

1<sup>st</sup> reading 5-14-25  
2<sup>nd</sup> reading SUSPENDED  
3<sup>rd</sup> reading  
Voted on 5-14-25  
Ayes: 6 Nays: 0  
PASSED X

05-12-2025

**ORDINANCE NO. 2025-16**

**AN ORDINANCE  
APPROVING AND CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF FRED  
R. GUERRA, ACP, AS THE ORANGE VILLAGE PLANNER AND  
REPEALING CERTAIN ORDINANCES, AND DECLARING AN  
EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the Mayor has recommended his appointment of Fred R. Guerra, ACP as Village Planner, pursuant to Article IV, Section 5, of the Charter of Orange Village; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to confirm the Mayor’s appointment and establish a rate of compensation for Mr. Guerra’s services, which compensation will be reimbursed, in part, by builders and developers as otherwise provided by law.

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

SECTION 1. That the appointment of Fred R. Guerra, ACP as the Village Planner of Orange Village (“Village Planner”) is confirmed.

SECTION 2. That said Village Planner shall be compensated for services rendered with a retainer of \$500.00 and will cover the first five (5) hours or fewer per month services. Additional services as requested relating to specific projects shall be provided at an hourly rate to be determined by the Mayor that is between a range of \$120.00 and \$150 per hour. Such fees shall be billed and paid monthly. Services which are provided for a project which has a professional fee deposit on file with the Village’s Building Department will be separately invoiced for that project.

SECTION 3. That the Village Planner is an independent contractor with the Village and shall serve at the pleasure of the Mayor.

SECTION 4. That the 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 held in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 105 of the Codified Ordinances of Orange Village.

SECTION 5. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

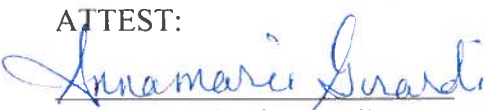
PASSED: May 14, 2025

  
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Council President

Submitted to the Mayor for approval on this 14th day of May, 2025

Approved by the Mayor this 14th day of May, 2025

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk of Council

  
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Mayor