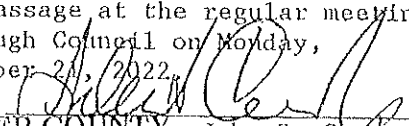


I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of the original Ordinance to be considered for passage at the regular meeting of Borough Council on Monday, November 21, 2022.

ORDINANCE NO. 558



AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PARKESBURG, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, IMPOSING A TAX LEVY FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT OF UP TO ONE-HALF (1/2) A MILL AS SET BY BOROUGH COUNCIL

John S. Charles, Jr.,
Solicitor
Borough of
Parkesburg

WHEREAS, The Borough of Parkesburg is a local municipality and governmental entity located in Chester County, Pennsylvania governed by the Borough Code and other applicable laws; and,

WHEREAS, The Local Tax Enabling Act, 53 P.S. § 6901 et seq. and the Borough Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 8 Pa C.S.A. §101, et. seq., ("Borough Code") authorize the Council of the Borough of Parkesburg (the "Borough") to impose tax levies upon its residents; and

WHEREAS, section 1302(a)(9) of the Borough Code authorizes the imposition of a "Special Tax" upon real property in addition to that authorized for general purposes, to be dedicated to the purpose of supporting ambulance, rescue and other emergency services serving the Borough, not to exceed one-half a mill - with an exception provided to allow that a rate to be increased to an amount which shall not exceed two mills when presented as a question to the voters in the form of a referendum in accordance with the election laws of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council for the Borough of Parkesburg, Pennsylvania, has determined that it is necessary and appropriate for the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Borough, to levy and impose a tax pursuant to the power and authority granted under Section 1302(a)(9) of the Borough Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as amended (8 Pa C.S. A. § 1302(a)(9)) to support emergency management services in the Borough by imposing a tax of up to one-half (1/2) a mill upon real estate within the Borough of Parkesburg in an amount below or equal to that maximum amount as set by Borough Council (which at the maximum of 1/2 mill is estimated would produce approximately \$62,000.00 in revenue).

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Parkesburg, Chester County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same:

SECTION 1. An annual tax is hereby levied pursuant to Section 1302(a)(9) of the Borough Code on assessed value of all property subject to taxation within the Borough at the rate of up to one-half (1/2) a mill (or five cents per hundred dollars of assessment).

SECTION 2. This tax as authorized is subject to revision by the Borough Council as part of the budgetary process with the millage rate to be initially set at the end of the year 2021 to establish new rates of taxation (not to exceed one half a mill) for the following year in accordance with the authorization for same provided by the Borough Code.

SECTION 3. Those taxes shall be levied, collected and paid with respect to taxation of real estate for the current year and the tax shall continue in force on a calendar year basis without reenactment based upon the millage as last set by Borough Council.

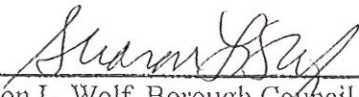
SECTION 4. The revenue generated from such tax shall be used for the purposes permitted under Section 1302(a)(9) of the Borough Code.

SECTION 5. If any portion of the Ordinance shall be determined to be unconstitutional, illegal or unenforceable, then the portion and only that portion of this Ordinance, which is deemed to be unconstitutional, illegal or unenforceable, shall be severed from the remainder of this Ordinance and all other terms thereof shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty days after passage, and shall continue in full force and effect each calendar year thereafter.


ORDAINED and ENACTED by the Parkesburg Borough Council this 21st day of November 2022.

PARKESBURG BOROUGH COUNCIL



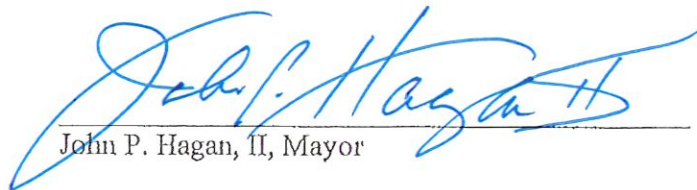
Sharon L. Wolf, Borough Council President

ATTEST:



Rebecca Durnall, Secretary

Approved this 21st day of November 2022.



John P. Hagan, II, Mayor