

ORDINANCE 2013-19

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF MT. STERLING TO FILE AN APPLICATION WITH THE OHIO ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MOVING OHIO FORWARD GRANT PROGRAM AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Ohio Attorney General's Office was successful in a settlement with the nation's largest mortgage servicers over foreclosure abuses, fraud, and unacceptable mortgage practices and has made \$75 million in funding available for residential demolition; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Mt. Sterling has identified a strategic need within its community and desires to participate in the Program to receive financial assistance for demolition under the Moving Ohio Forward Demolition Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Mt. Sterling has the authority to apply for financial assistance and to administer the amounts received from the Ohio Attorney General's Office; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Mt. Sterling directs and authorizes Joseph Johnson to act in connection with the application and to provide such additional information as may be required;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE OF MT. STERLING, OHIO:

Section 1: That the Village of Mt. Sterling authorizes Joseph Johnson as the official representative of the Village of Mt. Sterling's application to participate in the Ohio Attorney General's Office and provide all information and documentation required in said Application for the Moving Ohio Forward Grant Program; and

Section 2: That the Village of Mt. Sterling hereby approves filing a grant application under the Moving Ohio Forward Demolition Grant Program by the State of Ohio; and

Section 3: That the Village of Mt. Sterling hereby understands and agrees that participation in the Moving Ohio Forward Grant Program will require compliance with program guidelines; and

Section 4: That the Village of Mt. Sterling hereby commits itself to provide the match as described in the application and guidelines; and

Section 5: That this ordinance shall go into effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Section 6: This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, and is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the Village of Mt. Sterling. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon the passage and signing by the Mayor.

PASSED:

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council

Mayor

Submitted to Mayor: _____

Approved:

Date of Approval: _____

Mark J. Pitstick, Law Director
Approved as to Form

I, _____, the Clerk of Council, hereby certifies that Ordinance 2013-19 was published in the _____ Newspaper for once a week for two consecutive weeks beginning on the _____ day of _____, 20____ and ending on the _____ day of _____, 20____. I certify that a complete copy of the Ordinance was posted in the lobby of the Village Hall.

Clerk of Council.