

RESOLUTION NO.: 76-2020  
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Roche and All of Council

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEIGHTS EVACUATION PLAN.**

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code ("O.R.C.") Section 5502.271 specifies that each political subdivision shall establish a program for emergency management if the political subdivision has not entered into a written agreement establishing either a countywide emergency management agency under O.R.C. Section 5502.25 or a regional authority for emergency management under O.R.C. Section 5502.27;

WHEREAS, the County, by its Resolution No. 090868, as amended, approved and adopted the Cuyahoga County Emergency Operations Plan (EOP), which this City adopted pursuant to Resolution No. 41-2011 and, most recently, updated and adopted its own EOP by this Council's passage of Resolution No. -2020 on August 11, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined that in the interest of the public health, safety, and welfare, the City should develop and adopt an Evacuation Plan which will be used in conjunction with the County and City Emergency Operations Plan and the Disaster Recovery Plan and through the efforts of the City's Divisions of Fire and Police an Evacuation Plan has been developed.

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

Section 1: The City of Richmond Heights, Ohio, does hereby adopt the "City of Richmond Heights Evacuation Plan," dated October 2019, which Plan is on file at the Office of the Mayor.

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: 9-8-20

  
David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: 9-8-20

ATTEST: Betsy Traben  
Betsy Traben  
Clerk of Council

  
Eloise Cotton-Henry  
President of Council