## AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE FINAL VAN WERT COUNTY 9-1-1 PLAN AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Whereas, on June 18, 1985, H.B. 491 became effective to allow for the establishment of 9-1-1 emergency telephone system in Ohio; and

Whereas, this legislation established a procedure and timetable for county governments and municipalities to develop and implement a 9-1-1 (E9-1-1) system in the county which would provide automatic routing of calls to the proper community and number in emergency situations, with the result being shortened overall response time between when an emergency situation is first detected and the emergency help arrives; and

Whereas, in accordance with O.R.C. 4931.44, if approval is granted, each Municipality must act by resolution to approve the Final Plan, and send said notification to the Board of County Commissioners; and

Whereas, if approval of the plan is not forthcoming within sixty (60) days following the Public Meeting on July 19, 1994, when the Final Plan was presented to review, it is deemed that the plan has been disapproved by the Municipality; and

Whereas, the Municipality of Venedocia desires to be included in the Van Wert County 9-1-1 Plan when its implementation becomes finalized and accepts the final 9-1-1 Plan as adopted by the Van Wert County 9-1-1 Planning Committee;

therefore be it

Ordained, by the Municipality of Venedocia to approve the Final Van Wert County 9-1-1 Plan as revised dated April 18, 1994, and adopted by the Van Wert County 9-1-1 Planning Committee, and to authorize and direct the Clerk of the Council to forward a copy of this ordinance forthwith to the Board of Van Wert County Commissioners; and

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure made necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of said Municipality so that the Van Wert County 9-1-1 Plan may be adopted at the earliest possible time; and it shall, therefore, be in force and take effect immediately upon its passage and signature by the Mayor.

Passed:	8-15	1994

Mayor Mayor

Attest:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Solicitor