## **RESOLUTION NO. 187-13**

## BY: BRIAN BROCHETTI

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FORECLOSURE MEDIATION PROGRAM "SAVE OUR HOMES MONTH" IN SEPTEMBER, 2013, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, in the past 5 years, the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas Foreclosure Mediation Program has successfully served almost 6,000 homeowners by addressing issues related to foreclosures; and,

WHEREAS, the Foreclosure Mediation Program reaches out to communities and individual homeowners to explore options to reach mutually beneficial agreements and to avoid the consequences of vacant and abandoned homes; and,

WHEREAS, "Save Our Homes Month" helps to spread the word about the Foreclosure Mediation Program to the community; and,

WHEREAS, outreach services are available through this Program such as speakers, written materials, and contact numbers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

- Section 1. That this Council hereby supports the Cuyahoga County of Common Pleas Foreclosure Mediation Program "Save our Homes Month" in September, 2013. This Council and Administration hereby urge any homeowners with questions about foreclosure to contact the Foreclosure Mediation Program at 216-698-7138 or 216-698-7158.
- Section 2. That the Clerk of Council is hereby directed to forward a true and accurate copy of this Resolution to the Honorable Nancy Fuerst, Administrative Judge of the Cuyahoga Court of Common Pleas.
- Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 4. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary due to the observance taking place this month, and this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:	
	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
ATTEST:CLERK OF COUNCIL	_ APPROVED:
FILED WITH THE MAYOR:	MANOR CITY OF BARMA CHIC
	MAYOR CITY OF PARMA OHIO