COUNCIL NO. 023 SPONSOR: Finance Director Smith ORDINANCE NO. 23-18

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 169.01 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF SHEFFIELD LAKE REGARDING BONDS AND THE DECLARING OF AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, section 169.01 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Sheffield Lake provides that certain officers of the City shall be bonded; and,

WHEREAS, Clerk of the Department of Public Service is included in those officers which are required to be bonded in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000); and

WHEREAS, 169.01 further provides that all other employees and officials of the City shall be covered by a blanket bond in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500); and,

WHEREAS, Clerks of the Department of Public Service and all other employees and officers of the City other than those listed at 169.01 have not been required by the City to be bonded; and,

WHEREAS, the City maintains an insurance policy in the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) on all employees and officials of the City for errors and omissions including criminal acts; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Sheffield Lake to amend section 169.01 to provide that all employees and officials of the City other than those listed, shall not be required to be bonded, but shall be covered under the City's insurance policy for errors and omissions, including criminal acts, in an amount not less than One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Council of the City of Sheffield Lake, State of Ohio:

Section 1. Codified Ordinance Section 169.01 is hereby amended as follows:

169.01 BONDS

- (a) The following officers shall be bonded in the amounts indicated:
 - (1) Director of Finance \$100,000
 - (2) Tax Administrator \$50,000
 - (4) Clerk of the Department of Public Service \$5,000
- $\frac{(5)(3)}{(3)}$ Mayor \$20,000
- (b) All employees and officials of the City, other than those mentioned in subsection (a) hereof, shall be covered by a blanket bond insurance policy in the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).
- (c) The premiums for all bonds *and insurance policies* mentioned herein shall be paid for by the City.
- (d) The condition of all bonds mentioned herein shall be the faithful charge of the employee's or the official's duties.

- Section 2. 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 that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- Section 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure made necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio, the emergency being the immediate necessity of establishing various bonds and insurance policies for public employees and officers of the City.

| PASSED THIS | DAY OF | , 2018. |
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| • | ly appointed Clerk of Council O HEREBY CERTIFY that | |
| this is a true and exa | ct copy of Ordinance# | |
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