RESOLUTION #2019-54

IN SUPPORT OF TELECOMMUTING OPPORTUNITIES
AND
TELECOMMUTER FORWARD CERTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors supports and commits to promote the availability of telecommuting options;

WHEREAS, the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors hereby appoints Tom Hoff as the single point of contact for coordinating telecommuting opportunities within Sawyer County including the following responsibilities:

1. Coordination and partnership with broadband providers, realtors, economic development professionals, employers, employees, and other telecommuting stakeholders.
2. Collaboration with broadband providers and employers to identify, develop, and market telecommuter-capable broadband packages.
3. Communication and partnership with broadband providers and economic development professionals to develop common goals.
4. Promotion of telecommuter-friendly workspaces, such as business incubators with telecommuting spaces, if such a workspace has been established in the political subdivision at the time the political subdivision adopts the resolution.
5. Familiarity with broadband mapping tools and other state-level resources.
6. Maintaining regular communication with the state broadband office.
7. Making regular reports to the [governing body of the political subdivision].

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY PROCLAIMED by the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors support telecommuting opportunities for Sawyer County in its application for Telecommuter Forward! Community certification

Recommended for adoption by the Sawyer County Economic Development Committee on December 9, 2019.

Tom Duffy, Chair
Troy Morgan, Vice-Chair
Elaine Nyberg, Member

Marc Helwig, Member

James Schlender

Adopted by the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors on this 19th day of December, 2019.

Tweed Shuman, Sawyer County Board Chairman