

ORDINANCE NO. 11-2021

TITLE: AMENDMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE RULES

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 42-2020 TO GIVE THE BARBERTON CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION THE FLEXIBILITY IN THE TESTING PROCESS BY ALLOWING ELECTRONIC APPLICATIONS AND EXAMINATIONS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Civil Service Commission unanimously voted to accept these changes on February 3, 2021.

WHEREAS, rules amended shall not be entirely inconsistent with the City of Barberton Civil Service Rules or the State Civil Service Rules, where applicable.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Barberton, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That Council hereby amends Ordinance No. 42-2020, by showing said amendment with a ~~strike through~~ for any deletions and **bold** for any additions to read as follows:

RULE VI – ENTRANCE EXAMINATION PROCEDURE

2. Entrance Examination

The purpose of the entrance examination shall be set forth in the Notice of Examination and shall be publicly posted through local newspapers, the City's website and other social media outlets, and by posting notices conspicuously on the City Hall bulletin boards, in the office of the Commission, and in such other places as may be deemed effective, not less than two (2) weeks prior to the last day on which applicants will be accepted for such examinations.

The Civil Service Commission, may by majority vote of the Commission, schedule entrance examinations in the Classified Service through the National Testing Network or other web-based testing vendor, for the administration of Entrance Examinations for Classified Service. To the Extent any other Rule conflicts with this Rule, this Rule prevails.

SECTION 2. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Barberton and the inhabitants thereof, for the reason that there are current vacancies and upcoming retirements within the City, and provided it receives the necessary votes required by the City Charter, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval; otherwise to be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed _____ 2021

Clerk of Council

President of Council

Approved _____ 2021

Mayor