

**VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO
ORDINANCE 2023-37**

**REPEALING AND REPLACING SECTION 242.01 "COMPOSITION; CLASSIFICATION" OF
THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO TO ADD
THE POSITION OF "POLICE RECRUIT" AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

Whereas, Codified Ordinance Section 242.01 of the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio describes the composition and classification of the Police Department; and

Whereas, at the request of the Police Chief and Interim Village Manager, Village Council has considered this addition and has determined that it would be in the best interest of the Village to amend Section 242.01 entitled "Composition; Classification" of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio to include in the composition of the Police Department the position of Police Recruit; and

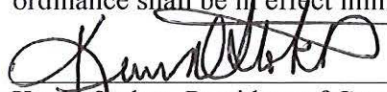
Whereas, the position of Police Recruit is intended to assist the department in attracting viable candidates for open or upcoming positions in an extremely competitive job market, and Council recognizes the value in filling departmental openings appropriately and promptly,

NOW, THEREFORE, COUNCIL FOR THE VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO HEREBY ORDAINS THAT:

Section 1. Section 242.01 entitled "Composition; Classification" of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio be repealed.

Section 2. A new Section 242.01 entitled "Composition; Classification" of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio be enacted to read as follows with new language underlined and **bolded** and deleted language in ~~strike through~~ as show in the attached Exhibit A.

Section 4. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary to preserve the public interest and for the safety and welfare of the citizens of the Village, wherefore, this ordinance shall be in effect immediately upon its adoption by Council.


Kevin Stokes, President of Council

Passed: 11-6-2023

Attest: 
Judy Kintner, Clerk of Council

ROLL CALL

Kevin Stokes __Y__ Brian Housh Y__ Marianne MacQueen __Y__

Carmen Brown __Y__ Gavin DeVore Leonard_Y__

EXHIBIT A to Ordinance 2023-37

242.01 COMPOSITION; CLASSIFICATION.

The Police Department shall be composed of a Chief of Police, as well as command staff, which may include a deputy chief, captains, sergeants, and corporals assigned as determined by the Chief of Police and approved by the Village Manager. The Police Department shall also be composed of patrol officers, ~~and~~ dispatcher/clerks **and police recruits** assigned as determined by the Chief of Police and approved by the Village Manager. Part-time officers, reserve officers, part-time dispatcher/clerks, and an outreach specialist are permitted if requested by the Chief of Police and approved by the Village Manager.

The position of Chief of Police shall be a nonclassified, contract position, whereas all other positions within the Department shall be classified as identified in Chapter 252.