AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF INNSBROOK, MISSOURI, TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE TO DISCLOSE POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND SUBSTANTIAL INTERESTS FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees of the Village of Innsbrook readopted Ordinance No. 335 on August 8, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Missouri state statute requires that a conflict-of-interest ordinance be readopted every two years; now

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF INNSBROOK, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. <u>Declaration of Policy</u>. The proper operation of municipal government requires that public officials and employees be independent, impartial and responsible to the people. The goals are that government decisions and policy be made in the proper channels of the governmental structure; that public office not be used for personal gain; and that the public have confidence in the integrity of its government. In recognition of these goals, there is hereby established a procedure for disclosure by certain officials and employees of private financial and other interests in matters affecting the village.

SECTION 2. <u>Conflicts of Interest.</u> The Chairman or any member of the Board of Trustees who has a substantial personal or private interest, as defined by state law, in any bill shall disclose on the records of the Village of Innsbrook the nature of his interest and shall disqualify himself from voting on any matters relating to this interest.

SECTION 3. <u>Disclosure Reports.</u> Since the Village of Innsbrook has an annual budget under \$1 million the Missouri Ethics Commission has determined that no member of the Board of Trustees or the Village Administrator has to file a financial disclosure statement.

SECTION 4: Filing of Ordinance. The Village Administrator shall send a certified copy of this ordinance to the Missouri Ethics Commission within ten days of its adoption.

SECTION 5: Effective Date. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect and shall remain in effect until amended or repealed by the Village of Innsbrook Board of Trustees.

Said Bill was passed and approved this 15th day of April, 2025, by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Innsbrook, Missouri, after having been read by title or in full two times prior to passage.

Chairman, Daniel E. Reuter Village of Innsbrook, Missouri

Village Clerk, Karen Denson