RESOLUTION NO. <u>\$2-22</u> CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

35 SPONSORED BY COUNCILMEMBER Duke Luns ford ON THE DAY OF October , 2022

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY'S MEMBERSHIP PEPPM INTHE COOPERATIVE **PURCHASING** ADMINISTERED BYCENTRAL SUSQUEHANNA INTERMEDIATE UNIT (CSIU) TO ALLOW THE CITY OF CENTERVILLE TO UTILIZE THE PEPPM PROCUREMENT AND CONTRACTING PROCESSES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO ANY COOPERATIVE PURCHASE AGREEMENTS WITH PEPPM OR CSIU IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN COOPERATIVE PURCHASING OF PRODUCTS AND SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the PEPPM is a national cooperative purchasing program administered by the Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit (CSIU) that uses the lead agency model for competitively bid contracts; and

WHEREAS, through public sector procurement guidelines, PEPPM establishes already-procured, competitively solicited contracts with suppliers of products and services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Centerville can use PEPPM and purchase directly from the suppliers to whom contracts have been awarded; and

WHEREAS, PEPPM has had a number of contracts that involve technology products; and

WHEREAS, it is encouraged for local governments to utilize such memberships in such groups to allow easier access to already bid products and services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Centerville desires to become a member of and/or utilize PEPPM to have access to products and services that were competitively bid.

NOW THEREFORE, THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTERVILLE HEREBY RESOLVES:

<u>Section 1</u>. That City Council hereby authorizes the City to become a member of and/or utilize PEPPM in order to allow the City to procure products and services competitively bid and offered to members of the PEPPM.

<u>Section 2</u>. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to take all necessary steps to facilitate the City becoming a member of and/or utilizing the PEPPM products, including but not limited to executing an online registration form, which subjects the City to the Terms of Use Agreement with PEPPM and CSIU websites, attached hereto as exhibit "A".

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect at the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED THIS 3 day of October, 2022.

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.

82-22, passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio on the day of October, 2022.

Clerk of the Council

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

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