

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING TO PROCEED WITH THE SUBMISSION TO THE ELECTORS DECLARING THE AMOUNT OF TAXES THAT MAY BE RAISED BY LEVY AT THE MAXIMUM RATE AUTHORIZED BY LAW WITHOUT A VOTE OF THE ELECTORS TO BE INSUFFICIENT FOR PROVIDING SUFFICIENT AND PROPER FUNDS FOR USE IN THE GENERAL FUND IN THE CITY OF CORTLAND, AND DECLARING THE NECESSITY OF A REPLACEMENT LEVY IN EXCESS OF SUCH RATE

WHEREAS, on July 5, 2016 the Council of the City of Cortland adopted Resolution R-26-16 to submit to the electors of the City of Cortland the question of levying an additional tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation, as described below; and,

WHEREAS, a copy of Resolution R-26-16 was certified to the County Auditor on July 6, 2016; and,

WHEREAS, that the County Auditor has certified to the City of Cortland that the annual tax levy required throughout the life of the proposed replacement levy would produce the annual amount of \$252,307.00 for the General Fund, calculated in the manner provided by law, it being 1.9 mills for each one dollar valuation, which amounts to (\$.190) for each one hundred dollars of valuation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORTLAND, COUNTY OF TRUMBULL, STATE OF OHIO:

TWO-THIRDS OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING:

Section 1. The amount of taxes that may be raised by said Council of the City of Cortland, in the City of Cortland, Ohio to provide sufficient and proper funds for operating expenses of the General Fund by levy of the maximum rate authorized by section 5705.19(A) of the Ohio Revised Code will not be sufficient, and that it is expedient to levy taxes in excess of such limitation, for the purpose of providing funds for operating expenses of the General Fund an increase over the maximum of not to exceed (\$.190) for each one hundred dollars of valuation commencing tax year 2016 first due in 2017.

SAID LEVY BEING A 1.9 MILL REPLACEMENT TAX – TO PROVIDE THE SUFFICIENT FUNDS FOR THE OPERATING EXPENSES IN THE GENERAL LEVY FUND FOR THE CITY OF CORTLAND, OHIO.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the provisions of said replacement tax levy be submitted to the Electors of the City of Cortland at the **PRIMARY ELECTION** to be held on the 8th day of November, 2016 and that these proceedings shall be conducted pursuant to the authority in Sections 5705.192 and 5705.19(A) of the Ohio Revised Code, in the manner provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Clerk of Council be and she is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections, Trumbull County in order that said Board of Elections may make the necessary arrangements for submission of such question to the Electors of said City of Cortland, Ohio at said regular election in the manner provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Form of Ballot to be used for submitting the question of such replacement levy to the Electors of said City of Cortland, Ohio and to be cast as such election shall be as follows:

PROPOSED TAX LEVY – REPLACEMENT
A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage

A replacement tax levy for the benefit of the Cortland City General Fund for the purpose of providing operating expenses at a rate not exceeding 1.90 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to (\$0.190) for each one hundred dollars of valuation for a period not to exceed five (5) years commencing in 2016 first due 2017.

	FOR THE TAX LEVY
	AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That this Resolution is deemed necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall take effect as early as allowed by law.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS ____ DAY OF JULY, 2016.

ATTEST: _____
CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED W/ MAYOR _____
DATE

MAYOR

DATE APPROVED _____

- ROLL CALL**
Edwards, aye
Keller, aye
Linville, aye
Moore, absent
Petrosky, aye
Piros, aye
Rowley, aye

OFFICIAL SEAL