

**A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER TO SUBMIT TO THE ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER ON NOVEMBER 7, 2023, THE QUESTION OF APPROVING A RENEWAL OF THE FIVE YEAR, .7 MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE TEN MILL LIMITATION AUTHORIZED ON NOVEMBER 5, 2019, FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF VILLAGE PARK LAND AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, t 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, by Resolution 04-2023, 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 collected on or after January 1, 2020 and thereafter for a period of five (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 Wood County Auditor has provided its Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue to the Village as required by law, which certificate states that the property valuation of the Village of Bradner for purposes of estimating this proposed property tax renewal levy is \$12,559,410.00, and that the proposed seven-tenths (.7) mill renewal levy will produce an estimated annual revenue of \$2,600.00 for the life of the levy, provided tax valuations in the Village remain constant throughout the levy.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Bradner desires to submit the issue to the electors 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:** That for the purpose of continuing to provide the necessary additional funds for park and recreational purposes, it is necessary to pass a renewal of the existing, additional five (5) year, seven-tenths (.7) mill park and recreational levy as authorized by Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.19 (H); that it is necessary to levy said tax outside of the limitations imposed by Section 2, Article XII, of the Ohio Constitution; that said renewal of the now existing additional, five (5) year, seven-tenths (.7) park and recreational levy shall be submitted to the electors of the Village at the general election to be held on November 7, 2023, in order that said levy, if approved by the voters, may be placed on the tax duplicate effective January 1, 2024 to be collected on or after January 1, 2025 and thereafter for a period of five (5) consecutive years.

**SECTION 2:** That the Fiscal Officer of the Village of Bradner is directed to certify a copy of this resolution, together with a copy of Resolution 04-2023 and the Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue dated June 12, 2023, prepared by the Wood County Auditor, to the Wood

County Board of Elections on or before August 10, 2023 at 4:00 pm, in order that this levy issue can be placed on the ballot in the Village of Bradner for the primary election scheduled for November 7, 2023.

**SECTION 3.** 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 4.** 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 July 6, 2023

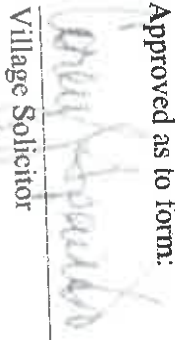
ATTEST:

  
Council President

  
Village Fiscal Officer

  
Mayor

Approved as to form:

  
Village Solicitor

I certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of Resolution05-2023 passed by the Council of the Village of Bradner on July 6, 2023.

  
Angelina Roth, Fiscal Officer