

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR OF LAW AND PRESCRIBING HIS COMPENSATION AND DUTIES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Richfield, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That the appointment by the Mayor of Charles T. Riehl as Director of Law for the Village of Richfield, State of Ohio, pursuant to Article VIII of the Charter of the Village of Richfield, Ohio for the period beginning January 1, 1992 and ending December 31, 1995, be, and the same hereby is, approved, provided, however that such appointment or employment may be terminated by not less than thirty (30) days written notice from the Village to the Director of Law, such notice to be previously authorized by resolution passed in conformance with Article VIII, Section 8.01 of the Richfield Charter, or upon thirty (30) days notice by the said Director of Law to the Council of the Village.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the Director of Law, unless otherwise provided, to prepare all ordinances, resolutions, notices, contracts, bonds and bond transcripts and to furnish the Village and the officials thereof legal advice on matters relating to the Village and to the powers of the officials; and to represent the Village or its officers or employees in all suits or proceedings instituted by or against the Village or its officers or employees in any court of record in the State of Ohio. He shall attend all meetings of the Council unless excused therefrom and except as herein otherwise provided.

SECTION 3. As compensation for the services to be performed, the Director of Law shall receive the following sums:

(A) For all regular services as Director of Law, other than the special services hereinafter referred to, a salary of Six Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$625.00) per month during the year 1992 and thereafter.

(B) For services as Prosecutor in attendance at Mayor's Court, the sum of Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) for each such attendance, which sum shall be added monthly as salary to the sum specified in subparagraph (A) above.

- (C) For attendance at all special meetings of Council or any other body of the Village, the sum of Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) per hour for actual time spent in attendance at such meeting, which sum shall be added monthly as salary to the sum specified in subparagraph (A) above.
- (D) For all special services involving litigation in any court and for all services not included in subparagraphs (A), (B) and (C), including services rendered in connection with note or bond proceedings or public improvements, the nature and extent of which cannot be definitely foreseen, such sum or sums as the Council shall approve and allow therefor based upon the time actually spent. During the year 1992, the Director of Law shall be compensated at the rate of Eighty -Five Dollars (\$85.00) per hour for such special services; any assistance he may receive from members of the law firm of Walter, Haverfield, Buescher & Chockley shall be at the rate of Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) per hour. It being further understood that such special services shall be rendered only upon the express authorization of the Council, Mayor or other duly authorized official of the Village.

SECTION 4. The salary provisions set forth in this Ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 1992.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance is determined to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety for the reason of our need of legal services and provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed, it shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest date provided by law.

Passed: 2-2-93

David W. Haward
President of Council

Ray L. [Signature]
Mayor

Dated: 2/2/93

ATTEST:
[Signature]
Clerk of Council