

RESOLUTION No. 2154
TOWN OF MUNSTER, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MUNSTER, INDIANA
APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE
MUNSTER COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE AND PLAN**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Munster, Indiana, is the duly elected legislative body of the Town of Munster, Lake County, Indiana (hereinafter the "Town"), a unit of local government; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Munster, Indiana has been researching, educating and implementing sustainable solutions that will benefit current and future residents of the Town of Munster; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Munster, Indiana will benefit from the creation of a committee that promotes existing sustainability programs, events, and efforts as well as assisting in research programs, services, events, and/or grants to implement sustainability practices that the community can embrace; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Munster recognizes many tangible and unforeseen benefits to creating a sustainability committee, including but not limited to, building stronger relationships and understanding with residents of all ages, improving collaboration with neighboring communities, as well as county and state governmental agencies, and improving the community's quality of life, which will attract and engage more businesses, students, and residents.; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Munster endeavors to form the Munster Sustainability Committee with the School Town of Munster and the Munster Chamber of Commerce to advance the above referenced purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Munster believes it is in the best interests of the citizens of the Town, as well as the health and general welfare of the Town to adopt a plan for the Munster Sustainability Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Munster Sustainability Committee is hereby established.
2. That the Munster Sustainability Committee shall consist of nine (9) members made up of community leaders, students, and business owners:

- a. Three (3) Munster High School students (selected by the School town of Munster);
 - b. One (1) school administrator, staff, or teacher (selected by School Town of Munster);
 - c. One (1) representative from the Munster Chamber of Commerce (selected by the Chamber of Commerce);
 - d. One (1) Town Council member (or staff member) (selected by the Town Council; and
 - e. Three (3) residents (selected by the Town Council)
3. The Munster Sustainability Committee will operate initially without a budget and look for solutions that are self-funded or at a low/no cost.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Munster, Indiana, on the _____ day of _____, 2025, by a vote of _____ in favor and _____ opposed.

**TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF
MUNSTER, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA**

George Shinkan, President

ATTEST:

Wendy Mis, Clerk-Treasurer