

**RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE EXISTING CONDITION ASSESSMENT PHASE OF THE GOING PLACES – AN INTEGRATED LAND USE VISION FOR THE MIAMI VALLEY REGION**

**WHEREAS**, the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission serves as a forum where regional partners identify priorities, develop public policy, and implement collaborative strategies to improve the quality of life and economic vitality throughout the Miami Valley; and

**WHEREAS**, the MVRPC is designated as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) by the Governor acting through the Ohio Department of Transportation in cooperation with locally elected officials for Greene, Miami, and Montgomery Counties including the jurisdictions of Franklin, Carlisle, and Springboro in Warren County; and

**WHEREAS**, the MVRPC's Board of Directors serves as the policy and decision making body through which local governments guide the MVRPC's regional planning activities for the Dayton Metropolitan Area; and

**WHEREAS**, the MVRPC's Board of Directors endorsed the 3-phase Regional Land Use Planning proposal, now known as Going Places – An Integrated Land Use Vision of the Miami Valley Region, which outlines an overall approach to a region-based land use planning initiative in January 2007; and

**WHEREAS**, the Phase I Existing Condition Assessment of Going Places officially began in July 2007; and

**WHEREAS**, the MVRPC's Board of Directors appointed the members of the Steering Committee and Planning Advisory Committee in February 2008; and

**WHEREAS**, MVRPC made over 60 presentations reaching out to over 1,200 citizens in the Miami Valley to publicize the Going Places initiative, share findings from various studies conducted under Phase I, and solicit feedbacks; and

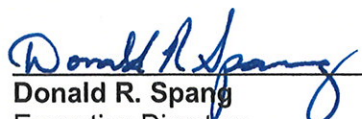
**WHEREAS**, MVRPC in cooperation with local jurisdictions, Steering Committee and Planning Advisory Committee in the study area has completed numerous studies examining physical and non-physical conditions of the Miami Valley Region as part of the Phase I Existing Condition Assessment; and

**WHEREAS**, MVRPC made numerous progress updates to the Board of Directors and Technical Advisory Committee to share findings from various studies conducted under Phase I and solicit feedbacks; and

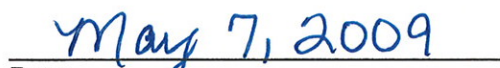
**WHEREAS**, the Going Places Steering Committee and Planning Advisory Committee have endorsed the Phase I Existing Condition Assessment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Directors of the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission hereby endorses the Existing Condition Assessment Phase of the Going Place – An Integrated Land Use Vision for the Miami Valley Region.

**BY ACTION OF THE** Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission's Board of Directors.

  
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Donald R. Spang  
Executive Director

  
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Donald E. Patterson, Chairperson  
Board of Directors of the  
Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission

  
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