

## RECORD OF RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. 4-2025

Passed: January 28, 2025

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE NECESSITY FOR AN ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FUNDS FOR FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CITY OF WEST CARROLLTON, OHIO, AND PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION OF SAID QUESTION FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE ELECTORS.**

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the City of West Carrollton, Ohio through the adoption of Resolution No. 4-2025 declared the necessity of a five-year renewal levy in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the purpose of providing and maintaining operating expenses for the Fire Department of the City of West Carrollton as authorized by Section 5705.19(I) of the Ohio Revised Code ; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council pursuant to Section 5705.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, requested and received the total current tax valuation of the City of West Carrollton and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by a 3.9 mill renewal levy for a five-year period; and

**WHEREAS**, the amount of taxes that may be raised by the levy of a property tax within the ten-mil limit prescribed by sections 5705.19, 5705.19(I), 5705.25, and 5705.26 of the Ohio Revised Code and the amounts presently imposed by the City of West Carrollton, will be insufficient to provide funds for operating expenses for the Fire Department of the City of West Carrollton, therefore making it necessary to increase the levy in excess of said limitations.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST CARROLLTON, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO:**

**Section 1:** That this Council of the City of West Carrollton, Montgomery County, Ohio by two-thirds of all members elected thereto concur, that it is necessary that the renewal tax be levied in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the purpose to provide for maintaining motor vehicles, communications, and other equipment used directly in the operation of the City of West Carrollton Fire Department or the payment of salaries of regular full-time and part-time employees of the department or the payment of cost associated with other political subdivisions in order to obtain fire protection as authorized by Section 5705.19(I) of the Ohio Revised Code.

**Section 2:** That the tax being renewed was approved by the electors at an election held on March 17, 2020 for last collection in calendar year 2025.

**Section 3:** The question of passage of said renewal tax levy shall be submitted to the electors of the City of West Carrollton at an election to be held on May 6, 2025. If a majority of the voters voting on this renewal levy vote in favor thereof, said renewal tax levy shall be first placed upon the tax list and duplicated for an effective period of five (5) years beginning tax year of 2025, for collection in calendar year 2026.

**Section 4:** That the Clerk of this Council of the City of West Carrollton, Ohio, is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections of Montgomery County, Ohio, at least 90 days prior to the election to be held May 6, 2025, and notify said Board of Election to cause notice of election on the question of levying said tax to be given as required by law.

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**Section 5:** That the ballot to be presented to said voters shall be in the following form, to wit:

PROPOSED TAX LEVY (RENEWAL)

CITY OF WEST CARROLLTON, OHIO

A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

Shall a levy renewing an existing tax for the benefit of the City of West Carrollton, Ohio, for the purpose of **PROVIDING FOR THE SALARIES OF REGULAR FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL PERSONNEL, INCLUDING THE PAYMENT OF ANY EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED UNDER THE OHIO REVISED CODE, OR PROVIDING AND MAINTAINING FIRE APPARATUS, MOTOR VEHICLES, COMMUNICATIONS, AND OTHER EQUIPMENT USED DIRECTLY IN THE OPERATION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, OR THE PAYMENTS OF COSTS INCURRED BY THE CITY AS A RESULT OF CONTRACTS MADE WITH OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS IN ORDER TO OBTAIN FIRE PROTECTION** at a rate not exceeding 3.9 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.39 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for 5 years, commencing in 2025, first due in calendar year 2026?

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|  | AGAINST THE TAX LEVY |

**Section 6:** That this Resolution shall take effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: January 28, 2025

  
Mayor

Attest: Gray Moore  
Clerk of Council

Effective Date: January 28, 2025

### CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Clerk of Council of the City of West Carrollton, Ohio, hereby certifies the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution 4-2025, passed by said Council on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2025.

  
Clerk of Council

Dated: January 28, 2025