

ORDINANCE NO. 2006-77

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND ERIC HANSEN FOR COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS RELATED TO HIS SERVICE AS ACTING MANAGER, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Scot F. Lahrmer has submitted his resignation as City Manager effective June 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, Section 5.03 of the Mason Charter, in the event of a vacancy in the Office of Manager, Council is authorized to designate an individual as Acting Manager to exercise all powers, duties, and functions of the Manager until a Manager is appointed; and

WHEREAS, Eric Hansen has faithfully served as Assistant City Manager since 1998, performing the duties and responsibilities assigned to him with skill and dedication; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Mason desires to appoint Eric Hansen as Acting Manager, acknowledge the additional responsibilities placed upon him, and provide for his interim appointment to fulfill the duties of Manager and his continued service as an employee of Mason;

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

Section 1. That Council authorizes the execution of the Memorandum of Agreement attached hereto and made a part hereof between Eric Hansen and the City which appoints him as Acting Manager effective July 1, 2007 until a successor Manager is appointed by Council, sets forth his compensation and benefits for service, and provides for his return to Assistant City Manager at the completion of such service.

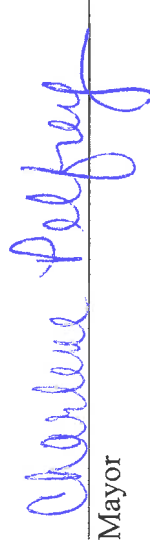
Section 2. That the Director of Finance is authorized and directed to make such payments in such amounts as are indicated in the agreement.

Section 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare and shall be effective immediately upon its passage. The reason for said declaration of emergency is the need to appoint an Acting Manager and provide compensation and benefits for such service prior to the last day of service of the current Manager on June 30, 2006 in order to provide for smooth transition and delivery of necessary services to the public.

Passed this 26th day of June, 2006

Attest:


Clerk


Mayor