

RESOLUTION NO. R-21-12

A RESOLUTION DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO REPLACE THE EXISTING 3.75 MILLS TAX LEVY WITH AN INCREASE OF 4.5 MILLS, TOTALING 8.25 AND REQUESTING THE SUMMIT COUNTY FISCAL OFFICER TO CERTIFY THE TOTAL CURRENT TAX VALUATION OF THE VILLAGE AND THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF REVENUE THAT WOULD BE GENERATED BY THIS REPLACEMENT LEVY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY (FIRE LEVY).

WHEREAS, this Council finds that the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation by levies on the current tax duplicate will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the Village and that it is necessary to levy a tax in excess of that limitation for the provision and maintenance of fire apparatus, mechanical resuscitators, underwater rescue and recovery equipment, or other fire equipment and appliances, buildings and sites therefor, or sources of water supply and materials therefor, for the establishment and maintenance of lines of fire-alarm communications, for the payment of firefighting companies or permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting, emergency medical service, administrative, or communications personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.34 of the Revised Code, for the purchase of ambulance equipment, for the provision of ambulance, paramedic, or other emergency medical services operated by a fire department or firefighting company, or for the payment of other related costs Village of Clinton under Section 5705.19(I) of the Ohio Revised Code; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5705.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, in order to submit the question of a replacement tax levy with an increase pursuant to Section 5705.25 of the Ohio Revised Code, this Council must request that the Summit County Fiscal Officer certify (i) the total current valuation of the Village, and, (ii) the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the levy; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5705.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, upon receipt of a certified copy of the resolution of this Council declaring the necessity of the tax, stating its purpose, stating whether it is an additional levy, a renewal or a replacement of an existing tax, noting the section of the Ohio Revised Code pursuant to which its submission to the electors is authorized, this Council desires to request the County Fiscal Officer to certify the total current tax valuation of the Village, and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the proposed levy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Clinton, Summit County, Ohio, two-thirds of the members elected therefore concurring that:

Section 1: This Council declares that it is necessary to replace the existing 3.75 mill tax levy with an increase of an additional 4.5 mills, for a period of five (5) years, for a total of 8.25 mill ad valorem property tax outside of the ten mill limitation for the purpose of providing the capital needs of and maintaining the operations of the fire department in the Village of Clinton under Section 5705.19(I) of the Ohio Revised Code, specifically, for the provision and

maintenance of fire apparatus, mechanical resuscitators, underwater rescue and recovery equipment, or other fire equipment and appliances, buildings and sites therefor, or sources of water supply and materials therefor, for the establishment and maintenance of lines of fire-alarm communications, for the payment of firefighting companies or permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting, emergency medical service, administrative, or communications personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.34 of the Revised Code, for the purchase of ambulance equipment, for the provision of ambulance, paramedic, or other emergency medical services operated by a fire department or firefighting company, or for the payment of other related costs that the Village intends to submit the question of the replacement of the levy to the electors at an election on November 2, 2021, as authorized by the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 2: The proposed tax is to be levied on the entire territory of the village, meaning within corporate limits of the Village of Clinton, which is situated in Summit County, Ohio.

Section 3: The proposed levy would be placed on the tax list, i.e., be levied, beginning in 2022 for the first collection in 2023, if the electors voting on it approve the levy as provided by law.

Section 4: The proposed levy would be levied and remain in effect for five (5) years, i.e.: 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026. The levy shall be collected during 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, and 2027.

Section 5: The proposed levy shall be submitted to be voted upon by the electors within the entire territory of the Village of Clinton, which is situated in Summit County, Ohio at a General Election to be held on November 2, 2021 as provided under the Ohio Revised Code. A majority shall be needed for passage.

Section 6: This Council requests that the Summit County Fiscal Officer certify to both: (i) the total current tax valuation of the Village; and, (ii) the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the 8.25 mill levy specified in Section 1.

Section 7: The Village Fiscal Officer is authorized and directed to deliver to the Summit County Fiscal Officer, no later than five (5) business days after passage, a certified copy of this Resolution and the form of the County Fiscal Officer's Certificate in connection therewith that is currently on file with the Clerk of Council.

Section 8: That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 9: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in a duly noticed virtual, open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations which resulted in formal action were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with all applicable legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code and HB 404 during the state-declared COVID-19 emergency.

Section 10: This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health, safety and welfare of the Village's resident and to comply with the timing requirements of the Ohio Revised Code regarding the levying of taxes outside the 10 mill limitations and shall take effect and be in force from and immediately after its passage.

Approved June 15, 2021


Clarissa Allegra, Mayor

By: 
Leah Weirick, Fiscal Officer

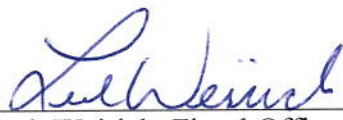

Bud McDaniel, President of Council

Enacted Effective June 15, 2021

ON ROLL CALL: L. Rash Y J. Godwin Y M. Gensimore Y
K. Goch Y E. Conroy Y B. McDaniel A
A = Absent

CERTIFICATION

I, Leah Weirick, Fiscal Officer of the Village of Clinton, Summit County, Ohio do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. R-21-12 is a correct copy of the legislation passed by a 2/3 vote of members of the Village of Clinton Council, which was duly passed by Council and approved by the Mayor of the Village of Clinton on June 15, 2021 given under my hand the official seal this 15th day of June, 2021.

By: 
Leah Weirick, Fiscal Officer