RESOLUTION No. 2ᴸ-04b

Hamilton _____ County, Ohio

Colerain

Be It Resolved *by the Township Trustees of* _____ *Township, that*

Whereas — Colerain Township is dedicated to the prevention or reduction of drug abuse and violence among the children of the Township; and

Whereas — Colerain Township has supported the combined efforts of our D.A.R.E. officers, the Northwest Local School District and St. John the Baptist School; and

Whereas — The D.A.R.E. Grants Program within the Office of the Attorney General of Ohio provides funds to support local law enforcement agencies, specifically for the salaries of certified D.A.R.E. officers teaching the approved D.A.R.E. curriculum in local schools. This grant providing matching funds to defray the cost of an officer's salary up to 50% of time spent dedicated to D.A.R.E. instruction; and

Be It Resolved — by the Colerain Township Board of Trustees, County of Hamilton, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. — That the Board hereby endorses and supports the D.A.R.E. program within the Colerain Township Police Department and authorizes the matching funds necessary to continue said program as indicated in this application.

SECTION 2. — That the Chief of Police is hereby authorized to apply for and, if awarded, enter into agreement with the Ohio Attorney General's Office to administer a grant to continue said program.

SECTION 3. — That the Board hereby requests the Ohio Attorney General's Office to consider and fund said project.

SECTION 4. — That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting this 20th day of July, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Adopted the 20th *day of* July 2004

Attest _____ *Township Clerk*

_____ *Township Trustees*