

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH LEBANON, OHIO
RESOLUTION NO. 2020-33**

**A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION OF THE FIRST RESPONDERS THAT SERVE
THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH LEBANON, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Village of South Lebanon is committed to expressing our gratitude and appreciation to all the men and women who serve in law enforcement, fire protection and emergency medical services (“First Responders”). These men and women advance the noble work of protecting and preserving life, peace and harmony for the people of the Village of South Lebanon; and,

WHEREAS, the Village of South Lebanon recognizes the challenges these men and women face daily as they perform their duties and responsibilities to uphold the public welfare and safety of all persons; and,

WHEREAS, the Village of South Lebanon will continue to work to build and preserve peace, harmony and goodwill between the community and our First Responders by honoring and encouraging the expression of community wide support towards the men and women that put their lives on the line every day in their service to our Community; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council of South Lebanon desires to honor and recognize our First Responders for their service and sacrifice to our Community; and

WHEREAS, immediate action is required to honor our law enforcement, fire and emergency medical services personnel, and such action is necessary in order to preserve the public peace, health, safety or welfare of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of South Lebanon, Ohio, at least two-thirds of all members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the Council hereby expresses their appreciation and gratitude for all of the work and sacrifice of the First Responders that serve the Village of South Lebanon, including the Warren County Sheriff’s Office, the Union Township Fire Rescue, Hamilton Township Fire Rescue.

Section 2. That the recitals contained within the Whereas Clauses set forth above are incorporated by reference herein.

Section 3. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code § 731.30 for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare; and, this Resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its passage.

Section 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of Council in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Adopted this 3rd day of September, 2020.

Attest:


Nicole Armstrong, Fiscal Officer/Clerk 
James D. Smith, Mayor

Rules Suspended: / /2020 (if applicable)

Effective Date – / /2020

Vote - 4 Yeas

___ Nays

First Reading – / /2020

Effective Date – / /2020

Second Reading – / /2020

Third Reading – / /2020

Vote - ___ Yeas

___ Nays

Prepared by and approved as to form:

PAUL R. REVELSON
VILLAGE SOLICITOR
SOUTH LEBANON, OHIO

By: 

Date: 9/3/2020