

**CITY OF HARTFORD
COUNTY OF VAN BUREN
STATE OF MICHIGAN
RESOLUTION 2026 - 003**



**UPDATING STATE REQUIRED POVERTY LEVEL INCOME STANDARDS FOR PROPERTY TAX
POVERTY EXEMPTION GUIDELINES FOR TAX YEAR 2026.**

At a Regular meeting of the City of Hartford Commission at 19 West Main Street called to order by Mayor Jane M. Danger January 26, 2026 at 6:00p.m.

The following resolution was offered:

Moved by Commissioner _____ and supported by Commissioner _____.

WHEREAS, MCL 211.7u requires that the poverty exemption guidelines established by the governing body of the local assessing unit shall include an asset level test; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hartford Commission has given due consideration to the requirement for updating the City's Poverty Level Income Standards and Asset Level Test; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the following Poverty Level Income Standards and Asset Level Test for Property Tax Exemption Guidelines for Tax Year 2026 are hereby adopted:

The following are the federal poverty level income standards and Asset Level Test for Property Tax Exemption guidelines for tax year 2026 are hereby adopted:

| Size of Family Unit | Annual allowable income |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 person | \$ 15,650 |
| 2 persons | 21,150 |
| 3 persons | 26,650 |
| 4 persons | 32,150 |
| 5 persons | 37,650 |
| 6 persons | 43,150 |
| 7 persons | 48,650 |
| 8 persons | 54,150 |

For each additional person, add 5,500

*Claimant may not own more than 1 vehicle per licensed driver in household.

*Claimant may not exceed \$6,000.00 of value of assets, excluding homestead and vehicles.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution are hereby rescinded; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption by the City of Hartford Commissioners.

YEAS: Commissioners:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED

DATE: January 26, 2026

RoxAnn Rodney-Isbrecht, City Clerk

I RoxAnn Rodney-Isbrecht, Clerk for the City of Hartford, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the City Commission of the City of Hartford during a meeting held on January 26, 2026.

RoxAnn Rodney-Isbrecht, City Clerk
City of Hartford
19 West Main Street
Hartford MI 49057