



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
John
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Roth
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:
Habitat for Humanity of Grand Traverse
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
2487 Rice Street, Traverse City MI 49684
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:
Betsy Coffia 103, John Roth 104
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.
Habitat for Humanity – Grand Traverse Region Funding Proposal

Habitat for Humanity has demonstrated significant success in addressing affordable housing needs and fostering financial stability for families throughout the Grand Traverse Region. To expand the reach and sustainability of its impact, the organization seeks to stabilize and strengthen its funding sources.

This appropriation will enable the creation of a revolving fund, ensuring a continuous cycle of homebuilding and homeowner support. By establishing this fund, Habitat for Humanity will be able to maintain consistent operations without interruptions for fundraising, allowing for greater efficiency and long-term planning.

The revolving fund will directly contribute to increased access to affordable housing, enabling more families to achieve stable living conditions and build equity in their homes. Ultimately, this investment will help transform lives and communities throughout the region.

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.

5000000

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["Private"]

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

Non-profit organization

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

Yes

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

Yes

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?

Yes

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.'

President Heather Hudson - Helix Property Management | Wavelength Realty Vice President Chris Milliron - TBA Credit Union Treasurer Chuck Kendall - Dow Chemical Company, Retired Secretary Deborah E. Haase - Non-profit Executive, Retired Member-At-Large Frank Siepker - Cherryland Electric Co-op Board Members Pastor Paul Busekist - Bethlehem Lutheran Church Brandie Ekren - Traverse City Light & Power Al Everett - Thrive TC and Epique Realty Christopher Hackbarth - DTE Energy Steven Haskin - Fifth

Third Bank Douglas Luciani - Cunningham-Limp Development Company Andrew
Weaver - Edward Jones Des Worthington - Worthington Fundraising Solutions

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:

10/2025-9/2026

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

Yes