

**AMELIA VILLAGE, OHIO**  
**Ordinance O-2015-26A**

**AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING JEFFREY WOOD TO THE POSITION OF POLICE CHIEF  
(VILLAGE MARSHAL) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the Village Police Chief resigned from employment, effective November 11, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, since that time, Jeffrey Wood has been appointed as Interim Police Chief to handle the day-to day operations of the Village until such time as a Police Chief was appointed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village Mayor, after authorization from Village Council, advertised for the position of Police Chief; and

**WHEREAS**, several qualified applicants submitted resumes and the Mayor conducted interviews of such candidates; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to R.C. 737.15, the Mayor recommends that Jeffrey Wood be appointed to the position of Police Chief.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it ordained by Council of Amelia Village that:

**SECTION I.** Jeffrey Wood is hereby appointed by the Mayor and approved by a majority of the Village Council of Amelia Village as the Village Police Chief (Village Marshal) according to the Police Chief Job Description previously developed and approved by Council.

**SECTION II.** Jeffrey Wood is appointed to the position of Village Police Chief (Village Marshal) at the annual salary of Forty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$48,000.00). Mr. Wood shall begin his duties as Village Police Chief (Village Marshal) on April 14, 2015, unless an earlier or later date is agreed to by the Mayor.

**SECTION III.** Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 737. 17, Mr. Wood shall serve a probationary period of six months; at the end of the probationary period, the Mayor with the concurrence of Village Council shall appoint him as permanent Police Chief or reinstate him to his former position of Police Sergeant.

**SECTION IV.** Village Council hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with applicable legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION V.** This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare of the Village, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to approve this at the earliest possible time, in order to ensure the efficient and effective operations of the Amelia Village Police Department and to ensure the safety and security of the residents of Amelia Village. Therefore, provided this emergency clause receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

(Mrs. Gerber) RG moved to suspend the rules requiring three readings on three separate dates.

(Mr. Campbell) DC seconded the motion.

	Yea	Nay	Absent
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Chris Dickerson.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Brandon Hatton.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Katie Krafka.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Mrs. Gerber) RG moved for the adoption of the ordinance.

(Mr. Campbell) DC seconded the motion.

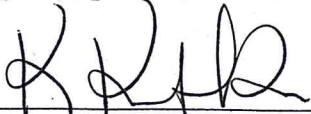
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(Mrs. Gerber) RG moved for the adoption of the emergency clause.

(Mr. Campbell) DC seconded the motion.

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Adopted April 14, 2015

  
Katie Krafka, Clerk Pro Tempore

  
Todd Hart, Mayor