

The Village Council of the Village of Lockland, County of Hamilton, Ohio, met in regular session at 7:00 p.m., on the 8th day of May, 2026, at city hall, with the following members present:

Ms. Raby moved the adoption of the following resolution:

VILLAGE OF LOCKLAND

RESOLUTION # 2026- 09

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE NECESSITY OF LEVYING AN ADDITIONAL TAX IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION WITHIN THE VILLAGE AND REQUESTING THE COUNTY AUDITOR TO CERTIFY MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

WHEREAS, this Village Council of the Village of Lockland, Hamilton County, Ohio anticipates levying an additional tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation as described herein;

WHEREAS, the existing 4 mill five- year tax levy is expiring and will not be collected after collection year 2026. Council intends to repeal the existing 4 mill continuous fire levy upon approval of the new tax levy by electors and intends to only collect the new levy and neither of the existing levies will be collected simultaneously with the new levy.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5705.03 of the Ohio Revised Code, this Village Council is required to certify to the county auditor a resolution requesting the county auditor to certify certain matters in connection with such a tax levy;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Village Council of the Village of Lockland (the "Village"), Hamilton County, Ohio:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the provisions of Section 5705.19 (I) of the Ohio Revised Code, the amount of taxes that may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements of the Village and it is necessary that an additional tax be levied in excess of the ten-mill limitation within the Village for the benefit of this Village, for the purpose of providing and maintaining fire apparatus, mechanical resuscitators, underwater rescue and recovery equipment, or other fire equipment and appliances, buildings and sites therefor, or sources of water supply and materials therefor, for the establishment and maintenance of lines of fire-alarm communications, for the payment of firefighting companies or permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting, emergency medical service, administrative, or communications personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under section 145.48 or 742.34 of the Revised Code, for the purchase of ambulance equipment, for the provision of ambulance, paramedic,

or other emergency medical services operated by a fire department or firefighting company, or for the payment of other related costs at a rate not exceeding eight (8.00) mills, for each one dollar (\$1.00) of taxable value, for a continuing period of time commencing in tax year 2026.

That the tax shall be levied upon the entire territory of the Village. The Village has territory within Hamilton County and no other county.

SECTION 2. That the question of the passage of said tax levy shall be submitted to the electors of the entire territory of the Village at an election to be held on November 3, 2026. If approved by the electors, said tax levy shall first be placed upon the 2026 tax list and duplicate, for first collection in calendar year 2027.

SECTION 3. That pursuant to Section 5705.03 of the Ohio Revised Code, the county auditor is hereby requested to certify to this Village Council the total current tax valuation of the Village, the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the number of mills specified in Section 1 hereof, and the levy's rate expressed in dollars for each one hundred thousand dollars of county auditor's market value and the Clerk of the Village be and is hereby directed to certify forthwith a copy of this resolution to the county auditor at the earliest possible time so that said county auditor may certify such matters in accordance with such Section 5705.03.

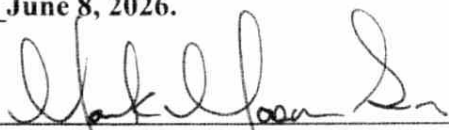
SECTION 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Village Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Village Council, and that all deliberations of this Village Council, and of any of its committees that resulted 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, and the rules of this Village Council adopted in accordance therewith.

SECTION 5. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

_____ Ms. Raby _____ moved for the adoption of the Resolution, and
_____ Mr. Pittman _____ seconded the motion. The vote was as follows:

Karr	voted	___yes___	Glover	voted	___yes___
Schilling	voted	___yes___	Raby	voted	___yes___
Xander	voted	_____	Pittman	voted	___yes___

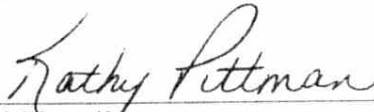
Having received the required two-thirds majority, the Resolution was adopted. Adopted on date:
June 8, 2026.



Mayor, Village of Lockland

CLERK CERTIFICATION

I, Kathy Pittman, Clerk of the Village of Lockland, Hamilton County, Ohio, certify this Resolution to be a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2026 – R- 9 as adopted by the Council of the Village of Lockland, Ohio, and recorded in the official record of proceedings of the meeting held on June 8, 2026.



Clerk of Council