RESOLUTION NO.: 73-2010
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Ursu and All Members of Council

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE RICHMOND HEIGHTS LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT RENEWAL LEVY FOR PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ON THE ELECTION BALLOT ON NOVEMBER 2, 2010.

WHEREAS, the Richmond Heights Local School District will place a 2.0 mill renewal levy for permanent improvements on the election ballot on November 2, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the passage of the proposed levy will continue an existing 2.0 mill levy to supply funds to the School District to meet the ongoing needs to maintain and renovate School buildings, grounds, and facilities so as to continue to meet the needs of the student population; and

WHEREAS, the within levy has been renewed by the voters every five years since 1965 and is critical to the ongoing viability of the School District; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council strongly support the passage of the renewal levy and recognize the critical importance of a strong and financially-sound public school system to the health, prosperity, and property values of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: Mayor Daniel J. Ursu and the entire Council of the City of Richmond Heights declare their strong support for the passage of the Richmond Heights Local School District renewal levy of 2.0 mills for permanent improvements which will be on the ballot on November 2, 2010, which levy is necessary to continue permanent improvement funding and the renewed School District’s mission as a forward-looking, tradition-rich educational community committed to delivering a highly-individualized education and developing motivated, self-reliant and productive citizens.

Section 2: The Mayor and Council strongly urge all citizens in the City of Richmond Heights to vote in favor of the renewal levy for the Richmond Heights Local School District because the continuation of an excellent school system also contributes to the stability of property values and enhances the desire of people to live in the City of Richmond Heights.
Section 3: The Clerk of Council is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Richmond Heights Local School District Board and the Superintendent of the Local School District.

Section 4: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _________________________  ___________________________  Daniel J. Ursu, Mayor

APPROVED: _________________________

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