RESOLUTION NO.: 134 -2014
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Roche

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR BUILDING CODE SERVICES BETWEEN THE CITIES OF RICHMOND HEIGHTS AND SOUTH EUCLID.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the City’s home rule authority, its Charter provisions, and Ohio Revised Code Section 9.482, the City of Richmond Heights has the authority to enter into an agreement with another political subdivision whereby it may contract for receiving or providing the exercise of any power, the performance of any function or the rendering of any service for another contracting recipient political subdivision that the City of Richmond Heights is otherwise legally authorized to exercise, perform or render; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Building Commissioner have had discussions with officials of the City of South Euclid to establish a cooperative agreement between the Richmond Heights’ Division of Building, Zoning and Housing and the City of South Euclid Department of Building for the purpose of sharing building code inspection services and enforcement, etc. for the purpose of making more efficient use of municipal funds and personnel;

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

Section 1: The Mayor is authorized to enter into a cooperative agreement for Building Code services between the Cities of Richmond Heights and South Euclid, in a form that is substantially similar to the agreement attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit A, as such agreement is approved as to legal form by the Director of Law and mutually acceptable to the City of South Euclid.

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 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 shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: ____________________________ ___________________________________

David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: ________________________

ATTEST: ____________________________ ___________________________________

Betsy Traben  Eloise Henry
Clerk of Council  President of Council