CITY OF ___________________
COUNTY OF ______________
STATE OF MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION NO. ________

A RESOLUTION ELECTING TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF PUBLIC ACT 152 OF 2011 BY EXERCISING THE CITY’S RIGHT TO EXEMPT ITSELF FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ACT FOR THE NEXT SUCCEEDING YEAR

At a regular meeting of the City Council for the City of _________, Michigan, held at the City of ________ City Hall, _________, Michigan, on the ___ day of ___________ 2011, at 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT: ________________________________________________

ABSENT: ________________________________________________

The following Resolution was offered by Councilperson _____________ and supported by Councilperson _____________.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on September 27, 2011 the Publicly Funded Health Insurance Contribution Act, Act No. 152 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 2011 (“Act 152”), became effective in the State of Michigan; and

WHEREAS, Act 152 establishes standards and a process with respect to medical benefit plans offered by public employers; and

WHEREAS, the City of _________ has historically recognized, in its role as steward for the public funds entrusted to it, that it must efficiently manage those limited resources; and

WHEREAS, the City of _________ constantly engages in a review of expenditures in order to maximize the value it receives for goods and services; and
WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of ________ believes that, as the elected representatives for the City and answerable directly to the City’s voters, it is best positioned to determine what benefits (including medical benefits) ought to be offered in order to attract and retain the best qualified City employees at the lowest overall costs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of ________ further believes that compensation determinations for City employees are most properly the responsibility of the City’s elected representatives, and not the State of Michigan or its officials; and

WHEREAS, to express its support for home rule government and to recognize that it is the City Council’s duty to manage City affairs in order to be most responsive to City voters, taxpayers and residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED that:

1. Pursuant to Section 8 of Act 152, the City of ________ hereby exempts itself from the requirements of Act 152 for the next succeeding year.

2. All resolutions and parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, repealed.

YEAS: Council Members: ________________________________

NAYS: Council Members: ________________________________

ABSTAIN: Council Members: ________________________________

ABSENT: Council Members: ________________________________

ADOPTED this _____ day of ________, 2011.
CERTIFICATION

I, __________, the duly appointed Clerk of the City of __________, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a Resolution adopted by the City of __________ at a regular meeting held __________, 2011, in compliance with the Open Meetings Act, Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended, the minutes of the meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

CITY OF __________

BY: ____________________________

__________, City Clerk