RESOLUTION NO. 2022-29 INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Bodnar

AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR TO FILE AN APPLICATION WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE WITH PUBLIC RECREATION AREAS THROUGH THE STATE OF OHIO NATUREWORKS GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio through the Department of Natural Resources, administers financial assistance for the development of outdoor public recreation areas, through the State of Ohio NatureWorks Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Mayfield desires financial assistance under the NatureWorks Grant Program for the Wiley Park Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, Council deems it necessary and in the best interest to the health, safety and welfare of all Village residents to submit an application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources for financial assistance from the Ohio NatureWorks Grant Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Mayfield, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio, that:

- <u>SECTION 1</u>. Mayfield Village Council approves the filing an application for financial assistance for the Wiley Park Improvement Project.
- SECTION 2. The Mayor, and/or her authorized representative, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance.
- <u>SECTION 3</u>. The Village of Mayfield does hereby agree to obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the proposed project and become eligible for reimbursement under the terms of the NatureWorks Grant Program.
- <u>SECTION 4</u>. The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution have been taken at open meetings of this Council; and that deliberations of this Council, and of its committees, resulting in such formal action, took place

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in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all statutory requirements including requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of health, safety and welfare of the residents of Mayfield Village, Ohio, for the reason that it requires a timely submittal for funding to provide for improvements to Village recreation areas. It shall, therefore, take effect immediately upon the passage by the affirmative vote of not less than five (5) members elected to Council and approved by the Mayor or otherwise at the earliest time allowed by law.

STEPHEN SCHUTT Council President

First Reading: Joly 5, 2

Second Reading: Suspended, 2022

Third Reading: 505 Dended, 2022

BRENDA T. BODNAR, Mayor

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Clerk of Council