

ORDINANCE NO. 5-25

ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 131.06, FEE SCHEDULE FOR THE SERVICE AND RETURN OF WRITS AND ORDERS, OF THE PORT CLINTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, from time to time it is necessary to update and amend outdated Ordinances to meet the current needs of the City; and

WHEREAS, Section 131.06 needs to be updated and amended to meet the current mileage expenses associated with serving warrants to arrest.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, County of Ottawa and State of Ohio:

Section 1. 131.06 FEE SCHEDULE FOR THE SERVICE AND RETURN OF WRITS AND ORDERS.

(a) The City of Port Clinton Police Department shall charge the following fees for the service and return of the following writs and orders, which the court or its clerk shall tax in the bill of costs against the judgment debtor or those legally liable therefore for the judgment:

- (1) Warrant to arrest, for each person named in the writ, twenty dollars (\$20.00) and one dollar (\$1.00) per mile with a minimum of two (2) miles; and
- (2) Subpoena, for each person named in the writ, in either a civil or criminal case, ten dollars (\$10.00).

(b) The designated account for the service and return of writs and orders will be the Writs and Orders Fund.

Section 2. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and any of its committees concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council or committees, and that all deliberations of this Council, and any of its committees, that resulted in those actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 3. This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City, and for the further reason that this Ordinance is required to update outdated section 131.06; **wherefore**, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: _____, 2025

President of Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of Council

Approve _____, 2025

Mayor