

RESOLUTION NO. 58-13
CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

SPONSORED BY COUNCILMEMBER Paul Gresham ON THE 14th
DAY OF December, 2013.

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE LEARN TO EARN
DAYTON INITIATIVE FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY**

The Vision: Every student will be ready to learn when entering kindergarten, ready to learn when graduating from high school, and ready to earn a living when graduating with a postsecondary credential or degree.

WHEREAS, The First Suburbs Consortium of Dayton, Ohio (First Suburbs) is a Council of Governments comprised of fourteen maturing or mature suburbs of Dayton, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, kindergarten readiness is essential for school success, but many children in Montgomery County, and up to 50% of the children in our community's low income school districts, are not kindergarten ready when they start school; and

WHEREAS, Basic levels of reading, math and writing skills are essential for college readiness, BUT 50% to 75% of Montgomery County's low income high school students are not college ready; and,

WHEREAS, A well educated workforce is necessary for the Dayton Region's long-term success, but less than 15% of Montgomery County's lowest income students go on to obtain a postsecondary credential; and,

WHEREAS, All community stakeholders must join together to ensure that our children, teens and young adults, regardless of income, receive the education and support they need to be healthy, motivated and career ready.

NOW THEREFORE, THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTERVILLE
HEREBY RESOLVES:

Section 1:

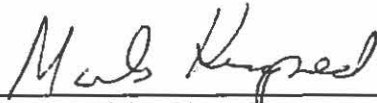
Earning a workforce credential with value in the job market or a college degree is the standard for all of our community's young adults regardless of income level.

Section 2: We embrace Learn to Earn Dayton as the Montgomery County "backbone" organization responsible for fostering a climate of college and career readiness.

Section 3: This resolution is to take effect at the earliest time allowed by law.


By working together through Learn to Earn Dayton we will: ACHIEVE new goals and expectations for kindergarten and college readiness, postsecondary persistence and college or workforce credential completion; USE data to drive our efforts and measure our progress; MOBILIZE resources from throughout the community to enable all of our young people to succeed.

PASSED THIS 16th day of December, 2013.



Mayor of the City of
Centerville, Ohio

ATTEST:



Clerk of Council
City of Centerville, Ohio

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Clerk of Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, hereby certifies the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 58-13, passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio on the 16th day of December, 2013.



Clerk of the Council

Approved as to form, consistency
with existing ordinances, the
charter & constitutional provisions
Department of Law
Scott A. Liberman
Municipal Attorney