RESOLUTION NO. <u>95-24</u> CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

9th SPONSORED BY COUNCILMEMBER Mark Engert ON THE DAY OF September, 2024.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SEEK GRANT FUNDING FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (DHS) AND STATE AND LOCAL CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A GRANT AGREEMENT FOR A CITY CYBERSECURITY PROJECT.

WHEREAS, Cybersecurity attacks continue to grow each year and require a constant increase in efforts and technologies to combat; and

WHEREAS, the City of Centerville continues to make investments in resources and technologies to ensure we are following best practices and taking necessary steps to protect the City from such incidents as possible; and

WHEREAS, the City has 2 Fortinet network firewalls for redundancy and the manufacture announced their End of Life (EOL) in April 2021, thus requiring the City to look at replacing those services at a cost of approximately \$50,000 (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to submit the Project to seek grant funding from the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program with the availability of a \$20,000 award amount to be matched 25% by the City; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to seek the grant funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CENTERVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO, AS FOLLOWS:

- <u>Section 1.</u> That the City of Centerville City Council approves of the filing of an application with Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program for the Cybersecurity Project.
- <u>Section 2.</u> The City Manager is authorized to take all necessary steps to execute any and all agreements required to facilitate this grant funding.
- <u>Section 3.</u> This Resolution shall be in full force and effect at the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED THIS 9th day of September, 2024.

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. 95-24, passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio on the day of September, 2024.

Clerk of the Council

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