**RESOLUTION 24-016** 

February 13, 2024

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HEALTH COMMISSIONER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH BYRD POLAR CLIMATE AND RESEARCH CENTER AT THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY TO COMPLETE THE 2024 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY AND CITY HEALTH OFFICIALS (NACCHO) CLIMATE DEMONSTRATON SITE GRANT (EXPENSE NOT TO EXCEED: \$15,000)

WHEREAS, Franklin County Public Health ("FCPH") was selected by the National Association of County and City Officials ("NACCHO") as one of two (2) awardees in the project "Demonstration Sites in Climate Change and Health" through the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention ("CDC");

**WHEREAS**, FCPH was awarded a grant in the amount of \$25,000.00 from NACCHO to support continuation of climate change activities and is utilizing the funding with our project "Identifying Local Environmental Health Climate Change Indicators" and are acting as a "demonstration site" to allow personnel to focus on climate related data activities;

**WHEREAS**, the Byrd Polar Climate and Research Center at The Ohio State University has expertise in analyzing and forecasting local and national climate data;

WHEREAS, FCPH is seeking to use \$15,000.00 of the \$25,000.00 awarded to enter into an agreement with the Byrd Polar Climate and Research Center at The Ohio State University to assist FCPH in completing and finalizing indicators for local climate assessments; and

**WHEREAS**, this resolution supports Environmental Health Division Strategic Goal of connecting environmental health work to social determinants of health, creating equitable policies and practices diversifying funding.

Now, therefore, upon motion of Board Member \_\_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Board Member \_\_\_\_\_;

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- 1. That the Board of Health authorizes the Health Commissioner to enter into an agreement with the Byrd Polar Climate and Research Center at The Ohio State University to assist in completing and finalizing indicators for local climate assessments in the NACCHO Climate Change Grant Program.
- 2. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

Voting Aye Thereon:

Board Members Franklin County Board of Health

Voting Nay Thereon:

Board Members Franklin County Board of Health