

Resolution to adjust the boundaries of Westerville Township, thereby making them conform to the boundaries of the City of Westerville Case #BC-06-16 (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING)

WHEREAS, the council of the city of Westerville, Ohio, by Resolution No. 2016-04, passed February 16, 2016 by a majority of its members, has petitioned the Franklin County Board of Commissioners to change the boundaries of Westerville Township, to make them conform to the boundaries of the city of Westerville, and for such other action as may be proper. The portion of the city of Westerville, Ohio, not now included within the limits of Westerville Township include that portion of Blendon Township, located in Franklin County, annexed to the city of Westerville by Ordinance No. 2015-14; and,

WHEREAS, the city of Westerville filed the petition with the Franklin County Board of Commissioners on March 1, 2016 and has asked for the boundary change according to the provisions of Section 503.07 and related sections of the Ohio Revised Code and that the Board of County Commissioners can cause a proper adjustment of rights and liabilities to be made between the city of Westerville and Westerville Township; and,

WHEREAS, a certified copy of said Ordinance Number 2016-04; with the proceedings of the council of the city of Westerville, Ohio was presented to and filed with the Franklin County Economic Development and Planning Department on March 1, 2016; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

Section 1 That it is the opinion and judgment of the Board that the extension of the partial conformity of boundaries of the city of Westerville and Westerville Township as petitioned for in the said petition by City Council, is expedient, and will be for the convenience and welfare of the inhabitants of Blendon Township and the city of Westerville.

Section 2 That the petition of the city of Westerville is proper and therefore the petition be granted and the boundary lines of Westerville Township shall be extended to conform with the bounds of the territory set forth in that petition.

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Section 3 That there are no adjustments of funds, unpaid taxes, claims, indebtedness or other fiscal matters needed to be settled by the Board, as none were requested in the respective resolutions.

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