

BLENDON TOWNSHIP –RESOLUTION 2018-01

RESOLUTION OF COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABLE2050

WHEREAS, the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission (MORPC) is a voluntary association of Central Ohio governments and regional organizations that provides valuable community services related to transportation, housing, policy, and sustainability; and

WHEREAS, the Blendon Township is a member of MORPC and represented on its Commission; and

WHEREAS, MORPC’s top level Sustainability Advisory Committee has developed the Regional Sustainability Agenda when provides a framework for members and regional partners to work toward common goals; and

WHEREAS, MORPC, with guidance from its Sustainability Advisory Committee and member communities, has launched a new program, called Sustainable2050, that replaces a program formerly known as the Central Ohio Green Pact; and

WHEREAS, the Blendon Township has been a Green Pact member and worked cooperatively with Central Ohio communities for the past ten years to carry out the initiatives identified in the Green Pact and its associated principles; and

WHEREAS, the Blendon Township is committed to protection and preserving its natural resources and pursuing initiatives that will have positive impact on its environment; and

WHEREAS, the Blendon Township recognizes its ability as a local government to lead and influence sustainable practices within the community in a way that is both fiscally and environmentally responsible; and

WHEREAS, the Blendon Township understands the MORPC is committed to providing additional technical and programmatic support to those committed to the Sustainable2050 program;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TRUSTEES OF BLENDON TOWNSHIP, OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. The Blendon Township Board commits to Sustainable 2050 (“Program”) and will pursue the objectives and initiatives outlined in the Program.

Section 2. The Blendon Township Board will designate a local champion to ensure public awareness of, and active participation in, the Program.

Section 3. The Blendon Township Board will assign a representative to participate in Program meetings.

Section 4. The Blendon Township Board will share data with MORPC, as related to the goals and objectives of the Program.

Section 5. This Resolution shall become effective from and after the earliest period allowed by Law.

Adopted: January 10, 2018

Attest: 
Wade L. Estep, Fiscal Officer


James F. Welch, Chairman


Stewart L. Flaherty, Vice-Chairman


Janice D. Heichel, Trustee