

RESOLUTION NO. 14-2023

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
VILLAGE OF MARBLEHEAD TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO APPOINT
KOCHER & BARNEY AS SOLICITORS FOR THE VILLAGE OF MARBLEHEAD,
OHIO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, it is the finding of the Council that the Village of Marblehead and its various departments and officials have a need for the services of legal counsel on a regular and on-going basis; and

WHEREAS, it is the further finding of this Council that the law firm of Kocher & Barney are licensed and practicing attorneys and registered to practice law in the State of Ohio and are qualified to be appointed to the position of Solicitor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF MARBLEHEAD, OTTAWA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1.

The Village Administrator of the Village of Marblehead, Ohio is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the law firm of Kocher & Barney as Village Solicitor to represent the Village of Marblehead and its various departments and officials under the terms of the contract entered into by the parties on this date.

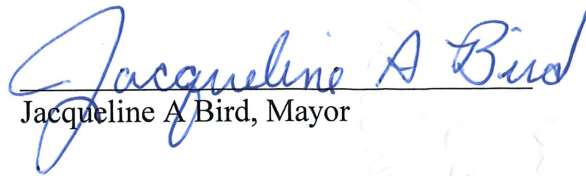
SECTION 2.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council regarding and relating to the passage of this Resolution 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 actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.


SECTION 3.

This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare. The reason for such necessity is the Village could be without legal counsel unless this Resolution is passed as an emergency measure and to protect its legal interests, this Resolution shall go into immediate effect.

Approved: Oct. 25, 2023


Jacqueline A Bird, Mayor

Attest:


Rhonda I. Sowers, Fiscal Officer

Adopted: Oct. 25, 2023