1st Reading, May 2, 2016

Sponsored by Mayor Britton

ORDINANCE NO. 17-2016

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING ASSESSMENTS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS IN THE VILLAGE OF MADISON, OHIO BY SUPPLYING SAME WITH ELECTRICAL STREET LIGHTING AND APPURTENANCES THERETO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, tentative assessments showing the amount to be assessed on each lot and parcel of land in the Village of Madison for improving the duly dedicated streets of said Village by supplying the same with electric street lighting and appurtenances thereto have been prepared and have been on file in the office of the Fiscal Officer; and

WHEREAS, notice of the making and filing of said tentative assessments has been duly published and personally served according to the provisions of law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF MADISON, COUNTY OF LAKE AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. Notice of the making and filing with the Fiscal Officer of the assessments for the cost and expense of improving all of the duly dedicated streets in the Village of Madison with electric street lighting and appurtenances thereto has been duly published in accordance with law and that the Council of the Village of Madison hereby adopts and confirms said assessments and the several amounts thereof aggregating in the estimated amount of $123,741.08 and will be for the tax year 2016 collected in 2017.

SECTION 2. There be levied and assessed upon all of the lots and lands in the Village of Madison, Ohio as enumerated in the tentative assessments, which said lots and lands are specially benefitted by said improvement, the several amounts heretofore reported to Council by the Fiscal Officer and as described in Resolution No. 8-2016 marked Exhibit "A" and incorporated in this Ordinance, and for which assessments and the several amounts thereof amount to 2 mills for each one dollar of valuation which is 20 cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation of the property assessed.

SECTION 3. That the total assessment against each lot and parcel of land shall be payable in cash to the Fiscal Officer of the Village of Madison within thirty (30) days after the passage of this Ordinance, and if not paid in cash within such period shall be certified to the County Auditor for collection with the general taxes and collected against each of the lots or parcels of land so assessed.

SECTION 4. The remainder of the entire cost of said improvement shall be paid out of the General Fund of the Village of Madison.

SECTION 5. The assessments charged against each lot or parcel of land shall be certified by the Fiscal Officer to the Auditor of Lake County, Ohio, as provided by law, to be placed by him upon the tax duplicate and collected as other taxes.

SECTION 6. The Fiscal Officer shall cause notice of the passage of this Ordinance to be published twice in a newspaper of general circulation and shall keep said assessments on file in his office.

SECTION 7. The Fiscal Officer is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of this Ordinance to the Auditor of Lake County, Ohio.

SECTION 8. It is 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 this Council, and that all deliberations 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.

SECTION 9. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be and is passed as an emergency measure, the measure being that the Village is without sufficient funds to provide electric street lighting and appurtenances thereto; and, therefore, this Ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare and shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and signature of the Mayor.

PASSED: 5-16-16

Kenneth D. Takacs, President of Council

Attested:

Kristie M. Crockett, Fiscal Officer

Approved:
Date: 5/16/16

Sam Britton Jr., Mayor