

VILLAGE OF RUSHVILLE, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 16-2024

- AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO
- EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR PARTICIPATION IN A REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION OF MUNICIPAL INCOME TAX IN THE VILLAGE OF RUSHVILLE, OHIO.

WHEREAS, a Regional Council of Governments was created pursuant to Chapter 167 of the Ohio Revised Code to foster cooperation between municipalities;

WHEREAS, the creation of the Regional Council of Governments was primarily to establish a central collection facility, otherwise known as the Regional Income Tax Agency, for the purpose of administering the income tax laws of the various participating member communities.

WHEREAS, the Village of Rushville has adopted an Income Tax Ordinance, which provides for a municipal income tax of 1% for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2025; and

WHEREAS this Council finds it to be in the best interests of the health, safety, and welfare of the Village of Rushville to join the Regional Council of Governments for the purpose of having the Regional Income Tax Agency administer the Village of Rushville's Income Tax Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Rushville, in Fairfield County, Ohio:

Section 1. The Mayor is authorized and directed to execute, on behalf of the Village of Rushville, an Agreement for Participation in a Regional Council of Governments, for the administration and collection of the Village of Rushville's Income Tax through the Regional Income Tax Agency.

Section 2. Pursuant to Section III of the agreement for Participation in a Regional Council of Governments, the Mayor and Council approve the designation of the Fiscal Officer of the Village of Rushville, as the Village's representative to the Council of Governments, and the designation of the Village Mayor, as an alternative representative who shall act in place of the Fiscal Officer in their absence.

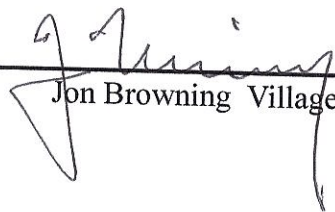
Section 3. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

First Reading: 8-22-24  
Second Reading: 9-12-24  
Third Reading: 10-10-24

PASSED on: 10-10-24

  
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Mayor John Burge

  
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Clerk-Treasurer

Approved to Form \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Jon Browning Village Solicitor