CITY OF RYLAND HEIGHTS, KENTUCKY RESOLUTION NO. <u>2012 - 12</u>

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE INITIATION OF HAVING THE CITY RE-CLASSIFIED AS A FIFTH CLASS CITY.

WHEREAS, the City of Ryland Heights is currently classified as a Sixth Class City;

WHEREAS, the population estimate of the City of Ryland Heights in 2010 according to the United States Census was 1,022 persons;

WHEREAS, that the Old Section 158 of the Kentucky Constitution requires a City of the Fifth Class a population between 1,000 and 2,999 persons;

WHEREAS, KRS 81.032 requires the City of Ryland Heights through its City Commission to provide the General Assembly by certified resolution certain population data;

WHEREAS, the re-classification procedure is initiated when a legislator files a bill seeking formal re-classification of the City;

WHEREAS, the Honorable Damon Thayer is the Senator from the District which includes the City of Ryland Heights; and the Honorable Thomas Kerr is the Representative from the District which includes the City of Ryland Heights; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator has made a recommendation to have the City of Ryland Heights re-classified as a Fifth Class City and that recommendation has been received and approved by the City Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE RYLAND HEIGHTS CITY COMMISSION AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I

That Mayor Bob Miller is hereby authorized and directed to request that Senator Damon Theyer and/or Representative Thomas Kerr file a bill with the General Assembly to amend KRS 81.010 to re-classify the City of Ryland Heights from a Sixth Class City to a Fifth Class City.

SECTION II

That this Resolution shall hereby act as the City of Ryland Heights's certification that the population of the City of Ryland Heights exceeds 1,000 persons.

SECTION III

The foregoing RESOLUTION was read, passed and adopted by the Ryland Heights City Commission, meeting in regular session on the ___//_ day of ______, 2012.

Motion made by: Commissioner Gree Goins

Seconded by: Commissioner Rhouda Ashbrook

AYES:

NAYS: PRESENT: 5, all ABSENT:

ATTEST:

Passed: