

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO REMOVE MUNICIPALITIES FROM THE OPERATION OF THE ANTI TRUST LAWS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, recent decided cases from various courts have placed municipalities within the operation of the Federal Anti-trust Laws and

WHEREAS, the impact of these decisions has placed intolerable burdens on municipalities and

WHEREAS, the burdens of being within the perview of the antitrust law ultimately are burdens of the citizens and tax payers and

WHEREAS, these burdens are contrary to the public interest,

Now Therefore Be It Resolved by the Council of the Village of Richfield:

Section 1: The public interest requires that municipalities not be subject to the Federal Antitrust Laws.

Section 2: The Clerk is authorized and directed to serve on Howard Metzenbaum and John Glenn, United States Senators, and John Seiberling, a member of Congress, certified copies of this Resolution in support of exemption of municipalities from the operation of the Federal Antitrust Laws.

Section 3: This Resolution is determined to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety for the reason of an imminent threat of potential liability against municipalities and provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed, it shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest date provided by law.

Passed:

6/5/84

Paul R. Hupp
President of Council

E. James Feiber
Mayor

Dated: 6-5-84

Attest:

Theresa K. Kelley
Clerk of Council