

TEMPORARY RESOLUTION NO. 54-20

PERMANENT RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, TO NEGOTIATE AND ENTER INTO A CHIP PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO FILE A COMBINED APPLICATION UNDER THE COMMUNITY HOUSE IMPACT AND PRESERVATION (CHIP) PROGRAM TO ADDRESS LOCAL HOUSING NEEDS

WHEREAS, the Ohio Office of Community Development administers the Community Housing Impact and Preservation (CHIP) Program to provide funding to local governments to improve and provide affordable housing for low-to-moderate income residents; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lancaster and Fairfield County meet the guidelines to be eligible for such funding; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Community Development encourages eligible communities to request funds as partners in one application and the City of Lancaster wishes to partner with Fairfield County; and

WHEREAS, joint application increases the amount of eligible CHIP Program funding available to the City of Lancaster and Fairfield County; and

WHEREAS, funding amounts will be specifically designated to each entity through the award of CHIP Program funding;

BE IT RESOLVED BY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, OHIO

SECTION 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to negotiate and enter into a CHIP Partnership Agreement with the Fairfield County Commissioners regarding application for and administration of CHIP Program funding.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____ after _____ reading. Vote: Yeas _____ Nays _____

Date Approved: _____

President of Council

Clerk: _____

Mayor

Offered by: _____

Second by: _____

Requested by Finance Committee