

## RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Ordinance No. 07-30-2020Passed 7-7-, 2020

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 08-42-2019 SO AS TO PERMIT THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE CITY FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING THE SAFETY FORCES IN THE CITY OF CIRCLEVILLE TO BE REDUCED FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR OF 2020 ONLY SO AS TO ALLOW THE CITY TO MAKE PAYMENT OF THE BALANCE OF ITS GENERAL FUND OBLIGATIONS.**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ordinance No. 08-42-2019, Council amended the tax ordinance of the City of Circleville so as to increase the tax rate with the additional tax to be allocated entirely for the operation and maintenance of the City Safety Forces; and

**WHEREAS**, under the provisions of Ordinance 08-42-2019, this additional tax for the operation and maintenance of the Safety Forces was to supplement the current allocation of funds to the Safety Forces from the General Fund and not to be a substitution of these funds; and

**WHEREAS**, due to the economic impact to the City of Circleville resulting from the shut down of businesses and other activities locally as well as nationwide resulting from the COVID-19 virus pandemic, the City is currently financially unable to make payment of all of its general fund obligations for 2020 without reducing the general fund allocations to the Safety Forces.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CIRCLEVILLE, PICKAWAY COUNTY, OHIO AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION I.** That Section VII of Ordinance 08-42-2019 is hereby amended so as to permit the allocation of funds from the general fund of the City for operating and maintaining the Safety Forces of the City of Circleville to be reduced for the calendar of 2020 only to allow the City to make payment of the balance of its calendar year general fund obligations. General fund allocations for operation and maintenance of the City Safety Forces shall be restored to 2019 levels in the 2021 budget and be retained at that level until calendar of 2025.

**SECTION II.** That this ordinance shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period permitted by law.

PASSED: July 7, 2020

Daniel M. Garbat  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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CLERK OF COUNCILAPPROVED: 7/07/20  
DATE

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