## **RESOLUTION NO. 030-2014**

A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE EFFORTS OF THE FINDLAY HANCOCK COUNTY ALLIANCE TO FORMALIZE A LOCAL MAIN STREET PROGRAM THROUGH HERITAGE OHIO AND TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE OHIO MAIN STREET PROGRAM TO BECOME AN OFFICIAL OHIO MAIN STREET COMMUNITY.

WHEREAS, the City of Findlay recognizes the importance of downtown as it relates to the economic health and quality of life of the community, and;

WHEREAS, the continued improvement, revitalization and development of downtown Findlay is a City goal, and;

WHEREAS, the Main Street organization will be formalized through Heritage Ohio to stimulate economic development and preservation of downtown Findlay thereby lessening the burden of municipal government, and;

WHEREAS, the Main Street approach to downtown revitalization has generated community-wide interest and support, and;

WHEREAS, the Findlay City Council and the Mayor of Findlay recognize that downtown is the core of all activity both private and public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Findlay, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected or appointed thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: City Council and the Mayor of the City of Findlay, Ohio do hereby endorse the concept of a local Main Street program and the submittal of an application to the Ohio Main Street program to become an official Ohio Main Street community.

SECTION 2: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period provided by law.

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL P

Passed <u>September 2, 201</u>

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