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Voted On 1-10-24
Ayes: 6 Nays: 0
PASSED X DEFEATED

1/4/2024

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-2

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF CHAPTER 125 THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF ORANGE VILLAGE TO ALLOW COUNCIL TO CREATE AND FUND POSITIONS IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT, TO AMEND THE OFFICERS PERMITTED TO SIGN VILLAGE CHECKS, TO RATIFY PAYMENTS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THIS ORDINANCE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the Treasurer have recommended that the administration of the Village's Finance Department would be more efficient if the department were reorganized to permit assistants to the Treasurer to be established (and compensation established) by action of council, as needed; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to clarify the Village officials who are authorized to sign checks on behalf of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to ratify checks that have been issued in accordance with the policy identified in this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF ORANGE VILLAGE, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That Section 125.01, Signatures on Checks, of the Orange Village Codified Ordinances is amended to read as follows:

"125.01 SIGNATURES ON CHECKS.

At least two of the following ~~four~~ officials must sign all Village checks to validate them: the Mayor, the President of Council, the Village Treasurer, ~~and~~ the Assistant Treasurer, **the Finance Administrator, or the Executive Assistant to the Mayor.**"

SECTION 2. That Section 125.20, Assistant Treasurer, of the Orange Village Codified Ordinances is amended to read as follows:

"125.20 ASSISTANT TREASURER/FINANCE ADMINISTRATOR .

Council may provide, by ordinance, for full-time or part-time officers of the Finance Department, as necessary, and shall establish such compensation for those officers as it deems appropriate. The officers may be denominated as "Assistant Treasurer(s)" or "Finance Administrator(s). There is hereby created the full time position of Assistant Treasurer, who These officers shall perform such duties as are assigned by the Village Treasurer. ~~The Assistant Treasurer~~ **and** shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by a majority of Council."

SECTION 3. That existing sections 125.01 and 125.20 of the Codified Ordinances of Orange Village and any Ordinance in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 4. That checks that have been issued in accordance with the authority provided in this Ordinance are hereby ratified.

SECTION 5. That actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this legislation 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 held in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 105 of the Codified Ordinances of Orange Village.

SECTION 6. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: January 10, 2024

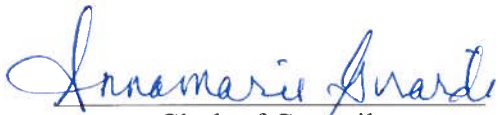


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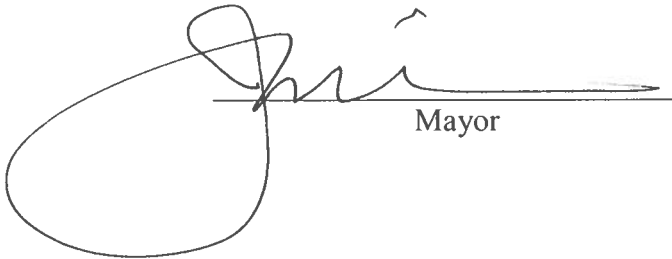
Submitted to the Mayor for approval on this 10th day of JANUARY, 2024

Approved by the Mayor this 10th day of JANUARY, 2024

ATTEST:



Clerk of Council



Mayor