SPONSOR: Smith/Ellictt

## RESOLUTION NO. 14-09

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FLAG DAY IN THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Flag Day is a celebration of the adoption of the American flag by the Continental Congress in the First Flag Resolution of June 14, 1777; and

WHEREAS, Flag Day was not officially recognized until President Harry Truman signed it into law in 1949; and

WHEREAS, Flag Day will occur on June 14, 2009, and on Flag Day all citizens are urged and encouraged to fly the American Flag on this day; and all citizens are urged to take time to remember and honor military men and women who have in the past and who currently defend our flag and our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, STATE OF OHIO, as follows:

Section 1. The Council of the City of Jackson, Ohio hereby recognizes June 14, 2009 as FLAG DAY, and Jackson City Council further urges all citizens to fly the American Flag and to honor and remember all men and women who have in the past and who are currently serving to defend our Flag and our Country.

Section 2. This Resolution is hereby is hereby declared to be an emergency Resolution necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety of the City of Jackson, and for the further reason that it is necessary to recognize this important day to honor the American Flag. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

Section 3. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, all in compliance with the law.

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Approved:

Date: 6-8-09 Romber R. Meerle MAYOR