ORDINANCE 01-21

AN ORDINANCE TO LEVY A PERMISSIVE MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX PURSUANT TO OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 4504.173 AND 4504.172

WHEREAS, The Village of Hebron desires to levy a permissive motor vehicle license tax; and

WHEREAS, The Council of the Village of Hebron believes that the residents, homeowners and visitors of the Village of Hebron will be more effectively served by the addition of a permissive motor vehicle tax to generate revenue and to supplement revenues already available for purposes authorized by Section 4504.173(A)(2) and 4504.06 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF HEBRON, STATE OF OHIO, WITH A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING THAT:

<u>Section I</u>: There is hereby levied an annual license tax upon the operation of motor vehicles on the public roads of the Village of Hebron, Ohio, pursuant to Section 4504.173 and 4504.172 of the Ohio Revised Code, for the purposes of planning, constructing, improving, maintaining, and repairing public roads and streets, and to provide additional revenue for the purposes authorized by Section 4504.173(A)(2) and 4504.06 of the Ohio Revised Code, and to supplement revenues already available for such purposes.

<u>Section II</u>: The license tax referenced above in Section I shall be at the rate of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per motor vehicle per year, on each and every motor vehicle the district of registration of which, as defined in Section 4503.10 of the Ohio Revised Code, is in the Village of Hebron, Ohio.

<u>Section III:</u> As used in this ordinance, the term "motor vehicle" shall include all vehicles so defined in Sections 4501.01 and 4505.01 of the Ohio Revised Code.

<u>Section IV:</u> The annual tax imposed by this ordinance shall apply to and be in effect for the registration year commencing January 1, 2022 and shall continue in effect and application during each registration year thereafter.

<u>Section V:</u> The annual tax imposed by this ordinance shall be paid to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles of the State of Ohio, or to a Deputy Registrar, at the time application for registration of a motor vehicle is made as provided in Section 4503.10 of the Ohio Revised Code.

<u>Section VI:</u> All revenues derived from the annual tax levied herein shall be used by the Village of Hebron for the purposes specified in this ordinance, or any other purpose authorized by state law.

<u>Section VII:</u> It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

<u>Section VIII</u>: As required by Section 4504.173(B)(1) and 4504.172, this ordinance is not adopted as an emergency measure and shall be and remain in force from and after the earliest date permitted by law.

Passed this 24th day of February, 2021.

_____(on file)_____ JAMES LAYTON, MAYOR

_____(on file)_____ DEBORAH MORGAN, VILLAGE FISCAL OFFICER

APPROVED AS TO FORM: Wesley K. Untied, Village Solicitor