RESOLUTION NO. 21-22

A RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION OF HB563 TO LIMIT LOCAL REGULATION OF SHORT-TERM RENTAL PROPERTY.

WHEREAS, HB563, co-sponsored by State Representative Sarah Arthur Fowler, would prohibit villages, cities and other local governments from banning short-term rentals in their communities.

WHEREAS, the bill states that municipalities will no longer be able to ban or limit the number of short-term rentals. If passed, the legislation may nullify City ordinances regulating the location and permitting of short-term rentals in the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Conneaut, County of Ashtabula, and State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. The Council of the City of Conneaut is committed to protecting Conneaut's residential neighborhoods and hereby opposes HB563.

SECTION 2. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council or any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That the Clerk of this Council is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to State Representative Sarah Fowler Arthur, State Senator Sandra O'Brien and Governor Mike DeWine.

Passed this 14th day of March, 2022.

President of Council

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council