



Department of  
**Community Sustainability**

**MS-B Project Proposal Approval**

Submit to Grad Secretary: [edington@msu.edu](mailto:edington@msu.edu)  
 NOTE: Do not submit this form until the proposal and supporting materials have been submitted for IRB/human subjects review, if required for your project

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Student (full name) Semester/Year Program Start

Date of Defense/Examination: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Month, Date, Year CSUS or STPAM?

**Title and Brief Description of MS-B Project:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Anticipated Completion Date** (of final defense): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Semester / Year

**IRB:** Occasionally, but not always, MS-B projects involve research. Federal and University regulations require that all proposed research projects involving human subjects be reviewed and approved by the MSU Institutional Review Board (IRB).

Does your MS-B project involve research?  YES  NO

If yes, will your research involve human subjects?  YES  NO

If yes, when was your proposal **submitted** to IRB? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Month, Date, Year

*I, the undersigned student, understand that I may not begin my research until the IRB grants its approval and I have completed the required HRPP tutorial on the IRB website.*

**Required Signatures:**

(student fills in all committee names, then circulates in listing order; members sign digitally, date)

	Name	Signature	Date
Student:	_____	_____	_____
Guidance Committee Chairperson:	_____	_____	_____
Guidance Committee Member 2:	_____	_____	_____
Guidance Committee Member 3 (optional):	_____	_____	_____
Guidance Committee Member 4 (optional):	_____	_____	_____
Grad Program Coordinator:	<u>Gail A. Vander Stoep</u>	_____	_____
CSUS Chairperson:	<u>Rebecca Jordan</u>	_____	_____