

VILLAGE OF OTTOVILLE, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-09

BE IT RESOLVED BY COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF OTTOVILLE, COUNTY OF PUTNAM, AND STATE OF OHIO, two-thirds of the members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION I. That Austin Buchholz shall be, and he is, hereby employed as Village Solicitor for the Village of Ottoville for year 2026, at the rate of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per hour, payable monthly based on itemized statements furnished to the Village Fiscal Officer. In addition to the One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per hour, he shall be reimbursed for actual out of pocket expenses and for mileage at the rate designated by the Internal Revenue Service, for miles driven on behalf of the Village outside the Village of Ottoville.

SECTION II. That for said compensation, he shall attend Council meetings, plus all Executive Sessions of Council and Board of Public Affairs meetings, when requested. He shall attend Planning Commission hearings, when requested. He shall be responsible for all general ordinances, resolutions, contracts and any and all other documents requiring legal interpretation or expertise, except note and bond issues. He shall render opinions required by Village authorities and represent the Village in all cases in the various courts of this State and before any administrative agency, when the representation involves matters within his area of expertise.

SECTION III. This Resolution is hereby determined to be an emergency measure and shall take effect as of January 1, 2026, provided that it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected to the Village Council.

ADOPTED: December 15, 2025

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Michelle T. DeGrauch
Fiscal Officer, Village of Ottoville

Ronald M. Miller
Mayor, Village of Ottoville