ORDINANCE 07-2015

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Section 2981.13(C)(1) of the Ohio Revised Code requires a law enforcement trust fund shall be established by the legislative authority of each municipal corporation that receives proceeds from the sale of forfeited property;

WHEREAS, The Village has and anticipates receiving proceeds from the sale of forfeited property.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF MINERVA PARK, OHIO THAT:

Section 1. The Fiscal Officer shall create a Law Enforcement Trust Fund which shall receive proceeds from property ordered forfeited as contraband.

Section 2: The Police Chief shall ensure that expenditures from the fund comply with the internal control policies required by Section 2981.13(C)(2) of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Ordinance is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent parts thereof.

Section 4. Council declares this to be an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Minerva Park, such emergency arising out of the immediate need to comply with State law regarding proceeds from property ordered forfeited as contraband. Wherefore, this Ordinance shall take effect and shall be in force immediately upon passage by Council

Lynn Eisentraut, Mayor,
Village of Minerva Park

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