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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 18, 2018

TO: Area Agency on Aging Directors, Area Agency on Aging Association of Michigan, Michigan Association of Nutrition and Aging Service Providers and Michigan Directors of Services to the Aging

FROM: Richard Kline, Senior Deputy Director 

SUBJECT: Proposed Recommendation from the Intrastate Funding Formula (IFF) Workgroup

To ensure compliance with the Older Americans Act (OMA) requirements and Federal Regulations (45CFR1321) pertaining to public review and comment on the IFF, the Michigan Commission on Services to the Aging (CSA) IFF Workgroup presented the attached draft recommendations to the CSA at their meeting held on May 18, 2018, for a 30-day review and comment period.

Any comments you may have should be submitted in writing to my attention by no later than June 17, 2018. Questions on the proposed recommendations may be addressed to Scott Wamsley, Aging and Adult Services Agency Deputy Director, at 517-284-0161 or via email at wamsleys@michigan.gov.

After completion of the 30-day review and comment period, the IFF Work Group will meet again to address the input received and prepare their final recommendations to the CSA, who will take action at an upcoming meeting.

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Attachment

**Recommendations of the
Intrastate Funding Formula Work Group**

presented to the

**Michigan Commission on Services to the Aging
May 18, 2018**

It is recommended that funding to Michigan's aging network be allocated as follows:

1. Retain the current factors and weights of the Michigan Intra-State Funding Formula (IFF), including the geographic base.
2. That Michigan continue to use more frequently updated U.S. Census data, and at this time, the 2012 through 2016 American Community Survey. It is recommended that the population data be updated and applied at five-year intervals.
3. That the impact of population changes should be phased in for funding allotments over a two-year period, beginning in FY 2019 (FY 2019 and FY 2020).