RESOLUTION NO.: 78-2015  
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Roche

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY’S PARTICIPATION AS A MEMBER OF THE COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY AND EDUCATION PURCHASING ASSOCIATION FOR A ONE-YEAR TERM.

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Charter Art. VI, Section 3 (n) 2, this Council has authorized the City’s participation in cooperative purchasing programs of political subdivision groups which pool the bulk purchasing power of Ohio public entities for certain bulk supply/commodity items necessary for the operation of the City, such as vehicles, road salt, gasoline, etc.; and

WHEREAS, the College, University and Education (CUE) Purchasing Association’s cooperative purchasing program is such a group of public entities that pools bulk purchasing power for lower prices for commodities through collective public bidding; and

WHEREAS, this Council has determined that the $200.00 CUE membership fee for a one-year term will be offset by the savings achieved through bulk purchases of such commodities through the CUE cooperative purchasing program and that the City should participate in said program by becoming a member of CUE Purchasing Association for a one-year term;

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 take the necessary action for the City’s membership in the College, University and Education Purchasing Association so as to participate in its cooperative purchasing program for a one-year term.

Section 2: The Director of Finance is authorized to appropriate to a proper account a sum not to exceed $200.00 to cover the cost of the City’s membership as set forth in Section 1 of this Resolution.

Section 3: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relation 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 4: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: ________________, 2015

David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: ________________, 2015

ATTEST: __________________________
Betsy Traben
Clerk of Council

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Eloise Cotton-Henry,
President of Council