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CITY OF BELPRE
RESOLUTION NO. 19 (2024-25)

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BELPRE, OHIO TO PICK UP 19.5 PERCENT OF THE STATUTORILY REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT AND PENSION FUNDS FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE BELPRE POLICE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO O.R.C. SECTION 742.31

WHEREAS, the eligible employees of Police Department participate in the Ohio Policy & Fire Pension Fund;

WHEREAS, employers may pay all or a part of the mandatory employee contributions for employees participating in the Ohio Police & Fire Pension Fund;

WHEREAS, the City of Belpre currently picks up 19.5 percent of the mandatory contributions required to be paid under Section 742.31 of the Ohio Revised Code for participating employees of the Belpre Police Department who are members of the Ohio Police & Fire Pension Fund, but the Belpre City Council has never passed legislation to pick up these contributions;

WHEREAS, the Belpre City Council now desires to pass legislation that authorizes these payments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELPRE, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION I

Effective as of November 1, 2024, Belpre City Council finds the City of Belpre desires to pick-up the 19.5% mandatory contributions by the employees who are members of the Ohio Policy & Fire Pension Fund and hereby authorizes the City of Belpre to continue to make these payments on behalf of the Police Department employees.

SECTION II

The City of Belpre agrees that said picked-up contributions paid by the City of Belpre, even though designated as employee contributions for state law purposes, are to be paid by the City of Belpre in lieu of said contributions by the employee.

SECTION III

The City of Belpre agrees that said picked-up contributions will not be included in the gross income of the employees for tax reporting purposes; that is, for federal or state income tax withholding taxes, until distributed from the Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund.

SECTION IV

This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare and safety, and for the further reason that that the City of Belpre has not updated our Code since 2002-2003 and for the further

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reason that the State of Ohio Police Fund is requiring that the City must enact the legislation as soon as possible.

PASSED: 25 NOV 2024

Lindsay Dennis pro tem
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Renee J. Riffe

PRESENTED TO MAYOR: 25 NOV 2024 Steve J. Abdalla
MAYOR

APPROVED BY MAYOR: 25 NOV 2024

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION

The undersigned Clerk of the Council of the City of Belpre, Ohio, does hereby certify that on 25 NOV 2024, this Resolution was published by posting a copy of the same at the five public places designated by the City Council in Ordinance No. 18 (2006-07).

25 NOV 2024
Date

Renee J. Riffe
CLERK PRO-TEM