

PASSED: November 14, 2011  
BY: HATTENBACH

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-18

RESOLUTION SUBMITTING PROPOSED SPECIAL LEVY FOR  
PUBLIC SAFETY PURPOSES TO BOARD OF ELECTIONS FOR  
PLACEMENT ON MARCH 2012 BALLOT

WHEREAS, the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the Village of Amberley, Hamilton County, Ohio;

WHEREAS, public safety services, especially police and fire services, are of utmost importance to the Village and its residents;

WHEREAS, in order to maintain the high standards and quality public safety services enjoyed by the Village and its residents, it is necessary to raise additional revenues in order to pay for such services;

WHEREAS, the Village Council determines that a special levy for police services of 10.0 mills is necessary to help pay for such services to Village residents;

WHEREAS, the Village Council desires to place a special levy for police services on the ballot for the March 6, 2012 election;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Council of Amberley Village, State of Ohio, seven (7) members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That Village Council determines that the amount of existing taxes which may be raised within the ten mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the Village of Amberley, Ohio.

SECTION 2. That Village Council determines a new special public safety levy of 10.0 mills for each one dollar of assessed valuation is necessary to help pay for services to Village residents.

SECTION 3. The purpose of the proposed levy is to provide for police services pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §5705.19(J), including for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of the Amberley Village 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 provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by the police department;

SECTION 4. That Village Council hereby submits the question of an additional police services levy of 10.0 mills to the electors of Amberley Village at the primary election scheduled to take place on March 6, 2012.

SECTION 5.

Said levy will last for a period of five years subject to expiration, renewal, or amendment as provided by law.

SECTION 6. That said levy be placed upon the tax lists commencing with the tax year 2012, first due in 2013.

SECTION 7. The Village Clerk is hereby directed to submit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Hamilton County Board of Elections as soon as practicable but in no event later than December 7, 2011, and to cause notice of questions of levying said tax to be given as required by law. The Clerk shall attach a copy of the certification received from the County Auditor with the submission of the question of the tax to the Board of Elections.

SECTION 8. That upon approval by at least two-thirds of the members of Council, this Resolution shall go into immediate effect upon its passage, and no publication of the resolution is necessary other than that provided for in the notice of election.

Passed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2011.

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Mayor Merrie Stillpass

Attest:

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council

Resolution Vote:

Moved: Hattenbach Second: Chaiken

I, Clerk of Council of Amberley Village, Ohio, certify that on the \_\_\_\_ day of November, 2011, the forgoing Resolution was published pursuant to Article IX of the Home Rule Charter by posting true copies of said Resolution at all of the places of public notice as designed by Sec. 31.40(B), Code of Ordinances.

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council

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