and

WHEREAS, Washtenaw County and the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners are better for the thought and efforts brought forth by Desmond, and are grateful for the solid foundation he has laid for the role board liaison.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby honors and expresses its most sincere appreciation to Desmond Miller for his service and commitment to the people of Washtenaw County and the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, and wishes him every bit of continued success in all his future endeavors.