

TEXT OF LIBRARY RESOLUTION TO REJECT COVENTRY P.E.A.C.E. PROPOSAL ON 09/23/24

REJECTION OF CONTINUED OFFERS TO PURCHASE COVENTRY PEACE BUILDING

WHEREAS, the Library Board has previously directed the Library Director to reject to reject any unsolicited offers to purchase any Library-owned real property, including the Coventry School Building, unless otherwise directed by action of this Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to provide further direction regarding offers to purchase the Coventry School Building, following receipt of the latest offer from Coventry PEACE, Inc., to purchase the Building for \$1.00, and their petitioning of the City of Cleveland Heights City Council for support of the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Library Board of Trustees is not considering selling or otherwise conveying the Coventry School Building, to Coventry PEACE, Inc., or otherwise, and intends to maintain ownership of the same at this time;

RESOLVED FURTHER, the Board directs the Library Director to reject all offers to purchase the Coventry School Building, including the offer from Coventry PEACE, Inc., and to focus on the feasibility and cost scenarios of options for the Property that do not involve sale or transfer of the Building.