

**VILLAGE OF CRIDERSVILLE**  
**SPECIAL MEETING**  
**January 25, 2021**

The meeting was held at the Village Hall  
Due to Covid-19 restrictions, residents are required to attend the meeting by phone, dial 1-971-224-6574, enter code 647559.

Mayor Rick Walls called the Special Council meeting to order. The purpose of the meeting was to amend and replace Resolution #2405 passed after three (3) readings at the January 19, 2021 meeting regarding the addition of a ½% income tax with a new resolution that adds wording required by Ed Pierce and the Auglaize County Board of Elections.

Present were: Mayor Rick Walls, Solicitor Angela Elliott, Fiscal Officer Susan Bassitt, Council members: Joe Bailey, Stacey Cook, Rick Allen and Dorance Thompson and Dylan Lauck. Eric West was unable to attend. Administrator Jarid Kohlrieser attended by phone and set up the system to enable other people to join by telephone.

Mayor Walls asked for a motion to read Resolution #2411 by title only. Motion was made by Bailey, seconded by Allen. Motion passed 5-0.

Mayor Walls read **#2411 by title, a resolution amending and replacing Resolution #2405 and declaring the necessity of an election on the question of approving the passage of an ordinance to amend ordinance #1606 of the ordinances of the Village of Cridersville in order to increase the income tax rate from one percent to one and one half percent beginning July 01,2021 and with the increase to continue until such time as the electors of the Village vote to amend said rate for the purposes as provided in Ordinance #1606 of the ordinances of the Village of Cridersville and declaring an emergency.** After filing Resolution #2405, the Auglaize County Board of Elections notified the Village they require Ohio Revised Code 718.04 be referenced in the resolution. Village Solicitor Angela Elliott added the following paragraph on page one of Resolution #2411. "THAT Section 718.04 of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) requires that such an income tax in excess of one percent shall not be levied without first having been approved by a majority of the electors of the Village voting on the question at a general, primary, or special election." No other changes were made from the original Resolution #2405.

Mayor Walls asked for a motion to pass Resolution #2411 and declaring an emergency. Motion made by Cook and seconded by Bailey. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Cook and seconded by Bailey. Motion passed 5-0.

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Susan Bassitt, Fiscal Officer

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Rick Walls, Mayor