FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION NO. 23-127

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE POSITION OF FULL-TIME LIEUTENANTS FOR THE FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT AND AURHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.

WHEREAS: Per the recommendation of the Fairfield Township Fire Chief, the Board of Trustees has determined a need exists for additional Lieutenants for the Fire Department;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees of Fairfield Township, Butler County, Ohio, as follows;

- SECTION 1: The Board hereby authorizes the establishment of full-time Lieutenant positions for the Fire Department as outlined in the MOU, attached hereto as Exhibit A, pursuant to RC 505.37, and authorize the Administrator to sign the MOU.
- SECTION 2: The Board hereby dispenses with the requirement that this resolution be read on two separate days, pursuant to RC 504.10, and authorizes the adoption of this resolution upon its first reading.
- SECTION 3 This resolution is the subject of the general authority granted to the Board of Trustees through the Ohio Revised Code and not the specific authority granted to the Board of Trustees through the status as a Limited Home Rule Township.
- SECTION 4: That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were taken in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5: This resolution shall take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

Adopted: September 12, 2023

Michael Berding:

Shannon Hartkemeyer:

Joe McAbee:

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<u>AUTHENTICATION</u>

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Lawrence E. Barbiere, Township Assistant Law Director

Memorandum of Understanding Fairfield Township Board of Trustees and I.A.F.F. Local #5276

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is restricted to only one condition, as listed below. This modification shall become a permanent Section of the Collective Bargaining Agreement that expires August 31, 2024. This MOU does not create an additional Bargaining Unit Classification.

Article 26

<u>Wages</u>

Section 1

E. The rate of Pay for a full-time Fairfield Township Lieutenant with the Fairfield Township Fire Department shall be eight percent (8%) higher than a top-step Fairfield Township Firefighter Paramedic. This MOU does not create an additional Bargaining Unit Classification. All other conditions of employment are the same as stated for a Full-time Firefighter.

For Fairfield Township

For I.A.F.F. 5276

September 12, 2023