

**CITY OF XENIA, OHIO
ORDINANCE NUMBER 10 - 31**

ORDINANCE ADOPTING PROPOSED AMENDMENT TITLED “ARTICLE XVI: SAFETY SERVICES” TO THE XENIA CITY CHARTER FOR APPROVAL BY THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF XENIA, OHIO, AT THE NEXT REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION, ESTABLISHING METHOD OF PUBLICATION OF SAID AMENDMENT, AND DECLARING IT TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Xenia City Charter was adopted by the electorate of the City of Xenia at the general election on November 3, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Section 14.01 Charter Amendments of the Xenia City Charter states the Charter may be amended as provided in the Constitution and general laws of the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the Xenia City Council wishes to put an amendment to the City Charter before the electorate of the City of Xenia at the next regular general election to be held November 2, 2010.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City of Xenia hereby ordains:


Section 1. The proposed Charter amendment attached hereto and marked Exhibit A, is hereby adopted and approved, and the original hereof shall be sent forthwith to the Greene County Board of Elections for placement on the ballot at the next regular general election to be held on November 2, 2010.

Section 2. The City Clerk shall cause notice of this proposed amendment be given to the electors of the City of Xenia by publishing the full text of the proposed amendment once a week for two consecutive weeks prior to the election in the *Xenia Daily Gazette*, with the first publication at least fifteen (15) days prior to the election.

Section 3. The City Clerk shall cause notice of this proposed amendment to be given to the electors of the City of Xenia by publishing the full text of the proposed amendment on the City’s website and by publishing a summary of the proposed amendment on the City’s cable channel beginning at least thirty (30) days prior to the election.

Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency in order to meet the filing deadline of 4:00 p.m., August 4, 2010.

Passed: July 29, 2010
Effective: July 30, 2010


Patricia L. Felton
President, Xenia City Council

Attest:

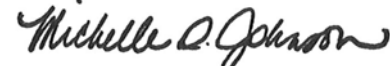

Michelle D. Johnson
Clerk, Xenia City Council

EXHIBIT A

ARTICLE XVI: SAFETY SERVICES

The Safety Director may utilize volunteers, temporary and/or part-time firefighters, emergency medical technicians, auxiliary police officers and/or part-time police officers as a part of any manning requirement.

This amendment shall become effective and take effect immediately upon passage by the voters.