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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO.



- 2012

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR AND URGING PASSAGE OF ISSUE 8, THE CUYAHOGA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX LEVY, AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MARCH 6, 2012, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga Falls City School District has caused a proposed tax levy to be placed on the March 6, 2012 primary election ballot as Issue 8, and

WHEREAS, funds generated by the five-year, 4.75-mill levy are necessary to help fund the current expenses of the Cuyahoga Falls City School District, and

WHEREAS, the proposed levy, if passed, will not increase any taxes, but is a renewal of an existing levy first passed in 2002, and which was renewed by the electorate in 2007, and

WHEREAS, the passage and renewal of this levy in 2002 and 2007 demonstrates the abiding support that the Cuyahoga Falls City School District has in the community at large, and

WHEREAS, the sustained value and appeal of housing in communities is directly related to the success of the school districts, and

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga Falls City School District has consistently provided excellent academic, co-curricular and extracurricular programming for its students, and

WHEREAS, the uncertainty of state funding for public education continues to place a burden on the district's ability to maintain said programs and services,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, County of Summit and State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. This Council expresses its support for the Cuyahoga Falls City School District and urges the passage of Issue 8 at the March 6, 2012 primary election.

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 of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

Section 3. This resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and

welfare of the City of Cuyahoga Falls and the inhabitants thereof and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law. 2/27/12 O:\2012ords\CFSD levy reso.doc