

ORDINANCE: 11-2023

ADOPTED ON: DECEMBER 6, 2023

AN ORDINANCE TO INCREASE THE MAYOR'S RATE OF PAY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Village of Kirkersville Mayor's pay has been \$3,000.00 per year for as long as anyone can remember; and

WHEREAS, Council for the Village of Kirkersville understands and appreciates how much work is required from the mayor and believes the mayor's current pay rate should be increased to more fairly compensate him or her.

NOW, **THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the Village of Kirkersville, County of Licking, State of Ohio, a majority of the members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: The Mayor shall be paid Five Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$5,000.00) per year, paid in equal monthly installments.

SECTION 2: This Ordinance does not create, and will not be interpreted as creating, an in-term pay raise for the elected official. The above-listed pay rate shall not take effect during the mayor's current term. It shall take effect upon the mayor's next term in office.

SECTION 3: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of Council and that all deliberations of the Council and any of the decision-making bodies of the Village of Bremen which resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of the State of Ohio.

SECTION 4: All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Ordinance is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent parts thereof.

SECTION 5: Council declares this to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of this municipality and the further reason that new terms in office will begin on January 1, 2024 and council needs this ordinance to be effective before then. Wherefore, provided this Ordinance receives the required affirmative votes of Council, it shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon passage by Council.

Passed in Council this 6 day of December 2023.

ATTEST: Shirley Roskoski  
Fiscal Officer

APPROVED:

Approved as to form this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 2023:



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Brian M. Zets  
Village Solicitor