

A RESOLUTION BY THE VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSBURG

RESOLUTION: 947-23

**A RESOLUTION BY THE VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSBURG TO PROCEED WITH THE BALLOT ISSUE RENEWING
A 2.75 MILL TAX LEVY FOR POLICE SERVICES FOR THE VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSBURG, OHIO AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the current 2.75 mill levy for police services will expire December 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Williamsburg has determined that it is necessary to provide for continuing police protection services for the Village of Williamsburg; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Williamsburg has determined that it is necessary to renew a tax levy for the purpose of financing and continuing police protection services; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.03(B)(1), this Council via Resolution 941-23 requested the County Auditor certify to this Council the total current valuation of the Village of Williamsburg which exclusively exists in Clermont County, Ohio, and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by a proposed renewal of a tax levy at a tax rate not exceeding 2.75 mills for each one dollar of tax valuation of the taxable property within the entire territory of the Village of Williamsburg which amounts to twenty-seven and one-half cents (\$.275) for each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of valuation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.03(B)(1), this Council has received the County Auditor's certification of certain matters in connection with the aforementioned proposed renewal levy which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, police services are of utmost importance to the health, safety and welfare of the Village of Williamsburg and its residents; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Williamsburg, Clermont County, Ohio, at least a majority of its members concurring:

SECTION 1. That a tax levied at a rate not to exceed 2.75 mills for each One Dollar (\$1.00) of valuation which amounts to twenty-seven and one-half cents (\$.275) for each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of valuation be renewed for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent or part-time police, communications, or administrative personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under section 145.48 or 742.33 of the Revised Code, or the payment of the costs incurred by townships as a result of contracts made with other political subdivisions in order to

obtain police protection, or the provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by a police department, pursuant to and in accordance with section 5705.19(J) of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 2. That the question of renewal of such a levying of tax be submitted to electors of the Village of Williamsburg at the November 7, 2023 election to be held within the Village of Williamsburg.

SECTION 3. That such a renewal of tax levy be placed on the tax list and duplicate of Clermont County, Ohio for the tax years 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, and 2027 if the majority of the electors voting thereon vote in favor thereof.

SECTION 4. The levy type is a renewal.

SECTION 5. That the Clerk of this Council of the Village of Williamsburg be and is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections of Clermont, Ohio as provided by law, and notify the Board of Elections to cause notice of elections on the question of renewing the levy of said tax to be given as required by law.

SECTION 6. That the Village Clerk and Village Solicitor are given full authority to make any and all corrections to this Resolution which may be deemed necessary by Clermont County Board of Elections.

SECTION 7. That the Council of the Village of Williamsburg hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the passage of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council and that all deliberations of the Council and its committees which resulted in formal actions were taken in meetings open to the public in full compliance with applicable legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

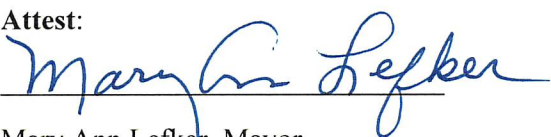
SECTION 8. That the Council of the Village of Williamsburg by a three-fourths vote hereby dispenses with the requirement that this Resolution be read on three separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of the Resolution upon its first reading.

SECTION 9. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure safeguard for the health, safety, and general welfare of the Village of Williamsburg and its residents via necessary police services.

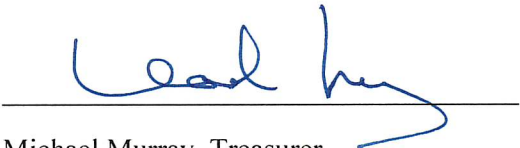
SECTION 10. That this Resolution shall be effective at the earliest date allowed by law.

ADOPTED: 6-29-23

Attest:



Mary Ann Lefker, Mayor



Michael Murray, Treasurer

CLERMONT COUNTY
AUDITOR

Linda L. Fraley, Clermont County Auditor

EXHIBIT
"A"

DTE 140R
Rev. 01/23
O.R.C. §5705.01, 5705.03

Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue

Use this form when a taxing authority certifies a millage rate and requests the revenue produced by that rate. Do not use this form for bond levies. Use form DTE 130 for all bonds.

The county auditor of Clermont County, Ohio, does hereby certify the following:

1. On **June 13, 2023**, the taxing authority of the **Village of Williamsburg** certified a copy of its resolution or ordinance adopted **June 8, 2023**, requesting the county auditor to certify the current taxable value of the subdivision and the amount of revenue that would be produced by **2.75** mills, to levy a tax outside the 10-mill limitation for **police services** pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section **5705.19(J)**, to be placed on the ballot at the **November 7, 2023** election. The levy type is **renewal**.
2. The estimated property tax revenue that will be produced, assuming the tax valuation of the subdivision remains constant throughout the life of the levy, is calculated to be: **\$118,332**.
3. The total taxable value used in calculating the estimated property tax millage rate is **\$45,173,400**.
4. The millage for the requested levy is **2.61** mills per \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to **\$91** for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value.

Linda L. Fraley

Auditor's signature

by: *Jennifer Hartley*
Deputy Auditor

Date

10/20/23