

RECORD OF RESOLUTIONS

BEAR GRAPHICS 800-325-8094 FORM NO. 30045

Resolution No. 2020-R-11

Passed April 7th, 20 20

VILLAGE COUNCIL OF GREENWICH, OHIO RESOLUTION NO.: 2020-R-11

TEMPORARY EMERGENCY MEASURES COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF MAYOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS AND DIRECTING THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT TEMPORARY EMERGENCY MEASURES WAIVING PENALTY AND DELINQUENT CHARGES FOR UTILITY BILLING AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Section 715.37(A)&(B) of the Ohio Revised Code provides that any municipal corporation may: (A) Provide for the public health; (B) Secure the inhabitants of the municipal corporation from the evils of contagious, malignant, and infectious diseases; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has issued an EXECUTIVE ORDER IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, Village Administrator and Utility Clerk recommend temporary emergency measures and relief for village residents to include waiving penalty and delinquent charges for late utility fee payment during the Governor's State of Emergency referenced in the Mayor's Executive Order; and [Including but not limited to Sections 1042.01(b), 1044.02(b) and 1048.01(b) of the Greenwich Codified Municipal Code]

WHEREAS, the Village Administrator further recommends a "reminder to customers that all utilities will be asked to be paid in full 20 days after crisis is over (end date) unless changed by council."

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF GREENWICH, STATE OF OHIO: (RC 731.18)

SECTION 1. That Village Council hereby acknowledges and resolves to support the Mayor's EXECUTIVE ORDER IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS dated the 1st day of April 2020; and

SECTION 2. That due to the Governor's State of Emergency in response to current public health crisis and in support of the Mayor's Executive Order referenced herein, Village Council hereby directs the Village Administrator to adopt and implement the following temporary emergency measures:

A. Any and all penalty and delinquent charges for late payment of utility service fees are hereby waived beginning RETROACTIVELY the 6th day of March, 2020 and

B. The waiver of penalty and delinquent charges shall be effective until the end of the Governor's Declaration of Emergency or until further action or motion by council.

C. Utility fees shall be due and payable in full twenty (20) days after the expiration of these temporary emergency measures.

SECTION 3. That any ordinance, policy, rule, or procedure in conflict with these temporary emergency measures are hereby temporarily suspended until the end of the Governor's Declaration of Emergency or until further action or motion by council.

SECTION 4. DISPENSE WITH THREE READINGS. That the legislative authority, upon a vote of at least three-fourths of its members, hereby dispenses with the rule requiring each ordinance or resolution shall be read on three different days. [R.C. 731.17(A)(2)]

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SECTION 5. DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FOR IMMEDIATE EFFECT. That by two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the legislative authority, this Ordinance/Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure pursuant to RC 731.30, being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety of the municipal corporation and shall go into immediate effect for the following reason(s): *To offer temporary emergency measures and utility billing relief in support of Mayor's Executive Order during the Governor's Declaration of Emergency in response to the current public health crisis.*

SECTION 6. PUBLIC MEETING. That it is found and determined that all formal action of this public body concerning or relating to the passage of this Resolution/Ordinance were adopted in a public meeting open to the public at all times, and that all deliberations of the public body and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in public meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including all lawful ordinances and any applicable provisions of section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

WHEREFORE, this legislation shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 7th day of April, 2020.

AUTHENTICATION and ATTESTATION (RC 731.20)

We hereby attest and affirm that the foregoing Ordinance/Resolution received the necessary affirmative roll call votes required for passage by R.C. 731.17.

Wesley Lalle
MAYOR

Judy
FISCAL OFFICER

Vote on the passage was taken by yeas and nays and entered upon the journal as follows R.C. 731.17(A)(3):

YEAS: 5 NAYS: — ABSTAIN: —

First Reading: 04/07/2020

Second Reading: — (may be dispensed by a vote of at least three-fourths of members. R.C. 731.17(A)(2))

Third Reading: — (may be dispensed by a vote of at least three-fourths of members. R.C. 731.17(A)(2))

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

SP
VILLAGE SOLICITOR, Steve Palmer, Esq.

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION RC 731.24

I hereby certify that a succinct summary of the above legislation was/will be published *once a week for two consecutive weeks* as required by RC 731.21 and 731.22(A) in the following newspaper(s) of general circulation: *Shopper's Helper North, 211 Myrtle Ave., P.O. Box 368, Willard, OH 44890, 419.935.0184.*

Judy
CLERK OF COUNCIL