

## RESOLUTION 09 - 17

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### A resolution adopting the Bexley Zero Waste Plan

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bexley underwent a Zero Waste Plan planning effort in 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, The Bexley Zero Waste Plan is a multi-year plan intended to dramatically reduce the contribution of solid waste to the landfill from Bexley's residents, businesses, and institutions; and

**WHEREAS**, Reducing solid waste to landfills is best achieved by diverting recyclable, reusable, and compostable materials for more productive use elsewhere; and

**WHEREAS**, the Zero Waste Plan steering committee was comprised of a dedicated group of volunteers from Bexley's institutions, businesses, partners, and resident base; and

**WHEREAS**, the Zero Waste Plan will help to inform policy and City initiatives around waste disposal for years to come; and

**WHEREAS**, Bexley has a history of being a leader in solid waste diversion and green efforts, and the Zero Waste Plan will be the first of its kind adopted by a municipality in central Ohio;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY:**

**Section 1.**

That this Council hereby adopts the Bexley Zero Waste Plan and will work to further waste diversion by supporting efforts to implement the suggestions provided by the Plan.

**Section 2.**

That City Council will carefully consider all elements of the Plan, and provide funding as Council deems appropriate and as funding is available.

**Section 3.**

That this Resolution shall go into effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

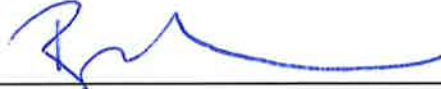
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Tim Madison, President of Council

Attest: Wilson Gray  
Clerk of Council

Approved: Sept. 26, 2017



Ben Kessler, Mayor

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Second Reading: 9-12-17

Third Reading: 9-26-17