

RESOLUTION NO. 21-7

A RESOLUTION DECLARING IT IS NECESSARY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL 4.0-MILL TAX, IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, RESURFACING, AND REPAIR OF STREETS, ROADS, AND BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PORT CLINTON, FOR A CONTINUING PERIOD OF TIME, AS AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 5705.19(G) OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, AND REQUESTING THE OTTAWA COUNTY AUDITOR TO CERTIFY THE TOTAL CURRENT TAX VALUATION OF THE CITY AND THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF REVENUE THAT WOULD BE GENERATED BY THE LEVY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, this Council finds that the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation by levies on the current tax list will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the City and that it is necessary to levy an additional tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the purpose of general construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads and bridges in the City of Port Clinton; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds that it is necessary to levy an additional 4.0-mill tax, in excess of the ten-mill limitation, for a continuing period of time; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5705.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, in order to submit the question of a tax levy pursuant to Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code, this Council must request that the Ottawa County Auditor certify (i) the total current tax valuation of the City and (ii) the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the levy; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5705.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, upon receipt of a certified copy of a Resolution of this Council declaring the necessity of the tax; the purpose of the tax; whether the tax is an additional levy, a renewal or a replacement of an existing tax; the section of the Ohio Revised Code authorizing submission of the question of the tax; the term of years of the tax or if the tax is for a continuing period of time; the tax is to be levied upon the entire City; the date of the election at which the question of the tax shall appear on the ballot; the ballot measure shall be submitted to the entire City; the tax year in which the tax will first be levied and the calendar year in which the tax will first be collected; and requesting such certification, the County Auditor is to certify the total current tax valuation of the City and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the proposed levy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, County of Ottawa, Ohio, that:

Section 1. Declaration of Necessity. This Council declares that it is necessary to levy an additional 4.0-mill ad valorem property tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation, for the purpose of general construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads and bridges in the City of Port Clinton, for a continuing period of time, and that it intends to submit the question of the tax levy to the electors in the City of Port Clinton at an election on November 2, 2021, as

authorized by Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code. If approved, the additional 4.0-mill tax would be first levied in tax year 2021, for first collection by the City in calendar year 2022.

Section 2. Request for Certification. This Council requests the Ottawa County Auditor to certify to it both (i) the total current tax valuation of the City and (ii) the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the additional 4.0-mill tax levy specified in Section 1.

Section 3. Certification and Delivery of Resolution to County Auditor. The Clerk of Council is directed to deliver or cause to be delivered a certified copy of this Resolution to the Ottawa County Auditor.

Section 4. Compliance with Open Meeting Requirements. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and of any of its committees concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in open meetings of this Council or of its committees, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 5. Captions and Headings. The captions and headings in this Resolution are solely for convenience of reference and in no way define, limit or describe the scope or intent of any Sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses hereof.

Section 6. Declaration of Emergency; Effective Date. This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City, and for the further reason that this Resolution is required to be immediately effective so that it can be timely filed with the Ottawa County Auditor, in order that the question of the passage of the additional 4.0-mill tax levy for the purpose stated in Section 1 may be submitted to the electors at an election on November 2, 2021; wherefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor.

Adopted: _____, 2021

President of Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of Council

Approved: _____, 2021

Mayor