

RESOLUTION NO. 2010 – 03

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY CONDEMNING THE DECISION OF THE COSHOCTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ELIMINATE THE POLLING STATION FOR THE VILLAGE OF WARSAW AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Coshocton County Board of Elections has decided to eliminate the polling station for the Village of Warsaw and has decided to move the polling station to the Village of Nellie; and

WHEREAS, Coshocton County Board of Elections failed to give any advance notice to the elected representatives of the Village of Warsaw of its intended decision to eliminate the polling station for the Village of Warsaw and failed to solicit public comments about its decision to move the polling station for the Village of Warsaw; and

WHEREAS, Coshocton County Board of Elections has wholly failed to justify its decision to move the polling station of the Village of Warsaw and has given contradictory reasons for the same; and

WHEREAS, Coshocton County Board of Elections has acted with arrogance and callousness and without any consideration of the opinions of the Village of Warsaw and its residents; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Village of Warsaw, Coshocton County, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village of Warsaw strongly condemns the actions of the Coshocton County Board of Elections to move the polling station of the Village of Warsaw to the Village of Nellie. The Village of Warsaw finds that the actions of the Coshocton County Board of Elections were callous and without any regard for the opinions of the Village of Warsaw. The Village of Warsaw demands that the Coshocton County Board of Elections reinstate a polling station for the Village of Warsaw. The Village of Warsaw hereby expresses a vote of no confidence in the current members of the Coshocton County Board of Elections.

SECTION 2. Village Council declares this to be an emergency resolution necessary for the preservation of the public, peace, health and safety, such emergency arising out of the present intended decision of the Coshocton County Board of Elections to move the polling station of the Village of Warsaw for the May 2010 primary and future elections, the foregoing legislation is needed without undue delay; wherefore this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Ronald Davis, Mayor

Brenda Davis, Councilwoman

Kris Ringwalt, Councilwoman

Jesse Fischer, Councilman

Ed Kent, President of Council

Jerry Funk, Councilman

Dan Secrest, Councilman