

The legislative authority for the Village of Blanchester, Clinton County, Ohio (hereinafter the "Council") met in regular session on the 10th day of September, 2020 at 7:00 pm with the following members present: Gary Bauer, Harry Brumbaugh, Don Gephart, Chad Hollon, Reilly Hopkins, and Richard Simpson. Also present was Mayor John Carman and Fiscal Officer Jewelle Casteel.

Mr. Chad Hollon moved the following:

RESOLUTION NO. 2020.019

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE BLANCHESTER BICENTENNIAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Council finds it an appropriate public purpose to provide recreational opportunities for its residents, provide economic stimulus to its businesses, and encourage a sense of community spirit among its residents by and through celebration of the Villages collective history; and

WHEREAS, the Council further finds such financial support of such celebration of the Village's bicentennial also appropriate and in the general welfare & interest;

NOW THEREFORE, in light of the foregoing, the Council **RESOLVES** as follows:

1. It is hereby created the Village of Blanchester Bicentennial Fund.
2. Subject to an equal matching donation each year from the Village of Blanchester Board of Public Affairs, the Council resolves to appropriate and transfer to the Bicentennial Fund, in the first quarter of each year, the amount of ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$1,250).
3. The Bicentennial Fund shall be used for the purpose of supporting the Village of Blanchester Bicentennial celebration, the same to occur in 2032, and remaining balance, if any, to be donated to the Blanchester Food Pantry or other similarly situated charitable organization.
4. If the Bicentennial Fund is abolished prior to 2032, then all funds shall be disbursed to the respective donating parties and in the proportional shares in which they were donated.
5. In the event the Auditor for the State of Ohio does not approve the creation of the Bicentennial Fund, then the Village Auditor shall be directed to create a Bicentennial account and revenue lines within the General Fund.

Mr. Reilly Hopkins seconded.

A roll being called, the members voted as follows:

Mr. Bauer-	Yea.
Mr. Brumbaugh-	Yea.
Mr. Gephart-	Yea.
Mr. Hollon-	Yea.
Mr. Hopkins-	Yea.
Mr. Simpson-	Yea.

Adopted this 10th day of September, 2020.


John Carman, Mayor

Attest: Jewelle Casteel, Fiscal Officer

Fiscal Officer's Certificate:

The State of Ohio, County of Clinton, ss:

I, Jewelle Casteel, Fiscal Officer of the Village of Blanchester, Clinton County, and in whose custody the Files, Journals, and Records are required by the laws of the State of Ohio to be kept, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is taken and copied from the original Resolution now on file with said Village, that the foregoing Resolution has been compared by me with the said original and that the same is a true and correct copy thereof, and has been posted as required by law. This Resolution has been duly published by posting in the following places: Blanchester Municipal Building, 318 E. Main St.; First National Bank, 121 E. Main St.; Blanchester Post Office, 115 S. Wright St.; Tom's Express Mart, 7529 Fairground Rd; and at the Blanchester Public Library, 110 N. Broadway St., each for a period of fifteen (15) days commencing on the 22nd day of September, 2020.

Witness my signature this 10th day of September, 2020.


Fiscal Officer of the Village of Blanchester, Clinton County, Ohio

