

# Village of Bolivar, Ohio

Ordinance Number: 0-13-2023

**TITLE: AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH AND FIX THE PURCHASE  
AUTHORITY OF THE MAYOR AT \$1,000.00 WITHOUT THE NEED  
FOR PRIOR APPROVAL OF COUNCIL**

**WHEREAS**, the Village Council of the Village of Bolivar, Ohio desires to establish and fix the blanket authority of the Mayor of the Village of Bolivar to make necessary expenditures on behalf of and for the sole benefit of the Village of Bolivar; and

**WHEREAS**, presently, the Mayor of the Village of Bolivar has authority to make such expenditures up to an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00); and

**WHEREAS**, due to increases in the cost of goods and services, as well as inflation, Village Council desires to increase the purchase authority of the Mayor from Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

**NOW THEREFORE**, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BOLIVAR, COUNTY OF TUSCARAWAS, STATE OF OHIO, A MAJORITY OF ITS MEMBERS ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING, THAT:

**SECTION 1.** The Mayor of the Village of Bolivar is hereby authorized to make expenditures on behalf and for the sole benefit of the Village of Bolivar in an amount not to exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

**SECTION 2.** Any expenditure made by the Mayor pursuant to this Ordinance must be otherwise authorized by law and must be approved, reported, and recorded as required by the Ohio Revised Code, including but not limited to R.C. 5705.41.

**SECTION 3.** In addition to the requirements set forth in Section 2 above, the Mayor shall report any and all expenditures made under this Ordinance to Village Council no later than the next regularly scheduled meeting of Village Council.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance repeals all previous Ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith.

**SECTION 5.** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and related to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**PASSED IN COUNCIL** this 1st day of June 2023.

Attest:

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Tedd Finlayson, Mayor

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Barb Kline, Fiscal Officer

Approved as to Legal Form by:

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Stephan P. Babik, Village Solicitor