

**A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER OF THE NECESSITY TO RENEW THE 5 YEAR .7 MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE TEN MILL LIMITATION WHICH WAS PASSED NOVEMBER 5, 2019 FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF VILLAGE PARK LAND AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the Village of Bradner owns, operates, and maintains parks located within the Village for the use and enjoyment of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Bradner has determined that the amount of monies that may be raised within the ten-mill limitation by levies on the current tax duplicate will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of operating and maintaining the parks within the Village; and

WHEREAS, at the general election held on November 5, 2019, the electors of the Village of Bradner approved a five (5) year, seven-tenths (.7) mill levy in excess of the ten (10) mill limitation for park and recreational purposes; and

WHEREAS, the assessment of the monies generated by said levy were placed on the tax duplicate effective January 1, 2019 and were/are collected on or after January 1, 2020 and thereafter for a period of 5 consecutive years; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Bradner has determined that in order to continue to maintain and operate said parks, it is necessary to renew said levy for an additional period of five (5) years against the real property located within the Village; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code §5705.19(H) permits the collection of such a tax for parks and recreational purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Bradner desires to submit the issue to the residents of the Village at the November 7, 2023 General Election, in compliance with RC §5705.191.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER, WOOD COUNTY, OHIO, WITH TWO THIRDS OF ALL MEMBERS VOTING IN FAVOR THEREOF:

**SECTION 1:** The issue of renewing the existing tax levy in the amount of 0.7 mills for each one dollar of valuation for a duration of five (5) years for the purposes of operating and maintaining the parks with the Village under RC 5705.19(H) shall be submitted to the voters at the November 7, 2023 General Election. If passed, said levy shall be placed on the tax duplicate effective January 1, 2024 and be collected on or after January 1, 2025 and thereafter for a period of five (5) consecutive years

**SECTION 2:** The Fiscal Officer of the Village is hereby authorized and directed to certify a copy of this resolution to the Auditor of Wood County, Ohio.

**SECTION 3:** The Auditor of Wood County, Ohio is hereby requested and authorized to certify to the taxing authority the total current tax valuation of the subdivision and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by such a levy, pursuant to RC §5705.03.

**SECTION 4.** This ordinance constitutes an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of the Village of Bradner, and shall go into immediate effect upon the passage thereof. The reason for the emergency is that this resolution, together with the Auditor's certification and a second resolution determining to proceed with the election, must be certified to the Wood County Board of Elections ninety (90) days before the November 7, 2023 election, in order to place this issue before the voters at said election and that in the absence of the funding realized from this issue, the Village will be unable to care for the parks within the Village.

**SECTION 5.** 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 5-18-2023

ATTEST:

  
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Council President


  
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Village Fiscal Officer

  
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Mayor

Approved as to form:

  
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Village Solicitor

I certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of Resolution 04-2023 passed by the Council of the Village of Bradner on May 18, 2023.

  
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Angelina Roth, Fiscal Officer