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MASSILLON CITY COUNCIL CITY OF MASSILLON, OHIO GLENN E. GAMBER, PRESIDENT

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 24 - 2012

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BY: STREETS, HIGHWAYS, TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE amending CHAPTER 1188 "SIGNS" of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Massillon, by creating SubSection 1188.04 (e) "Vertical Neighborhood Association Banners Permitted", and declaring an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section I:

That hereby creates SubSection 1188.04 (e) "Vertical Neighborhood Association Banners Permitted" said newly created SubSection shall read as follows:

- (e) Vertical Neighborhood Association Banners Permitted
 - (1) Vertical banners may be suspended from lampposts or other utility poles in City neighborhoods for the purpose of identifying that specific locality in the City Access to lampposts or utility poles in the City's right of way may be granted to nonprofit, neighborhood associations provided the owner of the pole gives writ ten permission to the City.
 - (2) Applications for a permit shall be made by the neighborhood association sponsor ing the banners to the Building Department. A permit fee of twenty dollars (\$20.00) shall be charged for a maximum display of twenty banners. Banners may be permanently displayed provide that when damage and/or wear and tear occurs, the sponsoring association shall replace the banner in a reasonable amount of time. The City retains the right to remove any unsightly or damaged banners should the replacement guidelines be violated.
 - (3) The Building Department is authorized to adopt banner specifications, safety and aesthetic standards and other regulations to carry out the purpose of this section.

Section 3:

Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, It shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

I hereby certity that the foregoing ordinance is a true copy of the original, as passed by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, and approved as noted?thereon;

Clerk of Council

Date 4/4/4/3