CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO

RESOLUTION No. R25-09 CMS

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT THE AMOUNT OF TAXES THAT MAY BE RAISED WITHIN THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION BY LEVIES ON THE CURRENT TAX DUPLICATE TO BE INSUFFICIENT TO PROVIDE AN ADEQUATE AMOUNT FOR THE NECESSARY REQUIREMENTS OF THE CITY OF OBERLIN, AND DECLARING THE NECESSITY TO LEVY A TAX IN EXCESS OF SUCH RATE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE CITY, TO GO INTO IMMEDIATE EFFECT

SECTION 1. That it is hereby declared that the amount of taxes 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 the City of Oberlin, and it is necessary to levy a tax in excess of such limitation for the purpose of providing funds for current expenses of the City of Oberlin at a rate not exceeding one and two-tenths (1.20) mills, for a period of five (5) years, commencing in 2026, and being first due in calendar year 2027.

SECTION 2. That said levy is a renewal of an existing levy of one and two-tenths (1.20) mills for the benefit of the City of Oberlin for the purpose of providing funds for the current expenses of the City, as authorized by Section 5705.19 (A) of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That said levy shall be placed upon the ballot at an election which shall be held on November 4, 2025, and shall be placed upon the 2026 tax list for collection in the 2027 calendar year, if a majority of the electors voting thereon vote in favor thereof.

SECTION 4. That the form of the ballot to be cast at the election on the question of the renewal levy shall be as follows:

A Majority Affirmative Vote Is Necessary For Passage

A Renewal of a tax for the benefit of the City of Oberlin for the purpose of providing funds for the current expenses of said City at a rate not exceeding one and two-tenths (1.20) mills per \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$25 for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value for five (5) years and commencing in 2026, first due in calendar year 2027.

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SECTION 5. That the Clerk of Council of the City of Oberlin is hereby directed to immediately certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections of Lorain County, Ohio, along with a copy of the Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue received from the Lorain County Auditor, and request that said Board of Elections cause Notice of Election on the question of levying said tax be given as required by law.

SECTION 6. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 7. To ensure the filing of this Resolution prior to the deadline for placing levies on the November 4, 2025 ballot, and provided that at least five (5) members of Council determine by motion, this Resolution shall go into full force and effect immediately after its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED: 1st Reading: July 7, 2025

2nd Reading:

3rd Reading:

ATTEST:

BELINDA B. ANDERSON, MMC CLERK OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 07/08/2025

EBONI A. JOHNSON

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/07/2025