

**ORDINANCE NO. 47-2026**

**TITLE: AMEND BARBERTON CHARTER**

**ARTICLE 5 SECTION 5.11**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING BARBERTON CHARTER ARTICLE 5 SECTION 5.11 TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT THAT SIX (6) PUBLIC PLACES IN THE MUNICIPALITY BE ESTABLISHED IF PUBLIC POSTING IS SELECTED FOR PUBLIC NOTICE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

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

**SECTION 1.** That Article 5 Section 5.11 “Public Notice” shall be amended to reflect a change in wording, by showing the following additions in **bold** print and deletions with ~~striketrough~~.

**SECTION 5.11 PUBLIC NOTICE.**

~~Public notice, as required by law, or by this Charter, or by resolution or ordinance, shall be given resolutions, ordinances, statements, measures, orders, proclamations, and reports in the manner determined by Council; except that if public posting be selected as the medium, then not less than six (6) public places in the Municipality shall be established for such public posting.~~ **All ordinances, resolutions, statements, orders, proclamations, notices and reports of the City which are required by law or ordinance to be published shall be published by posting copies thereof, for a period of not less than fifteen days after adoption on the City website.**

**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, to ensure the changes take place at the time of the new contract, 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 April 13, 2026

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Clerk of Council

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President of Council

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ 2026

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Mayor