

ORDINANCE 2021- 02

**TO AMEND SECTION 121.02 OF THE CENTERBURG CODIFIED
ORDINANCES REGARDING PUBLIC MEETINGS
AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, based on Centerburg Codified Ordinance Section 121.02, Village Council meetings are to be held at 7:30 p.m. on the first Monday of the month; and

WHEREAS, these times and dates are not always convenient for council; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code § 121.22(F) provides standards for providing public notice of regular meetings and special meetings, with which Council has complied at all times;

NOW THEREFORE, be it Ordained by the Council of the Village of Centerburg, Ohio:

Section 1: That Codified Ordinance Section 121.02 is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

In December of each year, the Village Fiscal Officer will prepare a yearly calendar of all regular Council meeting dates and times for the upcoming year, with no less than one meeting each month.

Meetings shall be held in Village Council Chambers, or at such other public place provided that public notice is given twenty-four hours prior to the meeting time if the meeting location is other than the Village Council Chambers.

The Fiscal Officer will provide the yearly calendar of all regular Council meetings to the Mount Vernon News, post the yearly calendar on of the door of the Village Council Chambers, and communicate to the public by such other means as directed by Council, the Mayor or the Village Administrator.

Section 2: That this Ordinance is determined to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare, such emergency arising out of the need to correct an error in the Codified Ordinances regarding the timing of Village Council Meetings.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance is declared to be an emergency and shall take effect and be in full force immediately from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

DATE PASSED 01-04-2021

Signature on file

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST

Signature on file

FISCAL OFFICER

Signature on file

MAYOR

DATE APPROVED 01-04-2021

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Signature on file

LEGAL COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the ordinance or a summary of the ordinance was published one a week for two consecutive weeks on Jan. 27, 2021 and Feb 6, 2021 in the *Mount Vernon News* in conformance with the Ohio Revised Code.

Signature on file

FISCAL OFFICER