

RESOLUTION NO. 31-2024

**A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE MADISON COUNTY AUDITOR CERTIFY INFORMATION FOR THE LEVY OF A TAX OUTSIDE THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION AND REQUESTING A WAIVER OF THE SECOND READING**

**WHEREAS**, in 1981, a continuing five (5) mill levy was passed by the electorate of the Village of Plain City for the purpose of Police Protection; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 17, 2020, the electorate of the Village of Plain City approved a replacement of the five (5) mill levy for the purpose of Police Protection; and

**WHEREAS**, the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount of funds for the necessary requirements for police protection for the Village of Plain City, within Madison County, Ohio and Union County, Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to levy a tax, pursuant to O.R.C. 5705.19(J), in excess of the ten-mill limitation and to certify to the Auditor of Madison County a resolution requesting that the Auditor certify to the Village of Plain City Council the total current tax valuation of the Village of Plain City and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the replacement of five (5) mills of an existing levy.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Village of Plain City, Ohio, a majority of the members elected or appointed thereto concurring, as follows:

**Section 1.** It is necessary to place on the ballot a replacement of five (5) mills of an existing levy, to constitute a tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the benefit of the Village of Plain City, pursuant to O.R.C. 5705.19(J), for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, and other equipment used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent police personnel, including the payment of the policemen and policewomen employer's contributions required under O.R.C. 742.33, at a rate not exceeding five (5) mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to fifty cents (\$0.50) for each hundred dollars of valuation for a continuing period of time commencing in tax year 2024, first due in calendar year 2025.

**Section 2.** The question approving the levy shall be submitted to the electorate of the Village of Plain City at the election to be held on November 5, 2024.

**Section 3.** The tax is to be levied upon the entire territory of the Village of Plain City.

**Section 4.** The ballot measure shall be submitted to the entire territory of the Village of Plain City.

**Section 5.** The entire territory of the Village of Plain City is located in Madison County, Ohio and Union County, Ohio.

**Section 6.** The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution, together with a copy of the proposed Resolution to levy the tax, to the Madison County Auditor at the earliest possible date.

**Section 7.** This Resolution shall be effective from and after the earliest period provided by law.

Passed: May 13, 2024

Attest: Austin Andrien  
Clerk of Council

Joel Carney  
Mayor

First reading: May 13, 2024

Vote: 5 yea 0 nay 0 abstain

Second reading: waived, 2024

Vote: 5 yea 0 nay 0 abstain

**Certificate of Publication**

The undersigned, being Clerk of Council of the Village of Plain City, hereby certifies that the foregoing was published by posting for 15 days as required by law and in accordance with Section 4.15 of the Codified Ordinances. The posting was done from May 14, 2024 to May 29, 2024 at the Office of the Clerk of Council located at 800 Village Boulevard; being in the Village of Plain City, Ohio, and the Village of Plain City Website at [www.plain-city.com](http://www.plain-city.com).

Date: May 14, 2024 *Justin Rhoads*  
Clerk of Council