

Village of Chesapeake
Lawrence County, Ohio

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-05

A RESOLUTION TO PROCEED WITH SUBMISSION OF THE QUESTION OF LEVYING A TAX THAT IS A RENEWAL OF AN EXISTING LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING AND MAINTAINING FIRE PROTECTION

(R.C. §§ 5705.03, 5705.19(I), 5705.191, 5705.192, and 5705.25)

The Council of the Village of Chesapeake, Lawrence County, Ohio ("Council") met in special session on July 10, 2023, and moved for the adoption of the following Resolution:

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS, the Council, approved the following resolution declaring the necessity to levy a tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation:

Resolution No: 2023-04
Date Approved: July 3, 2023
and,

WHEREAS, the Lawrence County Auditor ("Auditor") has certified the following information to the Council:

1. The total current tax valuation of the Village is as follows:
\$19,581,920.00
2. The number of mills required to generate a specified amount of revenue is, or:
 - Specified amount of revenue: \$16,000.00
 - Required number of mills: 1.5 mills
3. The dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by a specified number of mills is:
 - Specified number of mills: one and five tenths (1.5) mills
 - Dollar amount of revenue generated: \$16,000.00
 - This rate amounts to the following for each \$100,000.00 of the county auditor appraised value: Twenty-seven dollars (\$27.00).

RESOLUTION

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council, at least two-thirds (2/3) of all of the members of the Council concurring, as follows:

1. The Council shall proceed with the submission of the question of the tax to electors.
2. The rate of the tax levy, expressed in mills for each \$100,000.00 of the county auditor appraised value, is as follows:
 - a. Specific mills:
1.5 mill
 - b. This rate amounts to the following for each \$100,000.00 of the county auditor appraised value:
Twenty-seven dollars (\$27.00)

c. If the levy is a renewal levy or a replacement levy, this rate:
Renewal Levy.

3. Pursuant to R.C. § 5705.03(B)(1):

a. The purpose of the tax is as follows:
Provide and maintain fire protection.

b. The type of levy is as follows:
Renewal Levy.

c. The sections of the Revised Code authorizing submission of the question of the tax:
R.C. §§ 5705.03, 5705.191, and 5705.25 and § 5705.19(I)

d. The term of the tax is as follows (in years or continuing):
5 years

e. The territory where the tax is to be levied is as follows:
Upon the entire territory of the Village.

f. The date of the election at which the question of the tax shall appear on the ballot is as follows (“Election”):
November 7, 2022

g. The territory where the ballot measure is to be submitted is as follows:
Upon the entire territory of the Village.

h. The tax will be first levied and collected as follows:

The tax year in which the tax will first be levied is **2024**.
The calendar year in which the tax will first be collected is **2025**.

The Village has territory in Lawrence County and each of the following listed counties:
None other than Lawrence County.

The Fiscal Officer is hereby directed to certify the levy to the Auditor AND the Board of Elections, Lawrence County, Ohio (“BOE”). Certification shall include copies of ALL the following documents:

- a. Resolution of Necessity (Resolution No. 2022-04 adopted on July 2023); and,**
- b. Certification of the Auditor; and,**
- c. Resolution to Proceed (This Resolution).**

Certification shall occur by no later than 4:00 PM on August 9, 2023 (90 days prior to the Election)

The Fiscal Officer shall also notify the BOE to cause notice of the Election on the question of levying the tax to be given as required by law.

The BOE is hereby directed to submit substantially the following question to the electors at the Election:

**OFFICIAL QUESTIONS AND ISSUES BALLOT
NOVEMBER 7, 2023
PROPOSED TAX LEVY (RENEWAL)
CHESAPEAKE VILLAGE**

A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage:

A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Chesapeake Village for the purpose of providing and maintaining fire protection at a rate not exceeding 1.500 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$27 for each one hundred thousand dollars of the county auditor's appraised value, for 5 years, commencing in 2024 first due in calendar year 2025.

**FOR THE TAX LEVY
AGAINST THE TAX LEVY**

All formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including R.C. § 121.22.


This Resolution shall be declared an emergency necessary to protect the health and safety of our citizens and in full force and effect immediately upon adoption.

Voted on and signed this 10th July, 2023, in the Village of Chesapeake, Lawrence County, Ohio.


Drew Griffin, Mayor of the Village of Chesapeake


Jacob Wells, President pro tempore

ATTEST:


Stephanie Henson, Fiscal Officer

First Reading: Emergency 07/10/2023
Second Reading: Emergency 07/10/2023
Third Reading: Emergency 07/10/2023

BLAKE <u>yes</u>	WELLS <u>yes</u>	MARTIN <u>yes</u>
HENSON <u>yes</u>	BENTLEY <u>yes</u>	HART <u>yes</u>

State of Ohio
Lawrence County

I, the undersigned Fiscal Officer of the Village of Chesapeake, Lawrence County, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 2023-05 is taken and copied from the record of proceedings of the Council of the Village of Chesapeake, Lawrence County, Ohio, and that it has been compared by me with the resolution on the record and is a true and accurate copy.

Further, I certify that the adoption of such resolution occurred in an open meeting held in compliance with R.C. § 121.22.

Date: 7-10-2023

Stephanie Henson
Stephanie Henson, Fiscal Officer
Village of Chesapeake, Lawrence County, Ohio