RESOLUTION #21-348
September 1, 2021

It is hereby resolved by the Public Health – Dayton & Montgomery County Board of Health to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, COVID-19 disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus is a vaccine preventable disease;

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 vaccine approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and vaccines available under the FDA Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) are safe and effective, with the benefits of vaccination clearly outweighing the risks of rare serious adverse events after COVID-19 vaccination;

WHEREAS, the SARS-CoV-2 epidemic continues in Montgomery County;

WHEREAS, Public Health - Dayton and Montgomery County has a responsibility to protect its staff, clients, patients, and constituents from vaccine preventable diseases;

WHEREAS, Public Health - Dayton and Montgomery County has a responsibility to prevent and restrict communicable disease;

WHEREAS, vaccination is the best single available intervention to prevent COVID-19 disease, to decrease transmission, and to control the epidemic;

NOW, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Public Health - Dayton & Montgomery County Board of Health that:

All PHDMC employees are required to receive an FDA authorized or subsequently approved COVID-19 vaccine prior to October 15, 2021, subject to recognized medical exemptions to vaccination; and reasons of religious or philosophical belief.

Moved by Ms. Meadows                Seconded by Mr. Orr

Roll Call:  Dr. Block, yea; Mr. Downing, yea; Dr. Speare-Hardy, yea; Ms. Meadows, yea; Dr. Orlowski, yea; Mr. Orr, yea; Dr. Patterson, yea; Dr. Rhodes, yea; Mr. Sims, yea.  Motion carried.

I hereby certify that this is a true and exact copy of the Resolution passed by the Board of Health at its regularly scheduled meeting held September 1, 2021.

[Signature]
Jeffrey A. Cooper, MS
Health Commissioner