

CITY OF CHEVIOT
STATE OF OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 25-03

A RESOLUTION OF NECESSITY TO LEVY A 3 MILL TAX IN EXCESS OF THE 10 MILL LIMITATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ROAD IMPROVEMENT IN THE CITY OF CHEVIOT, OHIO, IN ACCORDANCE WITH R.C. 5705.03, 5705.19(G), AND 5705.191.

The Cheviot City Council met in regular session on January 21, 2025, with the following members present:

David Voss
John Hardig
Brian Smyth
Lindsay Keeble
Stefanie Hawk
Troy Borgmann
Amy Richter

Amy Richter moved for the adoption of this resolution.

WHEREAS, the amount of tax that will be raised within the ten mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements of the City of Cheviot, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to levy a tax in excess of the ten mill limitation; and

WHEREAS, the levy would be for the purpose of road improvement, said purpose being authorized by R.C. 5705.19(G); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.C. 5705.03, a resolution declaring the necessity of levying a 3 mill tax for road improvement, outside of the ten mill limitation, must be approved and certified to the Hamilton County Auditor in order to permit the city council to consider the levy of such a tax and must request that the Hamilton County Auditor certify to the City Council the total current tax valuation of the City. The City further requests that the County Auditor certify to the City Council the number of mills required to generate a specified amount of revenue or the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by a specified number of mills.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEVIOT, STATE OF OHIO, TWO-THIRDS OF ALL MEMBERS THEREOF CONCURRING, THAT:

Section 1. The amount of tax that will be raised within the ten mill limitation will be insufficient to provide for the necessary requirements of the City of Cheviot, Ohio.

Section 2. It is necessary to levy a 3 mill tax in excess of the ten mill limitation.

Section 3. Pursuant to Section 5705.03(8)(1):

- a) The purpose of the tax is road improvement in the City of Cheviot.
- b) The levy is a renewal levy.

c) Sections 5705.03, 5705.19(G), 5705.191, and 5705.25 authorize the submission of the question of the tax.

d) The term of the levy shall be five (5) years.

e) The tax shall be on the entire territory of the City of Cheviot.

f) The question of the tax shall appear on the ballot of the May 6, 2025, primary election.

g) The ballot measure is to be submitted to the entire territory of the city.

h) The tax will be first levied in tax year 2025. The tax will be first collected in calendar year 2026.

i) The City of Cheviot is wholly located within Hamilton County, Ohio, and does not have territory in any other county.

Section 4. Pursuant to R.C. 5705.03(8)(1), the Cheviot City Auditor is hereby directed to certify a copy of this resolution to the Hamilton County Auditor.

Section 5. This council hereby requests that the Hamilton County Auditor certify to the City of Cheviot the following information:

a) The total current tax valuation of the City of Cheviot, Ohio.

b) The dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by a 3 mill levy.

Section 6. All formal actions of this city council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the council, and all deliberations of this council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were conducted in meetings which were open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including R.C. 121.22.

Section 7. This resolution shall take effect and be in full force and effect immediately upon adoption.



Kerry Smyth
President of Council



Date passed



Samuel D. Keller
Mayor



Date approved

Attest:


Jenny M. Eilermann
Clerk of Council

Approved as to form:


Kimberlee Erdman Rohr
Law Director

CERTIFICATE OF TRUE AND ACCURATE COPY

I, Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of the Council of the City of Cheviot, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, Resolution No. 25-03, is taken and copied from the original record of proceedings of the Council of the City of Cheviot, Hamilton County, Ohio, that it has been compared by me with the resolution of record, and that it is a true and accurate copy. I further certify that the adoption of the resolution occurred in an open meeting held in compliance with R.C. 121.22.

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

I, Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of the Council of the City of Cheviot, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, or a succinct summary, was published in the *Cincinnati Court Index*, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cheviot, Ohio, in accordance with Section 731.21 of the Ohio Revised Code, on the following dates:

- 1) 1/31, 2025, and
- 2) 1/31, 2025.


Jenny M. Eilermann
Clerk of Council