

RESOLUTION NO: 26-11
ADOPTED ON: 8-3-2026

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO NEW “WELCOME TO THORNVILLE” SIGNS WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE BUCKEYE LAKE REGIONAL CORPORATION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornville currently has two “Welcome to Thornville” signs, located at 320 E. Columbus Street as well as 1st Street (Lutheran Reformed Cemetery), which serve as gateway markers for residents and visitors entering the Village; and

WHEREAS, over the years, these signs have deteriorated due to age and exposure to the elements, resulting in an unsightly appearance and creating a less than welcoming entrance to the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Buckeye Lake Regional Corporation agreed to fund 90% of the purchase price for two replacement “Welcome to Thornville” signs to help ensure the Village’s gateways are enhanced with visually appealing and inviting signage. After this generous donation, the Village anticipates its share of the cost will be \$3,000.00 - \$5,000.00; and

WHEREAS, Council of the Village of Thornville now wants to take advantage of this generous donation and authorize the Village Administrator, or his designee, to procure replacement “Welcome to Thornville” signs before the cost increases.

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 authorizes and directs the Village Administrator, or his designee, to purchase two new “Welcome to Thornville”. Under no circumstances shall the Village’s share / contribution to this purchase exceed \$5,000.00. These signs will replace the signs located at 320 E. Columbus Street as well as 1st Street (Lutheran Reformed Cemetery).

SECTION 2: All prior legislation, or any parts thereof, which is/are inconsistent with this Resolution is/are hereby repealed as to the inconsistent part thereof.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 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 4: This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Thornville and the further reason that Council needs to take advantage of this generous donation and order these signs before there is a cost increases, as more fully explained in the whereas clauses which are incorporated here by reference. Wherefore, provided this Resolution receives the required affirmative votes of Council, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon passage by Council.

Passed in Council this 3rd day of August, 2026.

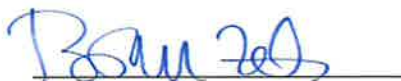

Dale Brussee, Council President

ATTEST:


Tonya Thurston, Clerk of Council

APPROVED:

Approved as to form this 29th day of July 2026


Brian M. Zets, Esq.
Village Solicitor