

RESOLUTION

REQUEST TO CHANGE LOCALITY GROUPING -

VIRGINIA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (VAC)

WHEREAS, the James City County Division of Social Services administers social service and benefit programs for James City County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of James City County appropriates such sum of funds as is necessary to match State and Federal funds to operate the James City County Division of Social Services; and

WHEREAS, Regulation 22 VAC 40-293-20 states “In order to assure that the locality has sufficient funding to cover any increased costs that may result from a change in locality grouping in the General Relief program and to assure that the local governing body is aware of the proposed change in locality groupings, documentation that the request to change locality groupings has been reviewed by the local governing body” and shall be provided to the State Board of Social Services when requesting a change in a locality’s standard of assistance grouping; and

WHEREAS, the James City County Division of Social Services is requesting a change in the standard of assistance locality grouping from Group I to Group III to raise the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) payment rates in James City County to the same level as the York/Poquoson Department of Social Services and the Newport News Department of Social Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, hereby endorses the request of the James City County Division of Social Services to change its standard of assistance locality grouping from Group I to Group III.

Jay T. Harrison, Sr.
Vice Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Sanford B. Wanner
Clerk to the Board

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 22nd day of November, 2005.