



# HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

### Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

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1. The sponsoring representative's first name:  
Jerry
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:  
Neyer
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.  
N/A
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:  
Isabella County Board of Commissioners
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:  
200 N Main St, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:  
127 Business Route and South Mission Road
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:  
Jerry Neyer-District 92
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.  
This proposal requests the initiation of a feasibility study for the construction of a northbound entrance ramp at the first southbound exit into Mount Pleasant, located near the intersection of US-127 Business Route and South Mission Road. This ramp would facilitate easier access to US-127 northbound from the first exit, addressing current traffic inefficiencies and significantly improving connectivity. The ramp's development is critical to supporting the economic growth of Mount Pleasant and surrounding areas.

The northbound entrance ramp is critical in the following ways:

Enhanced Regional Connectivity and Economic Development and Growth

- The new ramp would provide a direct link to US-127 North from the first exit and improving traffic flow.
- Greater access to Union Township and the City of Mount Pleasant overall with businesses, shopping centers, restaurants and gas stations is critical.
- Reduced Congestion: The ramp will alleviate traffic on local streets and improve access during peak hours and events.

Safety Improvements: It will reduce traffic on residential streets, decreasing accidents and improving pedestrian safety

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.

250000

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:

Next Fiscal Year

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

Yes