















**WHEREAS**, the Commission desires to increase NIRPC's per capita appropriation to adjust to current dollar value and to index that per capita appropriation to keep pace with future years in order to support activities for the benefit of Lake, Porter, and LaPorte Counties and its municipalities; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 21, 2019, the NIRPC Commission adopted Resolution 19-06 supporting this increase in county appropriations; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to put into place the local funding necessary to provide these services and to receive funding from the Economic Development Administration of the United States Department of Commerce to administer an Economic Development District for the area of Lake, Porter, and LaPorte Counties for the benefit of those counties and their municipalities, the Commission desires that the legislative change necessary to put into effect this appropriations adjustment be adopted in the 2020 Legislative Session;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Commission confirms its continued support of an increase in NIRPC's per capita county appropriation and to index the per capita rate according to the schedule identified in Attachment A to this resolution.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Commission requests of its representatives and the Indiana General Assembly that the changes indicated in Resolution 19-06 Attachment A be incorporated into IC 36-7-7.6 during the 2020 legislative session.

Duly adopted by the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission this nineteenth day of September 2019.

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Diane Noll  
Chairperson

**ATTEST:**

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George Topoll  
Secretary











