

RESOLUTION 2019-33

A RESOLUTION RETAINING THOMAS REITZ, ATTORNEY AT LAW, AS SOLICITOR FOR THE VILLAGE OF HIRAM, OHIO, AND FIXING HIS FEES FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2020 TO DECEMBER 31, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Hiram has determined to provide for legal representation of the Village by retaining a Village Solicitor; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2019 the Village Council granted a 2% raise to every other employee of the Village, and by authorizing the attached agreement Thomas Reitz is receiving the same raise all other employees of the Village have already received; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that the compensation and other terms of the appointment of Thomas Reitz as solicitor for the Village as set forth in Exhibit A to this Resolution are fair and reasonable to the Village; and

WHEREAS, Thomas Reitz has agreed to provide the legal services as set forth hereafter; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to engage the services of Thomas Reitz as Solicitor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Hiram, two thirds of the members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1: That Thomas Reitz be retained as Solicitor for the Village of Hiram, Ohio, for the period beginning January 1, 2020, and ending December 31, 2020 upon the terms and conditions set forth in substantial conformity with the attached Exhibit "A", which the Mayor and the Fiscal Officer are hereby authorized to sign.

Section 2: This Ordinance shall be effective December 31, 2019.

Section 3: It is hereby 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, including Section 121.22 of the Revised Code of the State of Ohio.

First Reading: October 15, 2019

Second Reading: November 19, 2019

Passed in Council on Third Reading on December 10, 2019.



Mayor Lou Bertrand

ATTEST:

Susan J. Skrovan

Fiscal Officer Susan J. Skrovan

Approved as to form:

Thomas Reitz
Village Solicitor Thomas Reitz

I SUSAN SKROVAN, Fiscal Officer of the
Village of Hiram, Ohio, hereby certify that
the foregoing Resolution ~~or Ordinance~~
No. 2019-33 has been duly posted in the
required 5 places.

12/11/19
Date

Susan J. Skrovan
Fiscal Officer, Village of Hiram