A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE TO FILE AN APPLICATION AND ENTER INTO AGREEMENT WITH THE LORAIN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THROUGH THE LORAIN COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING FUNDS THROUGH THE 2022 RECYCLING AND COMPOSTING GRANT PROGRAM PURSUANT TO THE LORAIN COUNTY SOLID WASTE PLAN AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Avon Lake City Council and Administration recognize the existence of a problem with recycling/composting within the boundaries of the City of Avon Lake and the need to address the problem at the local level; and

WHEREAS, the Lorain County Board of Commissioners provides through the Lorain County Solid Waste Management District Plan for the purpose of allocation of funds in the form of grants for the purposes of supplemental recycling/composting programs.

> NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

<u>Section No. 1:</u> That the Council of the City of Avon Lake hereby endorses and supports a Recycling/Composting Program for the City of Avon Lake and authorizes the necessary funds to implement said program, if approved, as indicated in its application.

<u>Section No. 2:</u> That the Mayor of the City of Avon Lake is hereby authorized to apply for and, if awarded, enter into agreement with the Lorain County Solid Waste Management District to administer a grant to implement said program, and that the Mayor of the City of Avon Lake is hereby authorized to sign said agreement.

<u>Section No. 3:</u> That the Council of the City of Avon Lake hereby requests the Lorain County Solid Waste Management District to consider and fund its program as described in the application.

Section No. 4: That 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 any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

<u>Section No. 5:</u> That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the necessity to file an application in a timely manner

for the purpose of acquiring funds to address the recycling/composting problem in Avon Lake, thus for the public health, safety, and welfare. Therefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: 6/13/2022

/s/ Martin E. O'Donnell

President of Council

POSTED: 6/17/2022

APPROVED: 6/14/2022

ATTEST: <u>/s/Valerie E. Rosmarin</u> Clerk of Council

/s/ Gregory J. Zilka

Mayor