## MAYOR'S RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION CLOSING CITY HALL, THE SENIOR CENTER AND THE SERVICE GARAGE AND AUTHORIZING ADMINISTRATIVE PAY FOR THOSE EMPLOYEES ASSIGNED TO WORK IN THOSE CITY BUILDINGS, ON JUNE 20, 2022 IN COMMEMORATION OF JUNETEENTH.

WHEREAS, Juneteenth recognizes June 19, 1865, as the date that news of slavery's end reached slaves in Texas and other states in the southwest—formalizing their emancipation after the end of the Civil War a month earlier; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 17, 2021, President Joe Biden signed into law a bill to establish June 19 as a legal public holiday called Juneteenth National Independence Day; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by me, ANNETTE M. BLACKWELL, Mayor of the City of Maple Heights, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, that:

I hereby declare that in commemoration of Juneteenth National Independence Day, the Maple Heights City Hall, Senior Center and Service Garage will be closed on Monday, June 20, 2022 and all employees assigned to work in those buildings on June 20, 2022 shall be granted administrative pay pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 124.388 due to the closing of these City buildings.

Annette M. Blackwell, Mayor

6-6-2022

Date