

**ORDINANCE NO. 144-2021**

**TITLE: ENTER INTO CONTRACT  
OHM / ZONECO CONSULTING SERVICES**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH OHM / ZONECO CONSULTING SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$148,500 TO PROVIDE REVIEW AND ANALYSIS OF THE CITY'S CURRENT ZONING CODE, ADMINISTRATION, CODE WRITING AND RELATED SERVICES FOR AN UPDATE AND REWRITE TO THE EXISTING BARBERTON DEVELOPMENT CODE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**WHEREAS**, this proposed project will modernize the City's Development Code, and;

**WHEREAS**, the funding for this consulting service was included in the 2021 Planning Department's capital budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Barberton, Summit County, Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** That the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into contract with OHM / ZoneCo Consulting Services in the amount of One Hundred Forty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$148,500.00) to provide review and analysis of the City's current zoning code, administration, code writing, and related services for an update and rewrite to the existing Barberton Development Code.

**SECTION 2.** That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution 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 resolution 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, in order to have this passed in a timely fashion, 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

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Clerk of Council

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President of Council

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ 2021

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Mayor