

ORDINANCE NO. 88-2019

**TITLE: ENTER INTO CONTRACT
ANNUAL AUDITS – CITY OF BARBERTON**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH THE INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTING FIRM OF JULIAN AND GRUBE, INC., TO PERFORM ANNUAL AUDITS FOR THE CITY OF BARBERTON FROM JANUARY 1, 2019 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2020, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$38,000 PER YEAR, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Auditor of States Office has offered the City a two-year extension of our audit contract with the independent accounting firm of Julian & Grube Inc.; and

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

SECTION 1. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with the independent accounting firm of Julian and Grube, Inc., to perform annual audits for the City of Barberton, from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2020, in the amount of Thirty-Eight Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$38,000.00) per year.

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, due to scheduling the contract be entered into as soon as possible, 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 _____ 2019

Clerk of Council

President of Council

Approved _____ 2019

Mayor