## RESOLUTION NO. 33-2024

## A RESOLUTION DETERMINING IT NECESSARY TO PROCEED WITH THE SUBMISSION TO THE ELECTORS OF THE QUESTION OF LEVYING A TAX IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION

**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**, on May 13, 2024, the Village Council adopted a Resolution authorizing the submission to the electorate of the Village of Plain City the question of levying a tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation, as described below, a copy of which Resolution was certified to the Auditor of Madison County, Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, the Auditor for Madison County, Ohio has certified to the Village Council that the total current tax valuation of the Village of Plain City is \$173,297,100 and the dollar amount of revenue that will be produced annually by the millage stated below would be \$866,000.

**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.** The Village Council has determined that the amount of taxes that may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements for police protection for the Village of Plain City and that it is necessary to levy a tax in excess of that limitation.

**Section 2.** The Village Council will proceed with the submission of the question of the tax to the electorate of the Village of Plain City, Madison County and Union County, Ohio, 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 policemen or 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 3.** The form of the ballot to be used at the election on the question shall be as follows:

## PROPOSED TAX LEVY (REPLACEMENT) VILLAGE OF PLAIN CITY MADISON AND UNION COUNTIES

A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

A replacement of a tax for the benefit of the Village of Plain City 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 or policewomen employer's contributions at a rate not exceeding 5 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.50 for each one hundred dollars in valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in tax year 2024, first due in calendar year 2025.

FOR THE TAX LEVY
AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

**Section 4.** 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 and that said levy be placed on the tax lists, commencing in tax year 2024, first due in the calendar year 2025, and continuing thereafter, if a majority of the electors voting thereon vote in favor of the levy.

**Section 5.** The Village Council shall certify this Resolution, a copy of the Madison County Auditor's Certification and the Resolution of Necessity to the Madison County Auditor and to the Board of Elections for Madison County, Ohio, not less than ninety-days before the election, in the manner prescribed by the section of the Ohio Revised Code governing the submission of the question.

**Section 6**. This Resolution shall be effective from and after the earliest period provided by law.

Passed: June 24	_, 2024	$\wedge$	
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First reading: June 10 Second reading: June 24	, 2024 , 2024	Vote:yea Vote:yea	nayabstain nayabstain

## **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
Date: June 25, 2024 Justin Ouning