RESOLUTION NO. 2019 - 8

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND SUPPORTING THE WeTHRIVE! INITIATIVE AND PATHWAY WITH THE HAMILTON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY

WHEREAS, one of the fundamental principles of public health is that all people have the right to achieve optimal health; and

WHEREAS, individuals interact with the environment constantly and these interactions affect quality of life; and

WHEREAS, features of the built environment impact health-influencing behaviors, physical activity patterns, social networks and access to resources; and

WHEREAS most events resulting in injury, disability, or death are predictable and preventable;

WHEREAS, Golf Manor recognizes that enhancing the community's ability to respond to a public health emergency can also improve emergency response for events, such as naturally occurring or man-made disasters; and

WHEREAS, preventing substance use and abuse and promoting responsible alcohol use can improve the overall health and quality of life of a community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, by the Council of the Village of Golf Manor, Hamilton County, Ohio, that:

SECTION I.

Golf Manor hereby recognizes the importance of partnering with public health to examine strategies aimed at reducing chronic disease; preventing intentional and unintentional injuries; improving our community's ability to respond to a public health emergency; protecting the natural environment from environmental hazards; preventing substance use and abuse; creating social and physical environments that promotes healthy living and equal opportunity for all.

SECTION II.

Golf Manor will establish a WeTHRIVE! Team consisting of, at a minimum, a Council Member, the Administrator and two residents of Golf Manor. The WeTHRIVE! Team will be responsible for leading community health and wellness efforts and serving as a liaison between Golf Manor and Hamilton County Public Health.

SECTION III.

Golf Manor will select one or more of the WeTHRIVE! pathways and conduct an assessment, develop an action plan, and prioritize strategies aimed at improving the health, safety, and vitality for all community members.

SECTION IV.

The Golf Manor WeTHRIVE! Team shall designate a representative to participate in the WeTHRIVE! Community Learning Collaborative facilitated by Hamilton County Public Health.

SECTION V.

Golf Manor will implement community programs, conduct education or awareness campaigns, and/or adopt policies when appropriate to address health and safety issues identified through the assessment, data review, and prioritization process.

SECTION VI.

The Golf Manor WeTHRIVE! Team shall report back to the Village Council quarterly regarding steps taken to implement this Resolution, additional steps planned, and any desired actions that would need to be taken by the Village Council or other agencies or departments to implement the steps taken or planned.

SECTION VII. This Resolution shall take effect the earliest opportunity as allowable by law.

PASSED this 13th day of May

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Mayor Greg Schwartzberg

ATTEST:

Anna Gedeon, Assistant Clerk

APPROYED AS TO FORM:

Terrence M. Donnellon, Solicitor