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# City of Willoughby Hills

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### ORDINANCE NO. 2016-35

## AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A TAX BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2017 FOR THE CITY OF WILLOUGHBY HILLS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**WHEREAS,** Ohio Revised Code, Section 5705.28 states that the taxing authority of each subdivision (i.e. Municipal Corporation) or other taxing unit shall adopt a tax budget for the next succeeding fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code, Section 5705.30, at least two copies of the budget shall be filed in the office of the fiscal officer of the subdivision (i.e. Municipal Corporation) for public inspection not less than ten days before its adoption by the taxing authority, and such taxing authority shall hold at least one public hearing thereon, of which public notice shall be given by at least one publication not less than ten days prior to the date of hearing in the official publication of such subdivision, or in a newspaper having general circulation in the subdivision; and

WHEREAS, said Budget must be adopted by the legislative body (City/Village Council, Township Trustees, or other Board) on or before July 15<sup>th</sup> with two copies submitted to the County Auditor on or before July 20<sup>th</sup>; and

WHEREAS, failure to comply with Sections 5705.28, 5705.30 O.R.C. shall result in loss of local government fund.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOUGHBY HILLS, COUNTY OF LAKE, STATE OF OHIO, AT LEAST TWO THIRDS OF THE MEMBERS CONCURRING THAT:

**SECTION 1.** The Tax Budget attached hereto and marked the **"Exhibit A"**, consisting of eight (8) pages and incorporated herein by reference, is hereby adopted as the Tax Budget for the fiscal year, January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017, for the City of Willoughby Hills.

**SECTION 2.** The actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this legislation were conducted in lawful meetings of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its Committees that resulted in such formal action were in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Willoughby Hills.

**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance constitutes an emergency measure in that the same provides for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Willoughby Hills, insofar as providing for the usual daily operation of a Municipal Department to wit: submittal of the Tax Budget within the time frames prescribed by Section 5705.30 of the Ohio Revised Code and providing for the receipt of revenues for the City; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and in effect on and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

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Submitted to the Mayor for his approval on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

ATTEST: Victoria Ann Savage, CN **Clerk of Council** 

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President of Council

Approved by the Mayor

, 2016

Robert M. Weger Mayor