

A RESOLUTION DECLARING VILLAGE COUNCIL'S APPROVAL AND SUPPORT FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT REQUEST TO AKC REUNITE FOR ITS ADOPT A K-9 COP MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, AKC Reunite works with AKC Clubs to donate K-9 police dogs to police departments around the United States; and

WHEREAS, AKC Reunite will award grants in an amount not to exceed \$7,500.00 to assist police departments with the costs of a K-9 police dog; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Village's Capital Budget, Council has approved a \$15,000.00 expenditure for a K-9 police dog; and

WHEREAS, if awarded the grant would offset that expenditure; and

WHEREAS, Council wishes to pass this Resolution of support of grant funding from AKC Reunite.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Richfield, County of Summit, State of Ohio that:

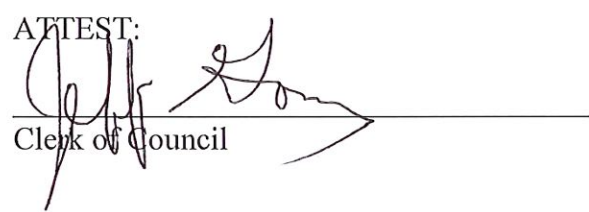
- SECTION 1. Council hereby approves and supports the submittal of an application to AKC Reunite for grant funding for a K-9 police dog.
- SECTION 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- SECTION 3. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Village and for the further reason that this resolution is needed in order for the Village to apply for the grant funds as soon as possible; wherefore, provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members of Council, it shall take immediate effect upon signature by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: 3-7-23


President of Council


Mayor

Dated: 3/7/2023

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council