ORDINANCE NO: 14 – 1104

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH UNITED CHRISTIAN SERVICES, INC TO OPERATE A FOOD PANTRY ON VILLAGE PROPERTY IN THE VILLAGE OF RUSSELLS POINT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE VILLAGE OF RUSSELLS POINT, OHIO

WHEREAS, United Christian Services, Inc. operates a food pantry in the Indian Lake area to provide services to residents of the Indian Lake area; and

WHEREAS, United Christian Services, Inc. can no longer provide services to the public at the current location of the food pantry due to the termination of its current lease at the end of the month; and

WHEREAS, United Christian Services, Inc. has approached this Council to lease space in the Village building to operate the food pantry; and

WHEREAS, this Council believes a food pantry is an essential service for the residents of the Village and the Indian Lake area generally; and

WHEREAS, the Village building has adequate space to accommodate the food pantry; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Russells Point, Ohio:

SECTION I: The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to enter into a lease agreement with United Christian Services, Inc. to operate a food pantry at the Village Municipal Building provided that the plans for the space in the building are approved by the Ohio Department of Commerce and the lease agreement is approved by the Village Solicitor.

SECTION II: That it is 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 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 Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION III: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety in the Village of Russells Point to continue to provide a food pantry service to the residents of the Village. This ordinance shall go into immediate effect provided that it receives a two thirds vote of all members of Village Council.

Steve Reid	Robin Reames
President Pro Tem of Council	Mayor
Attested:	Approved as to Form
Jeff Weidner	Robert N. Eshenbaugh Jr.
Fiscal Officer	Village Solicitor