

VILLAGE OF CARROLLTON, OHIO
ORDINANCE NO. 2024-35

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SUB-SECTIONS 1189.05(A) AND 1189.07(B) OF THE CODIFIED
ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF CARROLLTON REGULATING THE POSTING OF
POLITICAL SIGNS IN THE VILLAGE

WHEREAS, governmental regulation of the posting of political signs implicates free speech rights under the First Amendment of the United States Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Council deems it necessary to avoid the threatened free speech litigation over the Village of Carrollton's current regulation and restriction of political signs to amend the Carrollton Codified Ordinances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF
CARROLLTON, OHIO THAT:

1. That Sub-Section 1189.05(a) of the Codified Ordinances as enacted by Ordinance No. 1987-17, passed on the 25th day of August, 1987, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“1189.05 SIGNS IN RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS.

(a) No person shall erect or post any sign in any RU, RC, RS-1, RS-2, RS-3, RD or RA District except as follows:

(1) One permanent name plate sign for each dwelling unit in a single-family or two-family dwelling, with a maximum three square feet of face area, containing the name of the occupant or property or any home occupation.

(2) One permanent or temporary on-site roadside sign for lands used for agricultural purposes with a maximum eighteen square feet of face area for any lot five acres or more and a maximum four square feet of face area for any lot less than five acres, and which advertises only goods sold on the premises. In addition, each agricultural lot shall be allowed two off-site directional signs, each with a maximum one square foot of face area.

(3) One temporary building construction sign with a maximum eighteen square feet of face area which may be exhibited only during the construction period.

(4) One temporary “for sale” or “for rent” sign with a maximum eight square feet of face area.

(5) One temporary subdivision, development or model home sign with a maximum thirty square feet of face area per subdivision. Such sign shall be removed or the permit renewed annually not later than one year after initial issuance.

(6) Temporary signs promoting school, church or community service activities may be exhibited not more than fourteen days before the commencement of such activity nor more than seven days after such activities ended.

(7) One permanent identification sign for each church, school, memorial park or golf club use.

(8) One garage sale sign with a maximum four square feet of face area, which may be exhibited only during the conduct of such sale and only on the lot where conducted. "Garage sale" as used herein means a sale of residential household goods, equipment, utensils, appliances, personal clothing or effects, or other similar personal property, and includes without limitation the following types of sales: house, barn, basement, attic, porch, carport, lawn, yard, driveway, clothesline, casual, rummage, flea market and the like."

2. That Sub-Section 1189.07(b) of the Codified Ordinances as enacted by Ordinance No. 1987-17, passed on the 25th day of August, 1987, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"1189.07 PROHIBITED SIGNS.

..., (b) Other Permitted Uses.

- (1) Murals or signs painted on walls.
- (2) Strings, banners, pennants, ribbons, streamers, spinners or other moving devices.
- (3) Flashing, blinking, intermittent illumination, revolving, oscillating or otherwise moving light signs.
- (4) Mobile or portable signs.
- (5) Political signs."

3. That existing Sub-Sections 1189.05(a) and 1189.07(b) of the Codified Ordinances enacted by Ordinance No. 1987-17 on the 25th day of August, 1987 are hereby repealed.

4. This Ordinance shall become effective at the earliest date allowed by law.

Passed this 9th day of December, 2024.

Attest:

/s/ Darla Tipton
Darla Tipton, Clerk-Treasurer
Village of Carrollton, Ohio

/s/ William J. Stoneman
William J. Stoneman, Mayor
Village of Carrollton, Ohio

This Instrument Prepared by:
Clark E. Battista, Village Solicitor
Village of Carrollton, Ohio

1st Reading: Nov. 13, 2024
2nd Reading: Nov. 25, 2024
3rd Reading: Dec. 9, 2024

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VILLAGE OF CARROLLTON, OHIO

RESOLUTON NO. 2024-40

A RESOLUTION TO MAKE TEMPORARY APPROPRIATIONS FOR PAYROLL FOR THE VILLAGE OF CARROLLTON, OHIO FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2025 AND DECLARING IT AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Clerk-Treasurer has notified the Council of the Village of Carrollton, Ohio that it is necessary to make temporary appropriations for payroll for the month of January and the first payroll of the year is due before the first council meeting and that the following sums are hereby set aside and appropriated as follows:

101-1111-5-2110	Police Department	\$25,000
101-1111-5-2120	Benefits	\$15,000
101-1162-5-2110	Street Maintenance	\$ 5,000
101-1162-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 2,000
101-1174-5-2110	Clerk-Treasurer	\$ 2,500
101-1174-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 1,000
101-1176-5-2110	Village Administrator	\$ 3,000
101-1176-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 1,000
201-2162-5-2110	Street Dept.	\$ 2,200
201-2162-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 1,000
208-2812-5-2110	Fire Dept.	\$ 7,000
208-2812-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 500
501-5151-5-2110	Water Dept. (Office)	\$ 2,000
501-5151-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 500
501-5156-5-2110	Water Distribution	\$ 9,000
501-5156-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 4,000
502-5253-5-2110	Sewer Pumping	\$ 2,750
502-5253-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 2,000
502-5254-5-2110	Sewer Distribution	\$ 4,000
502-5254-5-2120	Benefits	\$ 1,500

This resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Village of Carrollton and the reason for the necessity being that there exists an imperative need to approve temporary appropriations for the first payroll of January 2025, which is prior to the first council meeting of 2025. Passed the 9th day of December 2024.

/s/ Darla Tipton
Darla Tipton, Clerk-Treasurer

/s/ William J. Stoneman
William J. Stoneman, Mayor

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