AN ORDINANCE APPROVING MAYOR LINDA SAVAGE'S APPOINTMENT OF MICKEY BRANDON AS VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR, APPROVING HIS RESIDENCY OUTSIDE THE VILLAGE, AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH MICKEY BRANDON, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, in December 1995, with Ordinance 95-19, Council for the Village of Thornville abolished the Board of Public Affairs and created the position of Village Administrator in accordance with R.C. 735.271; and

WHEREAS, with Ordinance No. 12-05, Council for the Village of Thornville amended Ordinance 95-19, thereby amending the job duties, hours of work, and pay for the position of Village Administrator. The Village Administrator's salary currently is set forth in Ordinance 17-13; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.C. 735.271, with Resolution No. 12-011, Council for the Village of Thornville approved and confirmed the Mayor's appointment of Beth Patrick to serve as Village Administrator. Following this appointment and confirmation, the Parties entered into several successive Employment Agreements that memorialized the terms and conditions of Beth Patrick's employment; and

WHEREAS, Beth Patrick retired on April 13, 2018, after almost six years of dedication and outstanding service to the Village and its residents; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.C. 735.271, Mayor Linda Savage appointed Mickey Brandon to serve as the next Village Administrator; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornville seeks an individual who possesses the skill, training, and experience in local government to serve as the Village's next Administrator; and

WHEREAS, Council for the Village of Thornville believes Mickey Brandon meets those standards and wants to enter into an employment agreement with him.

NOW, **THEREFORE**, **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the Village of Thornville, County of Perry, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1: Council for the Village of Thornville hereby approves Mayor Savage's appointment of Mickey Brandon to serve as Village Administrator for the Village of Thornville.

SECTION 2: At the time of his appointment, Mickey Brandon did not reside within the Village of Thornville. And, he does not plan to move to the Village within the next six

months. Council for the Village of Thornville hereby approves Mickey Brandon's residency outside the Village of Thornville.

- SECTION 3: Council for the Village of Thornville hereby authorizes and directs the Mayor, on behalf of the Village of Thornville, to execute an employment agreement, in substantially the same form and content as the Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference, with Mickey Brandon.
- SECTION 4: All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Ordinance is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent part thereof.
- SECTION 5: It is hereby 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 any and all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements of the laws of the State of Ohio.
- SECTION 6: Council declares this to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of this municipality and the further reason that Council needs to fill the vacant village administrator position as soon as possible. Wherefore, provided this Ordinance receives the required affirmative votes of Council, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon passage by Council.

Passed in Council this _____ 29 ___ day of _____ 2018.

Linda Savage, Mayor

ATTEST:

Dan Harmon

President Pro Tempore of Council

APPROVED:

Approved as to form this 18th day of May 2018:

Brian M. Zets, Esq.

Village Solicitor