SPONSOR: Kitchen / Brown

RESOLUTION NO. 8-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF JACKSON IN SUPPORT OF THE EFFORTS OF THE OHIO VALLEY CONSERVATION COALITION RELATED TO THE LICK SWAMP CONSERVATION AREA PROJECT, INCLUDING ITS APPLICATION FOR GRANTS FROM THE CLEAN OHIO CONSERVATION FUND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Public Works Commission and the Clean Ohio Conservation Fund, administers financial assistance for the protection and restoration of natural areas and the promotion of public access to those areas;

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson supports the efforts of the Ohio Valley Conservation Coalition to, in addition to other purposes, obtaining private property in furtherance of the Lick Swamp Conservation Area project and to make it available for public use consistent with the grant requirements;

WHEREAS, there are deadlines by which the grant applications must be completed and the timely application is essential to being considered for an award and an award is beneficial to the public health, safety and welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF JACKSON HEREBY DECLARES OUR SUPPORT FOR THE LICK SWAMP CONSERVATION AREA PROJECT, WHICH IS BEING SUBMITTED TO THE CLEAN OHIO CONSERVATION FUND BY THE OHIO VALLEY CONSERVATION COALITION AND DECLARING THIS MATTER TO BE AN EMERGENCY MEASURE AS THERE IS A DEADLINE BY WHICH TO APPLY AND IT SHALL TAKE EFFECT AND BE IN FORCE IMMEDIATELY UPON ITS PASSAGE AND APPROVAL, OTHERWISE IT SHALL TAKE EFFECT AND BE IN FORCE FROM AND AFTER THE EARLIEST PERIOD ALLOWED BY LAW.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberations of this Council that resulted in such formal actions were in a meeting open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 10th day of March, 2015.

President of Council

ATTEST:	
Approved this 10th day of March	, 2015.
	Randy R Gent