

**FLOYD COUNTY RESOLUTION 2000-V
A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE PURCHASE OF PRODUCTS
WITH RECYCLED CONTENT**

WHEREAS, recycling collection programs have been proven successful in helping us conserve energy and other natural resources, in reducing our reliance on costly disposal facilities, and in fostering environmental responsibility through education and participation; and

WHEREAS, the success of the recycling efforts in Floyd County is deemed, in part, to be dependent upon the creation and support of viable markets for the glass, metal, paper, plastic, and other materials collected curb side or at drop-off centers--the final products of the recycling program must become the raw materials of new consumer goods for the home, office, and industry; and

WHEREAS, the support of these markets for the products of recycling, in turn, necessitates the creation and continued maintenance of demand for recycled-content manufactured goods; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd, pursuant to the requirements and authority of IC 5-22-8, et seq., has appointed and designated purchasing agents to make purchases of supplies in accordance with the rules and regulations established by said Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd is, by this resolution, desirous of encouraging each of its designated and appointed purchasing agents to investigate and explore the purchase of supplies and products having recycled content.

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that each of the purchasing agents heretofore appointed and designated by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd pursuant to the provisions of IC 5-22-8, et. seq., be, and each of them hereby is, encouraged, when and where possible, to investigate and explore the purchase of supplies and products which include recycled content.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that each purchasing agent is encouraged to seek the technical advice and assistance of the staff of the Floyd County Solid Waste Management District so as to assure the fullest compliance with the express provisions as well as the intent of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Auditor of Floyd County be, and she hereby is, directed to cause a copy of this resolution to each purchasing agent heretofore appointed and designated by the Board.

SO RESOLVED, this 18th day of April, 2000.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD

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FLOYD COUNTY AUDITOR