

In the Name and by the Authority of THE STATE OF OCHO

WHEREAS, Mary Emery, a philanthropist living in Cincinnati, imagined a "model town" where working-class citizens could leave the crowded city and build high-quality lives; and

WHEREAS, with the help of her business manager, Charles Livingood, and planner John Nolen, Mary laid out what would become the new town of Mariemont, and broke ground on April 23, 1923; and

WHEREAS, their meticulous planning provided for all of Mariemont's infrastructural needs while maintaining Mary's vision of an aesthetically beautiful and family-focused village complete with a hospital, fire and police stations, community center, churches, parks, and gardens; and

WHEREAS, Mariemont was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1979 and designated as a National Historic Landmark in 2007 in recognition of its unique history and character; and

WHEREAS, in celebration of Mariemont's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the village has initiated a campaign to revitalize its parks and green spaces, including Dogwood Park and its landmark Carillon Bell Tower and Dale Park's "A L'Enfance" statuary representing the enduring strength of familial bonds; and

WHEREAS, under the village motto, "juvenibus dicatum," a Latin phrase meaning "dedicated to youth," the village of Mariemont has, for 100 years, remained a vibrant and modern community in which families can live, play, learn, grow, and thrive; and

NOW, THEREFORE, We, Mike DeWine and Jon Husted, Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby recognize the

## CENTENNIAL OF THE VILLAGE OF MARIEMONT

on this 23rd day of April 2023.

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Mike DeWine Governor

Jon Husted Lieutenant Governor