



STATE OF MICHIGAN  
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RICK SNYDER  
GOVERNOR

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LT. GOVERNOR

**EXECUTIVE ORDER  
No. 2014 - 11**

**MICHIGAN FOOD POLICY COUNCIL**

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL  
DEVELOPMENT**

**RESCISSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 2005-13**

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2005-13 created the Michigan Food Policy Council;  
and

WHEREAS, the Council was created as an advisory board to make recommendations to the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development ("Department") and the Governor to enhance Michigan's food and agriculture sector and foster a healthy and available food supply for all Michigan residents; and

WHEREAS, in total, the Council has made 23 recommendations over seven years. During this period, academic, government, nonprofit, and private entities made significant progress on increasing the impact of Michigan's food and agriculture sector on the state's economy and fostering a healthy and available food supply for all Michigan residents; and

WHEREAS, efforts to implement the recommendations of the Council and make measureable improvement at the local level are ongoing within the academic, government, nonprofit, and private sectors; and

WHEREAS, the Department will continue to serve as a convener for those interested in food policy; and

WHEREAS, consolidating the Council's efforts within the Department and allowing the Department to implement the Council's recommendations will better serve the Council's original mission;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard D. Snyder, Governor of the state of Michigan, by virtue of the powers and authority vested in the Governor by the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and Michigan law, order the following:

Executive Order 2005-13 is rescinded and the Michigan Food Policy Council is abolished.

This Order shall become effective upon filing.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Michigan this 12th day of December in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Fourteen



RICHARD D. SNYDER  
GOVERNOR



BY THE GOVERNOR:



SECRETARY OF STATE

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