

ORDINANCE 25-30

ADOPTED 12-15-25

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 4.02 OF THE RULES OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNVILLE COUNCIL AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, R.C. 731.45 and Council Rule 2.03 allow Council for the Village of Thornville to determine, and subsequently amend, its own rules; and

WHEREAS, since adopting The Rules of the Village of Thornville Council, Council amended these rules in 2007, 2022, and again earlier this year; and

WHEREAS, with Ordinance 25-04, adopted on January 27, 2025, Council for the Village of Thornville amended Section 4 (Council Meetings), among various other rule changes, to include a second council meeting per month; and

WHEREAS, Council for the Village of Thornville now wants to change the dates of its monthly meetings from the second and fourth Mondays to the first and third Mondays.

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

SECTION 1: Council for the Village of Thornville hereby amends Section 4.02 of the Rules of the Village of Thornville Council to read as follows:

4.02 Regular council meetings shall be held on the first and third Monday of each month. Meetings shall be convened in the Council meeting room of the Village Office Building, 3 South Main Street, at 7:00 P.M. or in an alternate public place within the Village of Thornville corporation limits, provided that public notice shall be posted at least twenty- four (24) hours prior to the meeting time. In the event that a regular meeting presents a conflict for a majority of members, Council or the Mayor may establish an alternate date, or cancel the regular meeting provided the public notice is posted at least twenty- four (24) hours prior to cancellation of the regular meeting and twenty- fours (24) hours prior to the rescheduled meeting time.

SECTION 2: All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Ordinance is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent part thereof.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 3: 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 in open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements of the laws of the State of Ohio.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance is hereby declared an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Village and for the further reason that Council needs to adopt this Ordinance as soon as possible so that its meeting schedule is adjusted next month. Wherefore, provided this Ordinance receives the required affirmative votes of Council, it shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon passage by Council.


Passed in Council this 15th day of December, 2025


Amanda Lackey, Mayor

ATTEST:


Clerk of Council

Approved as to form this 4th day of December 2025:



Brian M. Zets, Esq.
Village Solicitor