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RESOLUTION NO. 2018 - 36

Geauga County Auditor

**A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE GEAUGA COUNTY BUDGET COMMISSION
TO DISBURSE .50 MILL OF AVAILABLE INSIDE MILLAGE
TO THE RUSSELL TOWNSHIP PARK DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, the Russell Township Park District, organized and existing under Chapter 1545 of the Ohio Revised Code, is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio with authority to levy a tax under Section 1545.20 of the Ohio Revised Code in an amount not to exceed one-half of one mill upon each dollar of the annual district assessed tax valuation; and

WHEREAS, the millage within the ten-mill limitation permitted by law is allocated annually in accordance with Section 5705.31(D) of the Ohio Revised Code, and the Geauga County Budget Commission is empowered to determine the allocation of inside millage that is not required by law for allocation to a particular taxing unit; and

WHEREAS, there is inside millage available for distribution by the Geauga County Budget Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Russell Township Park District has needs for protecting, preserving, operating and maintaining park and recreational facility improvements, including trails and paths, and other recreational programs; and

WHEREAS, an annual request must be made to the Geauga County Budget Commission for a levy not in excess of one-half or one mill of the available inside millage.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Park Commissioners of the Russell Township Park District, that:

SECTION 1: The Board of Park Commissioners hereby requests that the Geauga County Budget Commission grant inside millage of .50 mill to the Russell Township Park District.

SECTION 2: The Secretary is directed to submit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Geauga County Budget Commission.

SECTION 3: It is found and determined that all formal actions of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Russell Township Park District concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners and that all deliberations of the Board of Park Commissioners that resulted in formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with Ohio law, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 4: This Resolution is necessary for the immediate preservation of the health and welfare of the residents of Russell Township and for the use and enjoyment of the Russell

Township Park District parks and lands, and for that reason, this Resolution shall take effect and be in full force and effect upon the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th day of JUNE, 2018.

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

YEA or NAY

Scott Wayt

YEA Scott Wayt

Dennis Suhay

YEA Dennis Suhay

Donna Weiss Carson

Yea Donna Weiss Carson

Joan Heppert
Joan Heppert, Secretary
Russell Township Park District
Geauga County, Ohio

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioner of the Russell Township Park District, do hereby certify that the attached Resolution which requests the Geauga County Budget Commission to disburse .50 mill of available inside millage to the Russell Township Park District, is a true copy, the original of which is on file with the records of the Russell Township Park District.

Signed this 11th day of June, 2018.

Joan Heppert
Joan Heppert, Secretary
Russell Township Park District
Geauga County, Ohio