

**CITY OF CHEVIOT  
STATE OF OHIO**

**RESOLUTION NO. 15 – 1**

**TO SUBMIT TO THE HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS A PROPOSED NEW TAX LEVY TO BE VOTED UPON BY THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHEVIOT AT THE MAY 5, 2015, PRIMARY ELECTION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the City of Cheviot desires to place before the electors of the City of Cheviot a new 3.00 mill tax levy; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of the levy is to provide funding for the general construction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads, and bridges in the City of Cheviot in accordance with Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed tax levy is necessary for the operation of the city and is in excess of the ten-mill limitation; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 5705.03 of the Ohio Revised Code, the City of Cheviot has submitted the proposed 3.00 mill tax levy to the Hamilton County Auditor for certification; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 19, 2014, the Hamilton County Auditor issued a Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEVIOT, STATE OF OHIO, TWO-THIRDS OF ALL MEMBERS THEREOF CONCURRING, THAT:**

Section 1. Pursuant to Sections 5705.03, 5705.19, 5705.191, and 5705.25 of the Ohio Revised Code, this council requests that the Hamilton County Board of Elections take the steps necessary to place on the ballot at the May 5, 2015, primary election the following proposed tax levy:

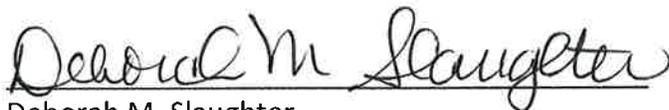
- A. Type of Levy. The levy shall be a new tax levy authorized by Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code.

- B. Purpose of Levy. The purpose of the proposed 3.00 mill levy shall be for expenses for the general construction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads, and bridges in the City of Cheviot in accordance with Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code.
- C. Calendar Year in Which Levy is Due. The proposed 3.00 mill tax levy shall first become due in calendar year 2016.
- D. Term of Levy. The term of the proposed 3.00 mill levy shall be five years.

Section 2. This council has determined that the amount of taxes which will be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements of the City of Cheviot, the proposed new 3.00 mill tax levy is outside of the ten-mill limitation, and it is necessary for the general construction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads, and bridges in the City of Cheviot in accordance with Section 5705.19(G) of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. Upon passage of this resolution, the Clerk of Council shall immediately certify a copy of it to the Hamilton County Board of Elections along with the Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue, which has been provided by the Hamilton County Auditor.

Section 4. This resolution shall be an emergency measure for the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Cheviot and shall take effect immediately. The emergency is necessary in order to allow the city to comply with the time requirements of Chapter 5705 of the Ohio Revised Code so that the proposed tax levy may appear on the ballot of the May 5, 2015, primary election.

  
Deborah M. Slaughter  
President of Council

January 6, 2015  
Date passed

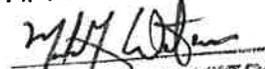
  
Samuel D. Keller  
Mayor

  
Date approved

Attest:

  
Jenny M. Eilermann  
Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
MARK G. WATERS  
LAW DIRECTOR

CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION

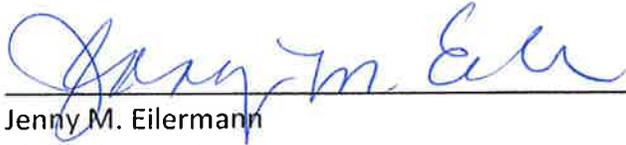
I, Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of the Council of the City of Cheviot, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, or a succinct summary, was published in the *Western Hills Press*, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cheviot, Ohio, in accordance with Section 731.21 of the Ohio Revised Code, on the following dates :

- 1) 1-14, 2015, and
- 2) 1-21, 2015.

  
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Jenny M. Eilermann  
Clerk of Council

CERTIFICATION OF TRUE AND ACCURATE COPY

I, Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of the Council of the City of Cheviot, hereby certify that this is a true and accurate copy of the original Resolution No. 15 - 1, passed by the Cheviot City Council on January 6, 2015, at an open meeting, in accordance with Ohio law, and that the original is in my possession at the Cheviot City Hall.

  
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Jenny M. Eilermann  
Clerk of Council

1-6-2015  
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Date of Certification