

RESOLUTION NO.: 59 -2009
INTRODUCED BY: Henry

**A RESOLUTION REGARDING COUNCIL'S REVIEW AND
CONSIDERATION OF WARD BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS.**

WHEREAS, Section 2 of Article IV of the City Charter requires Council to review and consider adjusting the boundaries of the four wards in the City every ten (10) years following Council's previous adjustment of the boundaries so that substantial equality and population of four wards shall be maintained; and

WHEREAS, the President of Counsel appointed an ad hoc committee of Council in 2009 to make a recommendation of the full Council with respect to Council's obligation to review and consider ward boundary adjustments as required by the Charter, and it is the recommendation of the ad hoc committee, after review and consideration, that based upon data available at this time, there is substantial equality in population of the four wards, but that the following receipt of the U.S. Census of 2010, Council should again review and consider the adjustment of boundaries of the four wards of the City for the purpose of determining substantial equality and population of the four wards based on that recent Census data.

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

Section 1: Council hereby adopts the findings and recommendation of the ad hoc committee of Council in the preamble of this Resolution set forth above and determines that it has fulfilled its obligations under Section 2 of Article IV of the Charter.

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: _____

Daniel J. Ursu, Mayor

APPROVED: _____

ATTEST: _____

Betsy Traben
Clerk of Council

David H. Roche
President of Council