

RESOLUTION NO. 22-35

VILLAGE OF NEW LEXINGTON

11-07-2022

The Village of New Lexington Council met in regular session on 11-07-2022 and adopted the following resolution.

The Village of New Lexington Council approves Buckeye Hills Regional Council as its lead technical assistance grant applicant for the Appalachian Community Grant Program: *AND Declaring AN EMERGENCY.*

WHEREAS, the Appalachian Community Grant Program, created by House Bill 377, provides support to political subdivisions, educational institutions, port authorities, community improvement corporations, and nonprofits within the 32-county Ohio Appalachian region to undertake projects related to Infrastructure, Workforce, and Healthcare, and

WHEREAS, Buckeye Hills Regional Council is the designated Local Development District for Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Noble, Perry, and Washington counties, as recognized by the Ohio Governor's Office of Appalachia and the Appalachian Regional Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Appalachian Grant Program guidelines encourage applicants to work with their Local Development District to compile and complete their applications for eligible projects under the Appalachian Community Grant Program, and

WHEREAS Buckeye Hills Regional Council intends to make applications for technical assistance on behalf of the communities and partners in the Muskingum River Corridor, the Ohio River Corridor and additional areas throughout the region for downtown revitalization, trails, tourism, healthcare and education,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY NEW LEXINGTON COUNCIL:

That the Village of New Lexington Council wishes to partner with Buckeye Hills Regional Council on the technical assistance application described above and authorizes Buckeye Hills Regional Council to apply on its behalf to the Appalachian Community Grant Program for the aforementioned planning project.

Approved this 7th day of November, 2022.



MAYOR



COUNCIL PRESIDENT



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