

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW CONCORD, OHIO

RESOLUTION 2026 – 1 – 1

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A CYBERSECURITY POLICY FOR THE VILLAGE OF NEW CONCORD, OH

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio has implemented Ohio Revised Code 9.64, enacted in HB 96 (136th G.A.), requiring all local governments and jurisdictions to establish a cybersecurity policy by September 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this requirement is to strengthen protections of public data, information systems, and technology resources from cybersecurity threats and risks; and

WHEREAS, a draft Cybersecurity Policy has been prepared and reviewed by staff and is recommended for adoption as a framework for compliance with Ohio Revised Code 9.64 and HB 96; and

WHEREAS, the policy provides guidance on access control, system security, data protection, incident response, training, and vendor management, while requiring consultation with IT professionals and legal counsel for implementation and customization;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW CONCORD, OHIO THAT:

Section 1. The attached Cybersecurity Policy is hereby adopted as the official policy of the Village of New Concord, Ohio.

PASSED: March 9, 2026

APPROVED: March 9, 2026

ATTEST: Debra Whitehair
Debra Whitehair, Clerk

James Whitehair
James Whitehair, President of Council
Robert Dickson
Robert Dickson, Mayor

I hereby certify that the above legislation was posted per Ordinance No. L-1-84-1.

Debra Whitehair Debra Whitehair, Clerk