

## Birchwood/Clearview Community Association Resolution Supporting Participation In the Sustainable Maryland Municipal Certification Program

WHEREAS, a sustainable community seeks to optimize quality of life for its residents by ensuring that its environmental, economic and social objectives are balanced and mutually supportive; and

WHEREAS, the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association (BCCA) strives to save community dollars, assure clean land, air and water, improve working and living environments as steps to building a sustainable community that will thrive well into the new century; and

WHEREAS, the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association (BCCA) wishes to support a model of community governance which benefits our residents now and far into the future by exploring and adopting sustainable, economically-sound, community practices; and

WHEREAS, by endorsing a sustainable path, the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association (BCCA) through its Board of Directors is pledging to educate itself and community members further about sustainable activities and to develop initiatives supporting sustainable community practices; and

WHEREAS, as elected board members of Birchwood/Clearview Community Association, (BCCA) we have a significant responsibility to provide leadership which will seek community-based sustainable solutions to strengthen our community:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that to focus attention and effort within the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association, (BCCA) on matters of sustainability, the Board of Directors of the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association, (BCCA) wishes to pursue local initiatives and actions that will lead to Sustainable Maryland Municipal Certification.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Board of Directors of the Birchwood/Clearview Community Association, (BCCA) that the community through its Board of Directors will be creating a Green Team and that team will be developing a Sustainability Action Plan.

Michelle P. Ross
Signature

Adoption Date

March 12, 2023