

The Board of County Commissioners, in and for Lake County, Ohio, met this day in regular session with the following members present:

Commissioners: Cirino, Hamercheck, and Troy

Commissioner Cirino presented the following resolution and moved its adoption

**RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF APRIL 2-6, 2018 NATIONAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WEEK IN LAKE COUNTY, OHIO**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the adoption of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board of County Commissioners, and that all the deliberations of this Board of County Commissioners and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal actions, were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with applicable legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, the week of April 2-6, 2018, was designated as National Community Development Week by the National Community Development Association in celebration of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program. In keeping with the local funding cycle, Lake County joins in calling attention to the great strides the programs have accomplished by proclaiming April 2-6, 2018, as National Community Development Week in Lake County; and

WHEREAS, the CDBG Program provides annual funding and flexibility to local communities to provide decent, safe and sanitary housing, a suitable living environment and economic opportunities to low-and moderate-income people. Similarly, the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program provides funding to local communities and agencies to create decent, safe, affordable housing opportunities for low-income persons; and

WHEREAS, over the past five years FY13-FY17, Lake County has received a total of \$6,261,397.00 in CDBG funds and \$1,786,808.00 in HOME funds; and

WHEREAS, the CDBG and HOME activities listed below represent only a fraction of the successfully implemented programs that contribute to making Lake County a great place to live, work and conduct business;

CDBG – Economic Development Programs and Projects, Public Services, Public Facilities, Housing Programs and Projects, and Infrastructure Improvements

HOME – Development/Rehabilitation of Homeownership and Rental Opportunities for eligible households, Tenant Based Rental Assistance in the form of placement costs and limited subsidy

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Commissioners, in and for Lake County, Ohio, hereby designates the week of April 2-6, 2018, as National Community Development Week in support of these two valuable programs that have made tremendous contributions to the viability of the housing stock, infrastructure, public services, and economic vitality of our community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this community appreciates the actions of Congress to maintain and restore the FY18 funding level of CDBG/HOME at the national level as a means of recognizing the necessary and the outstanding work performed locally and nationally by the Community Development Block Grant Program and the HOME Investment Partnerships Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board is hereby directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the Lake County Auditor, Budget Director; Jason W. Boyd, County Administrator; and to Marian A. Norman, HOME Program Manager, and Rhea Benton, CDBG Manager, Office of Planning and Community Development.

Commissioner Hamercheck seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows: "AYES": Commissioners: Cirino, Hamercheck, Troy  
"NAYS": None.

Resolution adopted,  
Jennifer Bell, Clerk

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

I, Jennifer Bell, duly appointed Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, do hereby certify that this is a true and accurate copy of a resolution adopted by said Board on April 5, 2018, and recorded in the Commissioners' Journal, Volume 2018.

WITNESS my hand this fifth day of April, 2018, in Painesville, Ohio.

  
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Jennifer Bell, Clerk  
Board of Commissioners, in and  
for Lake County, Ohio