

ORDINANCE NO.	<u>2024- 62</u>	FIRST READING	<u>June 10, 2024</u>
		SECOND READING	<u>WAIVED</u>
INTRODUCED BY:	<u>CHRIS BERGER</u>	THIRD READING	<u>WAIVED</u>

ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 2021-66 WHICH AUTHORIZES THE EXPENDITURE OF VILLAGE FUNDS AND THE REIMBURSEMENT BY THE VILLAGE FISCAL OFFICER FOR FOOD AND DRINK EXPENDITURES INCURRED BY VILLAGE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES AT CERTAIN EVENTS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, On October 25, 2021, Village Council adopted Ordinance No. 2021-66, which amended Ordinance No. 2004-6, authorizing the expenditure of Village funds and the reimbursement by the Fiscal Officer for food and drink expenditures incurred by Village officials and employees at certain events that served the Village's interests, were in the public interest, and were for a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council desires to amend said authorization to include other specific events.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of South Russell, Geauga County, Ohio that:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Ordinance No. 2021-66 (and Ordinance No. 2004-6) is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced to read as follows:

“The events listed in Section 1 herein shall not be exclusive and such expenditures are similarly authorized at other Village sponsored functions, such as the Fall Festival, Trash Days, Cops and Kids Fishing event, the Bike Rodeo, and the Veterans’ Breakfast or Lunch.”

SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees on or after December 2, 1975, that resulted in formal actions, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22, Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Village of South Russell and for the further reason this Ordinance must be immediately effective so that any expenditures of Village funds incurred by Village officials or employees at certain events occurring in the near future may be so authorized pursuant hereto; wherefore provided it receives the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected to Council, this Ordinance

shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its passage by this Council and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force after the earliest period allowed by law.

William G. Koons
MAYOR-PRESIDENT COUNCIL

ATTEST:

Danuelle Romonowski
Fiscal Officer

I certify that Ordinance No. 2024-62 was duly enacted on the 10TH day of JUNE, 2024, by the Council of the Village of South Russell, and published in accordance with the Codified Ordinances of the Village.

Danuelle Romonowski
Fiscal Officer