

RESOLUTION NO. R26-02

A RESOLUTION BY THE TROTWOOD CITY COUNCIL TO PROCEED TO LEVY A RENEWAL TAX IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF TROTWOOD, AS STATED IN SUBSECTION 5705.19(A), AS AMENDED, OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, WHICH LEVY SHALL BE 5.75 MILLS AND IS A RENEWAL OF AN EXISTING LEVY OF 5.75 MILLS, TO RUN FOR FIVE (5) YEARS, PURSUANT TO SECTION 5705.19 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, AND DECLARING THAT THE QUESTION OF THE RENEWAL TAX LEVY SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTORS AT THE ELECTION TO BE HELD MAY 5, 2026.

WHEREAS, City Council previously determined that it is necessary to levy a renewal tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the benefit of the City, in accordance with Section 5705.19 of the Ohio Revised Code, for the purpose of paying the current expenses of the City of Trotwood.

TWO-THIRDS OF ALL MEMBERS OF COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROTWOOD, STATE OF OHIO, CONCUR AND HEREBY RESOLVE THAT:

SECTION I: City Council has received certification issued by the County Auditor for Montgomery County, Ohio, pursuant to Section 5705.03, as amended, of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION II: The amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for the necessary requirements of the City of Trotwood.

SECTION III: It is necessary to levy a renewal tax in excess of said ten-mill limitation, in accordance with Subsection 5705.19(A) of the Ohio Revised Code, as amended, upon the entire territory of the City of Trotwood, Ohio, for the purpose of paying the current expenses of the City at a rate not exceeding Five and Three Quarters Mills (5.75) for each One Dollar (\$1.00) of valuation, which amounts to Fifty-Seven and One-Half Cents (\$0.575) for each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of valuation, for a five (5) year period of time.

SECTION IV: The City of Trotwood will proceed with the submission of the question of the tax to the electors of this City at the Election to be held on Tuesday, May 5, 2026, and at the regular place or places of voting within this City as

established by the Board of Elections of Montgomery County, Ohio, during the election hours established by state law or by said Board of Elections. This ballot measure shall be submitted to voters in the entire territory of the City of Trotwood, which is located entirely within Montgomery County, Ohio.

SECTION V:

The form of the ballot to be used at said election shall be substantially as follows:

**PROPOSED TAX LEVY (RENEWAL)
CITY OF TROTWOOD, OHIO**

A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage

A renewal of a tax for the benefit of the City of Trotwood, State of Ohio, as stated in Section 5705.19(A), as amended, of the Ohio Revised Code, for the purpose of current expenses of the City of Trotwood, at a rate not exceeding Five and Three Quarters Mills (5.75) for each One Dollar (\$1.00) of valuation, which amounts to Fifty-Seven and One-Half Cents (\$0.575) for each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of valuation, which proposed rate is a renewal of the existing levy for Five and Three Quarters Mills (5.75), for five (5) years commencing in the year 2026, and first due in calendar year 2027.

**FOR THE TAX LEVY
AGAINST THE TAX LEVY**

SECTION VI:

If a majority of the qualified electors of the City voting thereon vote in favor thereof, said levy shall be placed upon the tax list and duplicate of the then current year of 2026 (the proceeds of which levy first would be available for collection in the calendar year of 2027).

SECTION VII:

The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections of Montgomery County, Ohio, not later than four o'clock (4:00) p.m. on the ninetieth (90th) day before the date of said election and to notify said Board of Elections of Montgomery County, Ohio, to cause notice of the election on the question of levying said tax to be given as required by law.

SECTION VIII:

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were done in an open meeting of this Council, and that any and all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were

in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including, but not limited to, Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION IX:

Pursuant to Section 5705.19, as amended, of the Ohio Revised Code, this Resolution shall go into immediate effect upon its passage, and no publication of the Resolution is necessary other than that provided for in the notice of election.

Passed this **5th** day of **January, 2026**.

ATTEST:

KARA B. LANDIS
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED:

YVETTE F. PAGE
MAYOR

VICE-MAYOR

CERTIFICATE OF RECORDING OFFICER

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. **R26-02** adopted by the Trotwood City Council at a regular scheduled meeting held on the **5th** day of **January, 2026**, and that I am duly authorized to execute this certificate.

Signed this _____ day of _____, _____.

CLERK OF COUNCIL