

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Ordinance No. 02-03 - 2020

Passed 2-4-, 2020

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS TO HAVE THE CITY OF CIRCLEVILLE JOIN THE MID-OHIO REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Circleville recognizes the need for collaborative, cooperative planning in order to ensure continued growth and prosperity; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission's Mission Statement indicates it is "the regional voice and a catalyst for sustainability and economic prosperity in order to secure a competitive advantage for Central Ohio," and

**WHEREAS**, the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission currently includes over 60 local governments and has for over 60 years addressed challenges and opportunities associated with growth and development in Central Ohio, as well as working with its members to improve the quality of life within the region; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Circleville believes that it would be advantageous for the City to join the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission and to take advantage of the opportunities provided within that organization as a means of benefiting the citizens of the City of Circleville; and

**WHEREAS**, council agrees to authorize the Mayor on behalf of the City of Circleville to enter into the Articles of Agreement of the Commission and established by-laws.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Circleville, Pickaway County, Ohio, as follows:

**SECTION I.** That the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute all necessary documentation and the City Auditor is authorized to remit the membership dues to join the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission. Further, Council hereby appoints the Mayor as its representative to the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission.

**SECTION II.** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION III.** That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Circleville, such emergency arising out of the immediate need to join this organization in order to assist in the continued growth and prosperity of the City of Circleville, so that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: 2-4-2020

David M. Craiger

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Laura A. Chapp  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

2-04-2020  
DATE

Deborah R. McElroy  
MAYOR

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CITY LAW DIRECTOR

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AND APPROVED AS TO FORM