## **ORDINANCE 14-20**

## AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE EMPLOYMENT AND APPOINTMENT OF LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE VILLAGE OF HEBRON

WHEREAS, the contract with Wesley K. Untied, to serve as Solicitor, for the Village of Hebron, Ohio is effective through December 31, 2020, and

WHEREAS, the Village is desirous of continuing to engage Wesley K Untied as Solicitor, and

WHEREAS, Wesley K. Untied is willing to continue to so serve, and

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

<u>Section I</u>: Wesley K. Untied, Attorney at Law, be, and hereby is, employed and designated as the Solicitor (legal counsel) for the Village of Hebron, Ohio, commencing on the 1st day of January, 2021, and ending on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2021.

<u>Section II</u>: Payment is authorized to be made for said employment in the following manner:

- A. For regular services, retainer, attendance at regular meetings of the Council, review and coordinate the preparation of ordinances, approval of contracts, advice to Village Officials, and for such other duties as do not require research, written opinions or correspondence, the sum of Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$14,700.00) per annum, payable in equal monthly installments of One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Five Dollars and no cents (\$1,225.00).
- B. For such services as are rendered by the Solicitor at the request of the Council or any Village Official, such as, but not limited to, rendering written opinions to Village Officials, representation or defense of the Village in any lawsuit to which the Village is a party; attendance at all meetings of the Council other than regular monthly meetings or at any other board or agency meeting of the Village of Hebron, including meetings which take place outside the Village of Hebron, to be paid on an hourly basis at the rate of \$100.00 per hour, such sum to be paid upon the rendering of an itemized statement of services to the council and approval by the officer or agency for whom such services were performed, and to be paid monthly.
- C. The Village of Hebron shall pay dues for the annual membership in the Ohio Municipal Attorneys Association for the Solicitor.

<u>Section III:</u> This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force at the earliest date allowed by law.

Passed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020

\_\_\_\_(on file)\_\_\_\_\_ JAMES LAYTON, MAYOR

\_\_\_\_(on file)\_\_\_\_ DEBORAH MORGAN, FISCAL OFFICER

APPROVED AS TO FORM: Wesley K. Untied, Solicitor