Five Essential Steps to Restore Constitutional Governance and Lawful Authority in Your County in Michigan

The restoration of constitutional governance in any county requires deliberate, coordinated, and lawfully grounded action. The first and most essential step is establishing or strengthening a county-level assembly connected to the Michigan General Jural Assembly. This assembly functions as the lawful body of the people, distinct from corporate government structures. If no such assembly exists, it must be formed without delay by those who recognize that the people—not bureaucrats—hold ultimate authority. This assembly should work in alignment with the foundational structure provided by the Michigan General Jural Assembly to ensure consistency and support. Where a local assembly already exists, the people must collaborate with the current coordinator to build it up, educate the population, and recruit new participants who are willing to take peaceful, lawful action. The assembly serves not only as a voice for the people but as the legitimate structure through which constitutional authority can be lawfully reclaimed and exercised.

The second step is to formally transition the county from operating under Dillon's Rule—where local governments are mere extensions of the state with limited authority—to Home Rule, which acknowledges the sovereign right of local self-governance. This transition must be initiated through a well-drafted "Resolution to Restore and Reassert Home Rule Authority for Counties and Townships," grounded in Article I, Section 1 of the Michigan Constitution and the Tenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. These foundational documents confirm that all political power resides with the people. By adopting a Home Rule Charter, counties reclaim their authority to govern local affairs, protect unalienable rights, and operate independently of state interference. The Home Rule Charter must be rooted in Natural Law, due process, and the Constitution to ensure lawful legitimacy and moral authority. The people of Bay County have already taken this step, offering a model for other counties to follow in asserting their rightful sovereignty.

The third essential step is correcting the jurisdiction under which your county operates. Most counties in Michigan, and across the United States, are currently functioning within a commercial jurisdiction—a system rooted in contracts, corporate policy, and maritime law that presumes the people are operating as legal fictions rather than living men and women with unalienable rights. To reverse this, counties must transition into private jurisdiction, where the laws of nature and the Constitution take precedence over corporate statutes and administrative codes. This requires coordination with national-level sponsors, including military advocates, which we have—an established military sponsor who understands the jurisdictional transformation needed to restore lawful governance. Their involvement is crucial, as they provide not only credibility and structure, but also insight into the lawful chain of command and the enforcement mechanisms required to uphold constitutional authority. Private jurisdiction enables the people to remove themselves from presumed contracts and reclaim their standing as sovereigns, making the county a lawful and constitutional seat of authority for the people, not a subsidiary of commercial interests.

Step four involves the formation of a Private Community Trust, which serves as the secure vessel for restoring lawful jurisdiction and private governance. This trust must be recorded at the Military Sponsored and Recorded Territory UPS Terminal to solidify the county's jurisdictional shift from public-commercial to private-constitutional. Through the Brotherhood in Tribulation of the American People, authority over specific judicial records will be re-established in alignment with the EAT-SEAT (Earth, Area, and Territory) model. This model represents a coordinated structure between military branches and local trust authorities to manage public records, private land, and individual rights. Once a Judicial Archivist is appointed and a Judge Advocate General (JAG) assumes enforcement power in your county, state and special district governments will lose their unlawful control over the SEAT of Government. At this point, counties will have reasserted their lawful jurisdiction and begun the reinstallation of American Common Law and Canon Law, which are necessary for prosecuting those who violated their duties under color of law and restoring honor to those who upheld their sacred trust.

The fifth and final essential step is the establishment of a Common Law Grand Jury through the duly formed county assembly, once the lawful jurisdiction of the people has been restored. This is the enforcement arm of the people's authority—a critical mechanism for holding elected officials accountable to their oath of office and to the Constitution. Unlike statutory grand juries that operate under commercial and administrative jurisdiction, the Common Law Grand Jury derives its authority directly from the people and exists independently of the corporate judicial system. It is empowered to investigate, indict, and bring presentments against any public servant—local or state—who acts under color of law to violate the unalienable rights of the people or breach their sworn duties to uphold the Constitution.

This Grand Jury serves as a powerful check against tyranny and corruption, ensuring that no officeholder remains above the law. It reestablishes the principle that the people are the highest authority in the county and that all public servants are subject to the will of the governed, not protected by corporate immunity or bureaucratic distance. Operating in alignment with Natural Law, constitutional standards, and the foundational structure of lawful assemblies, the Grand Jury can convene lawful investigations, issue findings, and demand lawful remedy, including removal from office or public trial. This restores the long-lost power of presentment by the people, enshrined in the Fifth Amendment to the United States Constitution, which has been suppressed by corporate judicial systems for decades.

The process of establishing the Common Law Grand Jury must follow lawful protocols. It begins with the county assembly electing a Grand Jury Administrator, selecting Jurors by lawful random draw from a pool of sovereign men and women, and appointing a Foreman and Secretary. Training, education, and procedural integrity are essential to ensure that the Grand Jury acts with honor, competence, and consistency. This body does not answer to the sheriff, the prosecutor, or any state official—it answers only to the people and to the principles of justice.

Through this fifth step, constitutional governance is not only restored in theory—it is actively defended in practice. The people regain their lawful oversight of those in power, reclaim the ability to investigate misconduct without political obstruction, and reassert the forgotten truth that justice begins at the local level, with the sovereign people in command. This step completes the transformation of your county from a controlled administrative district into a true constitutional jurisdiction, grounded in lawful authority, moral duty, and the enduring consent of the governed.

With all five steps in place, counties in Michigan—and across the nation—will stand once again as lawful bastions of self-governance. The restoration of assemblies, the adoption of Home Rule, the jurisdictional shift to private sovereignty, the establishment of Private Community Trusts, and the activation of the Common Law Grand Jury together form a complete framework for lawful restoration. This is the path back to liberty. This is the people reclaiming their Republic.

Together, these five steps provide a complete blueprint for reestablishing lawful, constitutional governance in your county. They are not theoretical ideas—they are actionable strategies grounded in law, history, and the enduring principle that government derives its just powers from the consent of the governed. Counties must reclaim their rightful authority by restoring assemblies, adopting Home Rule, shifting jurisdictions, and establishing Private Community Trusts as lawful centers of governance. This is not merely a political or administrative effort—it is a moral and lawful obligation. It is a call to rise as sovereign people, to cast off unlawful control, and to reassert the foundational truths upon which this Republic was built. The time for action is now, and those who understand these truths must take the lead in guiding their counties into a new era of freedom, justice, and constitutional order.