

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Ordinance No. 2025-0-16 Passed July 1, 2025
YEAR

VILLAGE COUNCIL OF GREENWICH, OHIO
ORDINANCE NO.: 2025-O-16

CHANGE OF STREET NAME
ON PETITION
ORC 723.04

AN ORDINANCE FINDING AND BEING SATISFIED THAT THERE IS GOOD CAUSE FOR SUCH CHANGE OF NAME; AND FINDING THAT IT WILL NOT BE DETRIMENTAL TO THE GENERAL INTEREST AND THAT IT SHOULD BE MADE; AND DECLARING THE NAME OF COURT DRIVE CHANGED TO JOHN SAUNDERS DRIVE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Section 723.04 of the Ohio Revised Code permits Village Council to change the name of streets by ordinance upon petition and reads:

ORC Section 723.04 | Change of name, vacating, or narrowing streets on petition. The legislative authority of a municipal corporation, on petition by a person owning a lot in the municipal corporation praying that a street or alley in the immediate vicinity of such lot be vacated or narrowed, or the name thereof changed, upon hearing, and upon being satisfied that there is good cause for such change of name, vacation, or narrowing, that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and that it should be made, may, by ordinance, declare such street or alley vacated, narrowed, or the name thereof changed. The legislative authority may include in one ordinance the change of name, vacation, or narrowing of more than one street, avenue, or alley. The original ordinance or a certified copy thereof shall be recorded in the official records of the county recorder.

WHEREAS, Village Council previously changed the names of the following streets:

Greenwich Codified Municipal Code of Ordinance
TABLES OF SPECIAL ORDINANCES

Table G, Change of Street Names

Ord. No.	Date Passed	Description
805	3-8-89	Naming of Senior Dr.
808	5-3-89	Renames part of Star Rd. as New St.
2024-O- 31	01-28-25	Renamed part of E. Union Street to Lacey Lane

WHEREAS, Village Council received a Petition and map on 06/25/25 to change the name of east end of East Union Street ATTACHED HERETO AND INCORPORATED HERIN BY REFERENCE; and

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Officer advises and reports that she has provided written notice of public hearing(s) to all owners and residents on the affected street; and

NOTE: Court Drive is located entirely in Greenwich Reservoir Park
Village Officials report that there are no residences located on Court Drive.
Village Officials also report that there are no businesses located on Court Drive.

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WHEREAS, the matter came before village council at regular session for public hearing at each of the three readings of this legislation... as an Emergency (See below).

WHEREAS, specifically Petitioners respectfully submitted the following:

Location and Scope of the Street

Court Dr is an interior Street in Reservoir Park. Court Dr begins on South New Street going East and ends in the interior of Reservoir Park. There is no private or business property on this street.

The Village would like to honor our fallen fireman, John Saunders, by naming the street in the park directly behind the track used for truck and tractor pulls and demolition derby after him. John was very passionate about these events. We want to never forget his sacrifice and service to our community.

On 04/17/2025 John Saunders fell in the line of duty. John Saunders was responding to a house fire in the area. He lost his life trying to save the house. The ultimate sacrifice was given to make others' lives safe.

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

SECTION 1. FINDINGS. That Village council hereby finds as follows:

1. Petition was properly received by the Village
2. Petitioner owns a lot in the Village in the immediate vicinity
3. That there is good cause for such change of name
4. That it will not be detrimental to the general interest
5. That the name change thereof should be made.

SECTION 2. CHANGE OF STREET NAME. That Village Council hereby declares that COURT DRIVE is changed to JOHN SAUNDERS DRIVE limited in scope only as described herein.

SECTION 3. SCOPE. That the location and scope of the name change shall be as follows:

Court Dr is an interior Street in Reservoir Park.

Court Dr begins on South New Street going East and ends in the interior of Reservoir Park.

SECTION 4. FISCAL OFFICER SHALL PROVIDE CERTIFIED COPY. That pursuant to ORC 723.04, the Fiscal Officer is hereby instructed and directed to cause a certified copy of this Ordinance to the following:

Huron County, Ohio Recorder

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SECTION 5. FISCAL OFFICER SHALL PROVIDE NOTICE. That the Fiscal Officer is hereby also instructed and directed to notify in writing with a copy of this Ordinance the following:

United States Postmaster at the Greenwich, Ohio Post Office

Huron County Sheriff's Office (HCSO)

Huron County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) to include the 911 Coordinator

Huron County Auditor and Tax Map Department

Huron County Treasurer

~~Huron County Board of Elections~~

Greenwich Tri-Community Volunteer Fire District

Greenwich Police Department

~~Greenwich Tax Administrator~~

Greenwich Utility Department

Greenwich Codification Service

EMS

Petitioner(s)

~~Affected Property Owners as listed with the County~~

~~Affected Property Addresses~~

SECTION 6. SIGNAGE. That the Village Administrator is hereby directed and instructed to cause the necessary signage to be erected and installed to reflect the name change in compliance with the current uniform traffic control device manual. All traffic control devices shall conform to the Ohio Manual and Specifications for a Uniform System of Traffic-Control Devices, as set forth in Ohio R.C. 4511.09. [See Greenwich Code 406.02 - CONFORMITY WITH STATE MANUAL]

SECTION 7. CODIFICATION. That the Fiscal Officer is hereby instructed and directed to submit the CHANGE OF STREET NAME contained herein to the codification and publication service for the Village. (See Greenwich Codified Municipal Code of Ordinance, TABLES OF SPECIAL ORDINANCES, Table G, Change of Street Names)

SECTION 8. 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. [ORC 705.15 and 731.17(A)(2)]

SECTION 9. DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FOR IMMEDIATE EFFECT. That by two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the legislative authority, this legislation is hereby declared to be an emergency measure pursuant to ORC 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):

The Petitioner and Village Council would like the name changed and the signage to be in place in time for the Fireman's Festival which takes place 04/04/2025-04/07/2025.

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SECTION 10. PUBLIC MEETING. That it is found and determined that all formal action of this public body concerning or relating to the passage of this legislation 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 1st day of July, 2025.

ATTESTATION (RC 731.20)

We hereby attest and affirm that the foregoing legislation received the necessary affirmative roll call votes required for passage by ORC 731.17.

James Swadlow
MAYOR

Karley M. B...
FISCAL OFFICER

LEGISLATION READINGS (ORC 731.17(A))

- (1) Each ordinance and resolution shall be read by title only, provided the legislative authority may require any reading to be in full by a majority vote of its members.
(2) Each ordinance or resolution shall be read on three different days, provided the legislative authority may dispense with this rule by a vote of at least three-fourths of its members.

First Reading: 07/01/25 Second Reading: dispensed Third Reading: dispensed

ROLL CALL VOTE (ORC 731.17(A)(3))

The vote on the passage was taken by yeas and nays and entered upon the journal. Each ordinance or resolution shall be passed, except as otherwise provided by law, by a vote of at least a majority of all the members of the legislative authority. Yeas, nays, abstentions, excused or absent votes were recorded as follows:

yea
Mike King

yea
Randy Wilson

yea
Lynne Phillips

yea
Jason Hunter

yea
Regina Lueck

yea
Dorene Beverly

PREPARED BY AND APPROVED AS TO FORM (See also ORC 731.21(B)):

Steve Palmer
VILLAGE SOLICITOR

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION (ORC 731.21 and 731.22)

Pursuant to ORC 731.21(A)(3), I hereby certify that a succinct summary of the above legislation was/will be published using the following method: **ON THE WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNT OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION**
The succinct summary was reviewed by the village solicitor as required by ORC 731.21(B). Publication was/will be made at least once a week for two consecutive weeks as required by ORC 731.22.

Karley M. B...
FISCAL OFFICER

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CERTIFICATE OF COPY ORIGINAL ON FILE

The State of Ohio, Huron County, ss.

I, the undersigned, Fiscal Officer/Clerk of Council of the Village, within and for said county, and whose custody the files, journals and records of said Council are required by laws of the State of Ohio to be kept, do hereby certify that the foregoing is taken and copied from the original now on file with said Council, and that the foregoing has been compared by me with said original document, and that the same is a true and correct copy thereof.

WITNESS my signature and official seal (ORC 733.29) this 1st day of July,
20 25.

-SEAL-

Korley M. Br...
Fiscal Officer /Clerk of Council (Blue Ink)

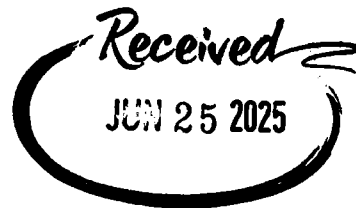
ATTACHMENT(S) TO FOLLOW

Petition For Street Name Change

Date: 6/25/25

Name of Petitioner(s):

Joshua Barnett
Marlene Barnett



Address of Petitioner(s)
7 Countryside Dr
Greenwich, Oh 44837

Name of Proposed Street Name Change:
Court Dr

Name Changed to:
John Saunders Dr

Location and Scope of the Street

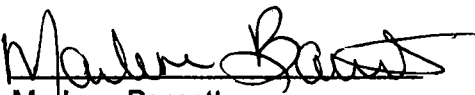
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Petitioner Signature:


Joshua Barnett


Marlene Barnett