

RESOLUTION NO. 26-03

ADOPTED ON 3-2-2026

A RESOLUTION TO HIRE ERIC WILKINS AS THE VILLAGE OF THORNVILLE ZONING INSPECTOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, there currently is a vacancy in the position of Zoning Inspector for the Village of Thornville; and

WHEREAS, while the Zoning Inspector's duties and responsibilities are very important, the job is not full-time and wanes considerably in the winter. As such, these duties could be performed by another village official; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor recommends hiring the current Village Administrator, Eric Wilkins, to fill this vacancy and serve the Village in both roles; and

WHEREAS, Council for the Village of Thornville understands the importance of this position and believes Eric Wilkins has the necessary experience to serve as the next Village Zoning Inspector.

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

SECTION 1: Council for the Village of Thornville hereby hires Eric Wilkins as Zoning Inspector for the Village of Thornville.

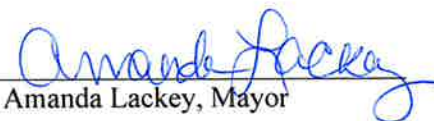
SECTION 2: Eric Wilkins shall be paid separately, according to the current (and as later amended) Village of Thornville Compensation and Pay Schedule, for time spent working as Village Administrator and Zoning Inspector. To accomplish this, Eric Wilkins must keep detailed and accurate records for the time he works at each job.

SECTION 3: All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Resolution is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent parts thereof.

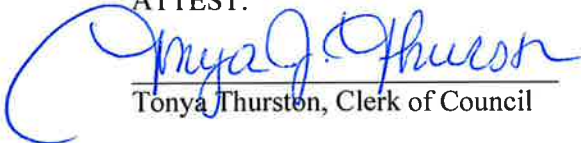
SECTION 4: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that any and all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements of the laws of the State of Ohio.

SECTION 5: This Resolution 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 the Village must fill this position as soon as possible. Wherefore, provided this Resolution 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 3rd day of March, 2026.


Amanda Lackey, Mayor

ATTEST:


Tonya Thurston, Clerk of Council

APPROVED:

Approved as to form this 26th day of February 2026


Brian M. Zets, Esq.
Village Solicitor