## **CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Finance Committee September 14, 2010

## RESOLUTION FOR TEEN/PARENT RETREAT SERIES PROVIDED BY CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE'S COLLEGE PATHWAY PROGRAMS

- WHEREAS, The Library, under an agreement with the Cuyahoga County Commissioners' Family and Children First Council, is the MyCom Lead Agency for Transitions and provides programs for youth pre-K to 12 that help youth transition from pre-school to kindergarten, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade to 4<sup>th</sup> grade, middle to high school and high school to adulthood; and
- WHEREAS, The Cleveland Foundation has made available to the Library grant funds in order to provide program support for high school students as they enter adulthood; and
- WHEREAS, The Cleveland Foundation funds of \$32,000 will be used to operate a four-week teen/parent workshop series to assist 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders and their families prepare for successful entry into the workforce or college; and
- WHEREAS, Cuyahoga Community College's College Pathway Programs staff are qualified to present a program consisting of career exploration, college admissions, financial aid, youth entrepreneurship and summer youth employment, to teens and their families residing in the Cleveland MyCom neighborhoods; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED, The Cleveland Public Library Board of Trustees agrees to use grant monies from the Cleveland Foundation for the MyCom Initiative, to present a parent/teen workshop series provided by Cuyahoga Community College's College Pathway Programs.