

## **ORDINANCE NO. 1863**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PROVISIONS OF THE VILLAGE INCOME TAX TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE IN THE TAX OF ONE-HALF PERCENT ON INCOME FOR THE GENERAL FUND FOR POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION, CONSTRUCTION, AND NEW EQUIPMENT, WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF DENNISON, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Village of Dennison, Ohio, has a current income tax ordinance in effect providing for income taxation at the current rate of one and one-half percent, and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Village of Dennison to obtain additional revenue for the general fund for police and fire protection, construction, and new equipment within said Village, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to increase the current income tax from one and one-half percent to two percent on the income as taxed in the ordinances of the Village of Dennison, Ohio, and the rules promulgated under authority thereof, in order to provide funds sufficient to pay for said expenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the legislative authority of the Village of Dennison, State of Ohio, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** That the said Village of Dennison shall levy an increased tax on income at a rate in excess of the one percent heretofore levied; to wit; an additional one-half percent upon approval of a majority of the electors voting at the special election next following the enactment of this ordinance. Said tax to be in addition to the present one and one-half percent heretofore levied and contained in the ordinances of the Village of Dennison.

**SECTION 2.** That revenue raised by the additional one-half percent tax levied by this ordinance shall be used exclusively to pay the expenses incurred by the Village of Dennison for the general fund for police and fire protection, construction, and new equipment, within said Village.

**SECTION 3.** That this one-half of one percent increase in the levy of tax on income shall be effective commencing on July 1, 1987, and continuing until amended or repealed by ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** This ordinance shall be deemed to be an emergency ordinance necessary for the preservation of the health and welfare of the citizens of the Village of Dennison, Ohio, for the reason that additional revenue is required for the general fund for police and fire protection, construction, and new equipment.

**SECTION 5.** This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and

approval, provided it receives the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members elected to or appointed to Council from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1987.

**APPROVED:**

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Gregory L. DiDonato, MAYOR

**ATTEST:**

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Ronnie Vinci, CLERK

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Brad Hillyer, Village Solicitor