

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-12-02-005

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING MEMBERSHIP IN THE OHIO UTILITIES PROTECTION SERVICE (OUPS), EXECUTION OF THE Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (OHWARN), Mutual Aid Agreement referred to as OHWARN AGREEMENT, AND COMPLETION OF THE UTILITY PROFILE AND REGISTRATION.

WHEREAS, the Village of Wayne Lakes recognizes the importance of protecting underground utilities and complying with Ohio's One Call requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS) provides a statewide notification system to prevent damage to underground facilities and ensure public safety; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (OHWARN) facilitates mutual aid and resource sharing among utilities during emergencies; and

WHEREAS, membership in OUPS and execution of the OHWARN Agreement will enhance the Village's ability to protect critical infrastructure, coordinate with other utilities, and respond effectively to emergencies;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village of Wayne Lakes, State of Ohio:

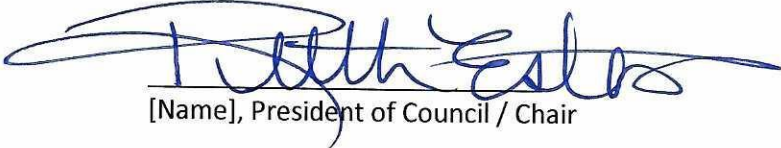
SECTION 1. That the Fiscal Officer/Clerk is hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to enroll the Village as a member of the Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS).

SECTION 2. That the Fiscal Officer/Clerk is further authorized to execute the OHWARN Agreement on behalf of the Village.

SECTION 3. That the Fiscal Officer/Clerk/Utilities Supervisor shall complete and submit the Utility Profile and Registration forms required for participation in OUPS and OHWARN.

SECTION 4. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: 1-20, 2026


[Name], President of Council / Chair

ATTEST:


[Name], Clerk of Council / Fiscal Officer

1 st Reading: 11/17/2025
2 nd Reading: 12/17/2025
3 rd Reading: