

ORDINANCE NO. 09-2016 Passed July 21, 2016

ORDINANCE RENEWING EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT OF VILLAGE LEGAL COUNSEL TO REPRESENT THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER, OHIO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Village requires legal counsel in order to preserve and protect the general health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Bradner, Ohio desires to employ Speweik Law, Ltd. as Village legal counsel.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER, COUNTY OF WOOD, AND STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That legal counsel be provided for this Village and the person employed as such counsel shall be known as the "Village Legal Counsel" or "Village Solicitor." Such Village Legal Counsel shall be employed by the Council for a period of two (2) years, in accordance with Section §733.48 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

SECTION 2. The Village Legal Counsel shall be Speweik Law, Ltd.

SECTION 3. The Village Legal Counsel shall be compensated at the rate of \$150.00 per Mayor's Court appearance and at the hourly rate of \$95.00 per hour for legal services rendered to the Village of Bradner outside of Mayor's Court.

SECTION 4. The Village Legal Counsel shall be attorneys at Law admitted to practice in the State of Ohio. It shall be the duty of said Village Legal Counsel to act as attorney and counsel for the Village and the officers thereof in their official capacity and, as such attorney, to prosecute and defend all actions by or against the Village or any department or officer thereof during the term of his employment; and to render legal opinions to the Council and to any department or officer of the Village upon request in writing.

SECTION 5. This ordinance constitutes a measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of this Village, and shall go into effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

SECTION 6. All formal actions of Council relating to the adoption of this ordinance, and all deliberations of Council and any of its committees leading to such action were in meetings open to the public as required by law.

Passed 7/21/2016



Mayor

Attest:


Village Fiscal Officer