VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO
RESOLUTION 2021-47

IN SUPPORT OF CLEAN OHIO CONSERVATION FUND SITE IMPROVEMENTS FOR GLEN HELEN

WHEREAS, Council has received a request from the Tecumseh Land Trust (TLT) for support of their application to the State of Ohio Public Works Commission for site improvements to Glen Helen nature preserve, consisting of 1,125 acres with public access, owned by GHA Glen Operations LLC – a wholly owned subsidiary of the Glen Helen Association, located in the Village of Yellow Springs and Miami, Cedar Cliff, and Xenia Townships, and to which TLT holds Conservation Easements; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project includes access improvements to parking areas, signage, bridges, boardwalks, and demolition of the defunct power plant on the property; and

WHEREAS, Council recognizes Glen Helen as an important resource for all who live in, work in, or visit the Village of Yellow Springs; and

WHEREAS, Council has reviewed this request for support of the application and has determined that nomination of the property for site improvements is compatible with the long-range goals of Village government regarding the matter of open space protection and public access,

NOW, THEREFORE, COUNCIL FOR THE VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO HEREBY RESOLVES THAT:

Section 1. Council hereby supports the Tecumseh Land Trust request for nomination of the Glen Helen property for site improvements that facilitate public safety and access.

Section 2. Council hereby affirms that the proposed site improvements to the nominated property are compatible with the long-range goals of the Village of Yellow Springs as they relate to open space and environmental protection.

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Brian Housh, President of Council

Passed: 10-4-2021

Attest:_____
Judy Kintner, Clerk of Council

Roll Call: Housh__Y__ MacQueen__Y__ Stokes_Y__

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