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ORDINANCE NO. 38-16

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF JACKSON TO ENTER A CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSON AND THE REGIONAL INCOME TAX AGENCY (RITA) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING ADMINSTRATIVE SERVICES FOR THE MUNICIPAL INCOME TAX AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, by Ordinance No. _____, the Legislative Authority of the City of Jackson imposed an income tax for the City of Jackson of one percent.

WHEREAS, the income tax ordinance established RITA as the administrator for the collection of tax payments; and

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes and emergency as the income tax shall become effective January 1, 2017 and RITA, in order to properly administer the collection of tax, anticipates preparation time of approximately six months and that the contract must be executed at the earliest possible date to allow sufficient time to implement the collection of taxes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON, OHIO THAT THE MAYOR BE AUTHORIZED TO ENTER A CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO AND THE REGIONAL INCOME TAX AGENCY AND THAT THE COLLECTION OF TAX PAYMENTS BY RITA IS NECESSARY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF THE CITY OF JACKSON AND THAT, AS SUCH, THIS MATTER CONSTITUTES AN EMERGENCY.

In the event this Ordinance receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Ordinance shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal acts of this council concerning and relating to adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this council and that the deliberations of the council and any of its committees resulted in such formal action, where in meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the L day of, 2016.	egislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this
ATTEST:	President of Council
Clerk of the Legislative Authority	
Approved this day of	, 2016.
	Mayor