

VEVAY TOWNSHIP INGHAM COUNTY
RESOLUTION 20-07
TO INFORM MERS THAT VEVAY TOWNSHIP HAS A POLICY TO NOT GRANT MERS
SERVICE CREDIT DURING LEAVES OF ABSENCE

WHEREAS, Vevay Township is a participating municipality of the Municipal Employees Retirement System of Michigan in accordance with Act No. 427, Public Acts of 1984, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the Defined Benefit Plan Adoption Agreement Addendum requires the Township to develop a policy to provide how MERS Service Credit will be handled in the event an employee is off of work due to a Leave of Absence.

WHEREAS, The Municipal Employees Retirement System requires that employee contributions are collected and remitted to MERS for all Leaves of Absence where Service Credit is granted. Employee contributions shall be equal to the Service Credit Qualification adopted by the Township, in the event no wages are reported to the Municipal Employees Retirement System.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Vevay Township Board hereby adopts a Resolution that does not grant MERS Service Credit to an employee who is out on a Leave of Absence under Short – and/or Long-Term Disability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Vevay Township Board hereby adopts a policy that does not grant MERS Service Credit to an employee who is out on a Leave of Absence due to Workers Compensation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Vevay Township Board hereby adopts a policy that does not grant MERS Service Credit to an employee who is out on a Leave of Absence under an unpaid Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Vevay Township's Personnel Policy Manual be amended to reflect the intent of this resolution; and,


BE I T FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk shall file a certified copy of this resolution with the Municipal Employees Retirement System as a result of completing the Defined Benefit Plan Adoption Agreement Addendum.

Ayes: Lazet, Sherwood, Ramey, Kean, and Lacasse

Nays: None

Absent: None

The Supervisor declared the resolution adopted.



JoAnne Kean, MIPMC, Clerk
Township of Vevay

I, JoAnne Kean, Clerk of the Township of Vevay, County of Ingham, State of Michigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees at a regular meeting held on 16 day of November 2020. Public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in compliance with the Open Meetings Act, Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of Michigan 1976, including in the case of a special or rescheduled meeting, notice by posting at least eighteen (18) hours prior to the time set for said meeting.

November 16, 2020



JoAnne Kean, Clerk