

**SHERWOOD VILLAGE
DEFIANCE COUNTY, OHIO**

RESOLUTION NO. 25-04-01

A RESOLUTION DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL TAX FOR FIRE PROTECTION IN THE VILLAGE OF SHERWOOD AND REQUESTING THE DEFIANCE COUNTY AUDITOR TO CERTIFY THE TOTAL CURRENT VALUATION OF THE VILLAGE AND THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF REVENUE THAT WOULD BE GENERATED BY THE ADDITIONAL LEVY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, this Council finds that the amount of taxes which may be raised within the 10-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Sherwood believes it is necessary to levy an additional tax in excess of the 10-mill limitation for the benefit of the Village of Sherwood and the Village of Sherwood desires such levy for 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, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.19 (I) and Section 5705.191; and

WHEREAS, this Council desires to submit the question of that additional new levy in the amount of 1.0 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$.10 for each \$100 of taxable value for a period of five years for fire protection services and other services incidental to such services to the electors of the Village of Sherwood at an election to be held on November 4, 2025 as authorized by Sections 5705.19(I) and 5705.191 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Sherwood that:

SECTION 1. That it is necessary to levy an additional tax outside of the ten mill limitation for the benefit of the Village of Sherwood, Ohio, for 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 1.0 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$.10 for each \$100 of taxable value. This levy is authorized by R.C. 5705.19(I) and 5705.191 and is an additional levy upon the entire territory of the Village of Sherwood for a period of five (5) years, beginning in 2025 and first collected in the year 2026. Said levy is to be submitted to the electors of the entire territory of the Village of Sherwood, which territory is all in Defiance County, Ohio, at an election to be held on November 4, 2025.

SECTION 2. This Council finds and determines that the Defiance County Auditor shall certify to the Village of Sherwood, Defiance County, Ohio, the following items:

- A. the total current tax valuation of the Village of Sherwood;
- B. the levy's rate, described in R.C. 5705.03(B)(2)(d), at a rate of 1.0 mills, expressed in dollars, rounded to the nearest dollar, for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value calculated using the tax list for the current year, and if this is not determined, the estimated amount submitted by the Auditor to the Defiance County Budget Commission.
- C. the dollar amount of revenue, rounded to the nearest dollar, that would be generated by the new tax levy in the amount of 1.0 mills, for each \$1 of taxable value;
- D. an estimate of the levy's annual collections, rounded to the nearest one thousand dollars, which shall be calculated assuming that the amount of taxable value on the tax list of the taxing authority remains the same as the amount of taxable value on the tax list for the current year throughout the life of the levy and if this is not determined, the estimated amount used by the Auditor to the Defiance County Budget Commission shall be used.


SECTION 3. The Administrator of the Village of Sherwood is hereby instructed and directed to promptly file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Defiance County Auditor's Office.

SECTION 4. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary to protect the peace, health, safety and welfare of the Village of Sherwood and shall, therefore, take effect and be in full force upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

DATED: 4/16/2025



DAVE WEANER, MAYOR

ATTEST:


SHERRI RAMEY, FISCAL OFFICER