AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPROVING THE UPDATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE GEAUGA-TRUMBULL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 2859/19

WHEREAS, H.B. 592, enacted by the 117th General Assembly of the State of Ohio and effective June 24, 1988, required that the Board of County Commissioners of each County within the State establish and maintain its own "County Solid Waste Management District" or, with the Boards of County Commissioners of one or more other Counties, establish by agreement and maintain a "Joint Solid Waste Management District" pursuant to Section 343.01 of the Ohio Revised Code, for the purposes of solid waste management planning and providing for, or causing to be provided for, the safe and sanitary management of solid wastes within all of the incorporated and unincorporated territory of such a county district or joint solid waste management district; and

WHEREAS, the respective Boards of County Commissioners of the Counties of Geauga and Trumbull determined to, and did, enter into an agreement entitled "Agreement Establishing the Geauga-Trumbull Solid Waste Management District" dated January, 1994 which established the Geauga-Trumbull Solid Waste Management District; and

WHEREAS, the policy committee, as required by the Ohio Revised Code, prepared and submitted to the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, for review and approval, "A Solid Waste Management Plan", for the Geauga-Trumbull Solid Waste Management District, and in accordance with the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency comments, the District incorporated changes into the draft, amended Solid Waste Management Plan for the planning period of 2019-2033; and

WHEREAS, a public comment period of (30) thirty days for comment concerning the updated plan was established from November 13, 2018 through December 12, 2018 and a public hearing concerning the updated plan was held on December 13, 2018, in Warren, Ohio at the District Office, all in accordance with the published notice and procedures set forth in Section 3734.55 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, on January 14, 2019, the policy committee, after consideration of comments and recommendations received concerning the updated plan, as modified, passed a Resolution adopting the draft, amended Solid Waste Management Plan for the Geauga-Trumbull Solid Waste District; and

WHEREAS, this legislative authority is required by division (B) of Section 3734.55 of the Ohio Revised Code to approve or disapprove the final updated plan within 90 days after receiving a copy of the updated plan and has been requested to approve the updated plan; NOW THEREFORE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Warren, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the aforementioned final updated plan has been submitted to this Council and the same is presently on file with the Clerk of this Council.
Section 2: That said final updated plan, entitled 2019 Solid Waste Management Plan (for the planning period of 2019-2033) is hereby incorporated herein by reference, for all purposes, as if fully rewritten herein.

Section 3: That said final updated Solid Waste Management Plan of the Geauga Trumbull Solid Management District; adopted by the Solid Waste Management Policy Committee on January 14, 2019 is hereby approved in the form as submitted to this Council and as presently on file with the Clerk of this Council.

Section 4: That the Clerk of this Council is hereby authorized and directed to mail or otherwise deliver promptly a certified copy of this Ordinance to the Policy Committee.

Section 5: That this Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and related to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council that was open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 6: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, welfare and safety, and for the further reason that this Council's approval as set forth above will be timely given and timely communicated in accordance with Section 3734.55 of the Ohio Revised Code, and otherwise. WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall go into immediate effect.

Passed in Council this 10TH Day of APRIL, 2019.

SIGNED:  

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL  

ATTEST:  

CLERK

FILED WITH THE MAYOR:  4-10-19

DATE APPROVED:  4-10-19

MAYOR, CITY OF WARREN, OHIO