RESOLUTION NO.:  69 -2009  
INTRODUCED BY:  Mayor and Council

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FROM THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEIGHTS FOR A CITY-WIDE BROADBAND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT FOR ITS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2010; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City has been advised by the Department of Development for the County of Cuyahoga that it is eligible to participate in a competitive application process for awarding of Community Development Block Grant funds for the 36th program year (Fiscal Year 2010); and

WHEREAS, a public hearing related to the City’s participation in the Community Development Block Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2010 was held by the City on October 13, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined to apply for said block grant funds for a city-wide broadband development project to serve the entire City;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: The following project is designated as approved for use in the application to be submitted by the City in response to the competitive application process undertaken by the Department of Development of Cuyahoga County for Community Development Block Grant Program funds:

City-wide Broadband Development Project to serve the entire City.

The Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to submit the application on behalf of the City to the Department of Development of Cuyahoga County no later than 12:00 noon on Friday, November 6, 2009.

Section 2: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
Section 3: This Resolution is hereby determined to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Richmond Heights by reason of the need to authorize submission of the application for Community Development Block Grant funds for the aforesaid project by the deadline of November 6, 2009; and, therefore, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: ____________________________  ____________________________
                                      Daniel J. Ursu, Mayor

APPROVED:________________________

ATTEST: ____________________________  ____________________________
         Betsy Traben                  David H. Roche
         Clerk of Council              President of Council