

VILLAGE OF ELMORE

ORDINANCE NO. 09-2026

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE INTENT TO PROCEED WITH THE ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF THE RENEWAL OF A TAX LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE 10 MILL LIMITATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF STREETS AND ALLEYS.

WHEREAS, the Village of Elmore must maintain its streets and alleys for safe and efficient vehicular travel and,

WHEREAS, the Village also constructs, reconstructs, resurfaces and repairs its streets and,

WHEREAS, said activities require significant resources to keep the streets and alleys suitable for use and,

WHEREAS, the Ottawa County Auditor has certified to Council that a renewal levy of 2.5 mills is estimated to generate \$57,607 annually and that this is \$55.12 for each \$100,000 of the County Auditor's market value.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF ELMORE, OHIO THAT:

Section 1. The Village shall proceed with the submission of the question of the tax to the electors.

Section 2. The rate of the renewal tax levy is 2.5 mills for each one dollar of taxable value, and the rate or estimated rate in dollars for each one hundred thousand dollars of the County Auditor's market value amounts to \$55.12.

Section 3. It is necessary to levy said tax to provide for the general construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, and repair of the streets, roads, and bridges in the Village of Elmore as set out in section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC). Said section authorizes the submission of the question of the tax.

Section 4. Pursuant to section 5705.03 ORC, the Village requested that the Ottawa County Auditor certify to the Council of the Village of Elmore the amounts described in division (B)(2)(a) of section 5705.03 ORC. The Auditor did provide said certification.

Section 5. The proposed rate of tax is 2.5 mills per one dollar of taxable value and said tax is a renewal of an existing tax.

Section 6. The term of years of the proposed renewal tax is five years. The tax year in which the tax will first be levied is 2027, and the calendar year in which the tax will first be collected is 2028.

Section 7. The tax is to be levied upon the entire territory of the Village of Elmore, and the ballot measure proposed herein shall be submitted to the entire territory of the Village of Elmore. The Village of Elmore, Ohio has territory in two counties: Ottawa County and Sandusky County.

Section 8. The date of the election at which the question of the tax shall appear on the ballot is November 3, 2026.

Section 9. The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to certify, not later than 90 days prior to said general election, to the Ottawa County Board of Elections a certified copy of the Ordinance of Necessity, a copy of this Ordinance, and a copy of the Ottawa County Auditor's Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue.

Section 10. That 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 this 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, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

VOTES:

To pass

Yeas _____ **Nays** _____

Date: _____

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Approved: _____

MAYOR

FISCAL OFFICER

FISCAL OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE AS TO PUBLICATION

This is to certify that publication of the foregoing Ordinance was duly made as provided in the Ohio Revised Code by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in Elmore, Ohio on the following date(s): _____.

FISCAL OFFICER

FISCAL OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE AS TO AUTHENTICITY

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance is a true copy of the aforesaid Ordinance No. _____-2026, together with a true and accurate record of adoption by the Village of Elmore, Ohio.

FISCAL OFFICER