

ORDINANCE NO. 2012 - 83

**AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF POLICE TO CONTRIBUTE
UNCLAIMED BICYCLES TO VARIOUS PUBLIC AGENCIES OR NONPROFIT
ORGANIZATIONS**

WHEREAS, the City of Mason Police Department regularly has unclaimed bicycles in its custody for ninety days or more; and

WHEREAS, such bicycles are included on a court order for disposal as required by Ohio Revised Code 2981.12; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code 737.32 allows the Chief of Police, if authorized to do so by council, to contribute property that is unclaimed for ninety days or more to one or more public agencies, to one or more nonprofit organizations no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual and no substantial part of the activities of which consists of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or to one or more organizations satisfying section 501(c)(3) or (c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, six members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the Chief of Police is hereby authorized to contribute bicycles, which are in the possession of the City of Mason Police Department and are unclaimed for ninety days or more, to various public agencies or nonprofit organizations as described above.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period provided by law.

Passed this 26th day of November, 2012.

Mayor

Attest:

Clerk of Council