

A RESOLUTION BY THE VILLAGE OF MINERVA PARK COUNCIL, FRANKLIN COUNTY,
STATE OF OHIO, SUPPORTING A FULLY-FUNDED RENEWAL OF THE CLEAN OHIO
FUND BOND PACKAGE THAT WILL BE PLACED ON THE NOVEMBER 4, 2008 BALLOT,
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio is home to many beautiful natural areas and vibrant urban areas that are in need of conservation and revitalization; and

WHEREAS, voters across the State of Ohio will be asked to vote for Clean Ohio, which will be funded by the sale of bonds and not from a new tax levy, in November of this year; and

WHEREAS, to date, the Clean Ohio Fund has funded more than 700 projects in 86 of 88 counties, preserving more than 26,000 acres of natural areas and 16,000 acres of farmland, creating more than 216 miles of recreational trails, and cleaning up 173 polluted sites; and

WHEREAS, the Clean Ohio Fund has been credited with creating close to 15,000 jobs and an economic impact for Ohio close to \$2.6 billion; and

WHEREAS, renewal of the Clean Ohio Fund would help Ohioans maintain and enhance their current quality of life;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Council of the Village of Minerva Park, Franklin County, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Village of Minerva Park Council supports the renewal of the Clean Ohio funds on the ballot on November 4, 2008, to meet the growing demand for water and green space conservation projects, brownfield revitalization, recreational trail development, farmland preservation, and other important projects related to the Clean Ohio Fund.

Section 2. All prior resolution(s) or any part thereof, which is(are) inconsistent with this resolution is(are) hereby repealed as to the inconsistent part(s) thereof and the remainder of said resolution(s) not inconsistent with this resolution shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Council declares this to be an emergency measure necessary for the public health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Village of Minerva Park, such emergency arising out of the need to return the signed resolution of support before the November 4, 2008 election. Wherefore, this resolution shall take effect and shall be in force upon its passage.

Lynn Eisentrout, Mayor, Village of Minerva Park

First Reading: September 8, 2008
Second Reading: Waived September 8, 2008
Third Reading: Waived September 8, 2008
Passed: September 8, 2008

Attest Suzanne Coulter, Clerk-Treasurer,
Village of Minerva Park

Reviewed by Counsel