

ORDINANCE NO: 2026- 13 FIRST READING: February 5, 2025  
INTRODUCED BY: Chris Berger SECOND READING February 7, 2026  
THIRD READING February 17, 2026

ORDINANCE CERTIFYING TRANSFER OF FUNDS  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

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

SECTION 1. The following is hereby certified to be transferred up to:

FROM: Income Tax Fund	TO: Safety Fund	\$1,440,000
	Operating Fund	375,000
	Street Maintenance Fund	39,000
	Special Bldg & Land	170,000
	General Fund	460,000
	Parks & Recreation Fund	21,000
	Large Equipment Fund	100,000
	Bell East Fund	360,000

SECTION 2. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, welfare and safety of the residents of the Village of South Russell and for the further reason that the funds are needed immediately to meet the budgetary obligations of the Village.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage.

SECTION 4. It is hereby found and determined that all formal action 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 any of its committees on or after December 2, 1975, that resulted in formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22, Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026.

William J. Koma  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Danielle Romanowski  
FISCAL OFFICER

I certify that Ordinance No. 2026- 13 was duly enacted on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026 by the Council of the Village of South Russell and posted in accordance with the Ordinances of the Village.

Danielle Romanowski  
FISCAL OFFICER