

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION AMENDING SECTION IV  
OF RESOLUTION 07-26 AND DECLARING  
AN EMERGENCY

NOW, THEREFORE, BE RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LORAIN, STATE  
OF OHIO:

SECTION I: Section IV of Resolution 7-26 currently reads as follows:

The question of a renewal of a 1.7 mills tax levy for the purpose of providing the amount necessary for the Lorain Fire Department for a period of five (5) years, beginning with the tax list and duplicate for the year 2026 the proceeds of which levy first would be distributed to this City in the calendar year 2027 shall be submitted under the provisions of Section 5705.19(i) of the Ohio Revised Code to the electors of the City of Lorain at an election to be held therein on May 5, 2026, as authorized by law. That election shall be held at the regular places of voting in the City as established by the Board of Elections of Lorain County, or otherwise, within the times provided by law and shall be conducted, canvassed and certified in the manner provided by law.

And shall hereby be amended to read as follows:

The question of a renewal of a 1.7 mills tax levy for the purpose of providing the amount necessary for the Lorain Fire Department for a period of five (5) years, beginning with the tax list and duplicate for the year 2026, **the tax year in which the tax will first be levied and the calendar year in which the tax will first be collected**, the proceeds of which levy first would be distributed to this City in the calendar year 2027 shall be submitted under the provisions of Section 5705.19(i) of the Ohio Revised Code to the electors of the City of Lorain at an election to be held therein on May 5, 2026, as authorized by law. That election shall be held at the regular places of voting in the City as established by the Board of Elections of Lorain County, or otherwise, within the times provided by law and shall be conducted, canvassed and certified in the manner provided by law.

SECTION II. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in

meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements, including Ohio Revised Code §121.22.

SECTION III. That this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City, and for the further reason that the Resolution be effective immediately so that it can be timely filed with the Board of Elections in order to submit the question of the levy to the electors at the May 5, 2026 election; wherefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately, upon its and adoption and approval by the Mayor, or otherwise at the earliest time permitted by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_, CLERK

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR