

**VILLAGE OF BUCKEYE LAKE, OHIO**  
**ORDINANCE NO. 2016-04**

**AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTEER PEACE OFFICERS' DEPENDENTS FUND BOARD ("FUND") FOR THE VILLAGE OF BUCKEYE LAKE, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the Ohio legislature recently established the Volunteer Peace Officers' Dependents Fund, and

WHEREAS, political subdivisions, such as the Village of Buckeye Lake, which employ volunteer peace officers may become a member of the Fund, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Buckeye Lake desires to do so and to provide assistance to the dependents of volunteer police officers killed in the line of duty or who become totally and permanently disabled in the line of duty, does hereby establish the Village of Buckeye Lake Volunteer Peace Officers' Dependents Fund Board, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to establish the board and appoint members by April 22, 2016 this Ordinance shall be deemed an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, FOLLOWING AN AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF AT LEAST TWO THIRDS (2/3) OF THE COUNCIL TO DISPENSE WITH THE REQUIREMENT OF THE BUCKEYE LAKE VILLAGE CHARTER SECTION 4.04 TO READ AN ORDINANCE ON THREE SEPARATE DAYS WITH AT LEAST ONE WEEK BETWEEN READINGS,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BUCKEYE LAKE, OHIO:

SECTION 1: A Volunteer Peace Officers' Dependents Fund Board is hereby established for the Village of Buckeye Lake, Ohio.

SECTION 2: The board shall have the following members: two members elected by the legislative authority of the Fund member that maintains the police or sheriff's department, two members elected by the volunteer peace officers of the police or sheriff's department, and one member elected by the other four members (can't be a public employee, member of the legislative authority, or peace officer for that department; must be a citizen registered to vote in that area). One of the five elected board members must be identified as a chairperson and another as the secretary by the members of the board.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and it shall become effective on its passage and signature of the Mayor.

ADOPTED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016

ATTEST: Valerie L. Hans  
Valerie L. Hans, Clerk of Council

Kitty Zwissler  
Kitty Zwissler, President of Council

Date filed with Mayor: 4-11-16, 2016

Date approved by Mayor: 4-16-16, 2016

Clay Carroll  
Mayor Clay Carroll

Approved as to form: Mark Gardner  
Mark Gardner, Solicitor