VILLAGE OF GEORGETOWN, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 2018

A RESOLUTION PROCEEDING TO LEVY A NINE AND A HALF (9.5) MILLS TAX LEVY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE VILLAGE OF GEORGETOWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING AND MAINTAINING 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 FOR A CONTINUING PERIOD OF TIME.

WHEREAS, the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the Village of Georgetown (the “Village”); and

WHEREAS, the Village Council of Georgetown (the “Council") on July 12, 2018 adopted a resolution of necessity under Revised Code Section 5705.03 and asking the Brown County Auditor to certify to the Board the amount of funds which may be generated by a tax levy for the purpose of a Fire and Emergency Medical Services levy pursuant to Sections 5705.19(I) and 5705.25 of the Ohio Revised Code in the amount of nine and a half (9.5) mills; and

WHEREAS, the Auditor of Brown County has certified to Council that the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the tax levy during the first year of collection is $535,708.51 based on the current assessed valuation of the Village of $56,390,370.00; and

WHEREAS, Council has determined under Revised Code Section 5705.19(I) and 5709.19(I) the necessity to proceed with a levy for an additional continuing tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation at the general election to be held on November 6, 2018 for Fire and Emergency Medical Services; and
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village Council of the Village of Georgetown, Brown County, Ohio, by authority of Sections 5705.19(I), 5705.191 and 5705.25 of the Ohio Revised Code, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the amount of taxes that may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements of the Village of Georgetown, and that, pursuant to Revised Code Sections 5705.19(I) and 5705.191 it is necessary to levy an additional tax in excess of that limitation, in the amount of 9.5 mills as a continuing tax levy to be approved by the electors at the general election on November 6, 2018, for the purposes of providing Fire and Emergency Medical Services in the Village; at a rate not exceeding nine and a half (9.5) mils for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to $0.95 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a continuing period of time; further

SECTION 2. that Council hereby orders that the levy be placed upon the tax lists of the current tax year in compliance with Revised Code Section 5705.34, for a continuing period, if a majority of the electors voting thereon vote in favor thereof; further;

SECTION 3. that pursuant to Section 5705.25 of the Revised Code, the form of the ballots cast at the election to be held upon the question (subject to exercise by the Brown County Board of Elections and the Secretary of State of their respective statutory responsibilities) shall be as follows:

**PROPOSED FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES LEVY A MAJORITY AFFIRMATIVE VOTE IS NECESSARY FOR PASSAGE**

A tax for the benefit of the Village of Georgetown, Brown County, Ohio for the purposes of PROVIDING AND MAINTAINING 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 at a rate not exceeding nine and a half (9.5) mils for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to $0.95 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2018, first due in calendar year 2019.
SECTION 4. That the question shall be submitted to the electors of the Village of Georgetown at the general election to be conducted on November 6, 2018; further

SECTION 5. That the Village Fiscal Officer or her designee is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Board of Elections of Brown County not less than ninety (90) days prior to election; further

SECTION 6. Council does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days, pursuant to Section 731.17 of the Ohio Revised Code, and authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading; further

SECTION 8. That Council hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the passage of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of Council, and that all deliberations of Council and of its Committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with applicable legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code; further

SECTION 9. This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a legally convened meeting of Council held on the 26th day of July, 2018.

Dale E. Cahall, Mayor

ATTEST:

Natalie K.R. Newberry, Fiscal Officer
CERTIFICATE

I, Natalie K.R. Newberry, Clerk of Council of the Village of Georgetown, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Council of the Village of Georgetown, Ohio, on the 26th of July, 2018. The roll call vote resulted in Clift, Colwell, Cornette, Guenther, Highlander and Montgomery voting aye. No opposed.

Natalie K.R. Newberry

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph J. Braun, Village Solicitor
RECEIPT

Receipt of a certified copy of the foregoing Resolution 2018-110 of the Village of Georgetown is acknowledged this 29th day of July, 2018.

BROWN COUNTY AUDITOR
BROWN COUNTY, OHIO

By: [Signature] (Name)
    (Title)

RECEIPT

Receipt of a certified copy of the foregoing Resolution 2018-110 of the Village of Georgetown is acknowledged this 27th day of July, 2018.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF
BROWN COUNTY, OHIO

By: [Signature] Elections Specialist
    (Name)
    (Title)

[Signature]
    Director