

HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

- 1. The sponsoring representative's first name: Jasper
- 2. The sponsoring representative's last name: Martus
- 3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.

Reps. Mueller, Martin, Green, Bierlein. Letter Attached.

- 4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for: Genesee County Drain Commission
- 5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for: G-4610 Beecher Road, Flint, MI 48532
- 6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity: N/A
- 7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:

Rep. Jasper Martus, 69th District

8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. Installation of fermenter equipment that will aid in the pre-treatment as the Genesee County Drain Commission utilizes a newly built digestor at thier plant. This increases the efficiency of thier digestor equipment, allows more versatility as they aim to increase renewable energy output, and has potential cost savings to our residents.

This funding request complies with Article IV, Section 30 of the Michigan Constitution, which prohibits state appropriations to private entities unless a valid public purpose is

served. The installation of fermenter equipment is a clear public infrastructure improvement that directly benefits all residents of Genesee County and does not provide financial gain to a private entity.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

- 10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item. 4000000
- 11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["None"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:

Local unit government

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?

Not applicable

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?

Not applicable

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors? Not applicable

- 16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'
 N/A
- 17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

Project can start 60 days after Grant Award Date, and is projected to be 6 months in length.

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes