## BOARD OF TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES ANDERSON TOWNSHIP HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

The Board of Township Trustees met in regular session at 5:00 p.m. this 21st day of March, 2024, with the following members present:

R. Dee Stone Lexi Lausten

Mrs. Lausten introduced the following resolution and moved its passage:

## RESOLUTION NO. 24-0321-14

## RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE ANDERSON TOWNSHIP POLICY REGARDING ANIMAL ENTRY INTO TOWNSHIP BUILDINGS

WHEREAS, Anderson Township adheres to and supports the federal Americans with Disabilities Act (28 CFR 35)(the "ADA"); and

WHEREAS, Anderson Township, its Board of Township Trustees and its employees are committed to providing services which protect and enhance the quality of life in our community, promoting the use of public spaces by all persons and supporting accommodation for disabled persons, including disabled persons using service animals, in public spaces under the ADA and Ohio law; and

WHEREAS, this Board has considered the practicality of permitting animal entry into Township buildings; and

WHEREAS, this Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the Township community to provide for access to Township buildings only by service animals under the terms of a stated policy;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Township Trustees ("Board") of Anderson Township ("Township"), Hamilton County, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. This Board hereby approves and adopts the ANDERSON TOWNSHIP POLICY REGARDING ANIMAL ENTRY INTO TOWNSHIP BUILDINGS (the "Policy") as presented to this Board.

SECTION 2. That a copy of this Resolution and the Policy shall be certified by the Fiscal Officer and posted on the Township's website; and that appropriate signage relating to the Policy be posted at entrances to Township buildings.

SECTION 3. The preambles hereto are and shall for all purposes be construed to be integral and operative parts of this resolution.

SECTION 4. This Board hereby finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were taken in open meetings of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were taken in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including (without implied limitation) Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code, except as otherwise permitted thereby.

Mrs. Stone seconded the motion, and the roll being called upon the question of passage, the vote resulted as follows:

Mrs. Stone	ves	Mr. Gerth	absent	Mrs. Lausten	yes
TAILS: DIGITE _	700		***************************************		

## CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, duly appointed and acting Fiscal Officer of Anderson Township, Hamilton County, Ohio, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of the Board of Township Trustees of said Township on the 21st day of March, 2024, together with a true record of the roll call vote thereon, and that said Resolution has been duly entered upon the Journal of said Township

This 21st day of March, 2024.

Brian M. Johnson Fiscal Officer