

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Resolution No. 2026-33

Passed JUNE 03, 2026

SPONSOR: SAFETY

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE MOGADORE LOCAL SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE FOR A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER FOR THE MOGADORE LOCAL SCHOOLS FOR THE TERM JUNE 1, 2026 TO MAY 31, 2027, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Village was previously awarded a grant in the amount of \$125,000 from the State of Ohio for a period of three (3) years to hire one (1) new law enforcement officer, which was funded by a grant from U.S. Department of Justice Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (“COPS”) Hiring Program; and

WHEREAS, using said grant funds, the Village hired a new law enforcement officer and concurrently appointed a member of the Village Police Department to serve as a school resource officer (“SRO”) for schools within the Mogadore Local School District (“District”); and

WHEREAS, the previously awarded grant funding through the COPS Hiring Program has been fully utilized by the Village, but both the Village and the District desire to continue utilizing a member of the Village Police Department as an SRO for schools within the District; and

WHEREAS, the Village and District desire to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”), in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference, to set forth the material terms of the continuation of the SRO program for the safety and security of students and staff within the District, and to further provide for the Village and District’s respective financial contributions toward the compensation of the SRO.

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information, that it is necessary and in the best interest of the Village to authorize the Mayor to execute the MOU with the District for the continuation of the SRO program and to further provide for the Village’s and District’s respective financial contributions toward the compensation of the SRO.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Village of Mogadore, Counties of Summit and Portage, State of Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. This Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute the MOU with the District for the continuation of the SRO program and to further provide for the Village’s and District’s respective financial contributions toward the compensation of the SRO.

