## **RESOLUTION NO. 2024 - 116**

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTY AUDITOR TO ADVANCE ANY PROPERTY TAXES THAT HAVE BEEN COLLECTED PRIOR TO THE NORMAL FEBRUARY SETTLEMENT DATE FROM THE PROCEEDS OF THE 2024 TAX YEAR COLLECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION 321.34 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** That the County Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Director of Budget and Finance of the City of Kent, Ohio, all monies now in the hands, and that may hereafter come into the hands, of the County Treasurer, which are payable to the City of Kent, from the proceeds of the 2024 tax year collection, including, without limitation, revenues from personal property taxes, real property taxes, and special assessments.

**SECTION 2.** That the Director of Budget and Finance of the City of Kent is hereby authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this Resolution to the County Auditor.

**SECTION 3.** 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 that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 4**. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediate after passage.

PASSED

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Jerry T. Fiala

Mayor and President of Council

**EFFECTIVE** 

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ATTEST:

Kathleen Coleman

Interim Clerk of Council

I, KATHLEEN COLEMAN, INTERIM CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF RESOLUTION No. 2024-116\_, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON \_November 20\_, 2024\_\_.

(SEAL)

KATHLEEN COLEMAN
INTERIM CLERK OF COUNCIL



## CITY OF KENT, OHIO DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE Rhonda C. Hall, CPA, Director

To: Dave Ruller, City Manager

From: Rhonda C. Hall, CPA, Director of Budget and Finance

Date: October 15, 2024

Re: Advance of Property Taxes Resolution

## Dave,

The City is permitted by Section 321.34 of the Ohio Revised Code to request the County advance to the City any property taxes that have been collected prior to the normal February settlement date. Passage of this resolution will enable the City to receive at least a portion of its property taxes approximately four to six weeks prior to the actual settlement date. I am respectfully requesting City Council's approval of a resolution for this purpose to be placed on the City Council agenda for November 6, 2024.

Thank you.

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