AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A NOTE IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING REAL ESTATE TO PROVIDE A SITE FOR A NEW FIRE STATION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 1247 AC CMS, passed on February 7, 1977, a note in the principal amount of \$65,000, dated March 17, 1977, was issued for the purpose hereinafter stated, to mature on or before March 17, 1978, and it appears advisable in lieu of issuing bonds at this time to issue a new note in anticipation of the issuance of such bonds; and

WHEREAS, the Auditor as fiscal officer has certified to this Council that the estimated life of the improvement hereinafter mentioned is at least five (5) years, and that the maximum maturity of the bonds hereinafter referred to is thirty (30) years, and the maximum maturity of the note hereinafter referred to, to be issued in anticipation of said bonds is March 17, 1983 if sold publicly, or one (1) year if sold privately;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, Lorain County, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That it is hereby declared necessary to issue bonds of the City of Oberlin in the aggregate principal amount of \$65,000 for the purpose of acquiring real estate to provide a site for a new fire station.

Section 2. That such bonds shall be dated approximately March 1, 1979, shall bear interest at the estimated rate of five and three-quarters, per centum (5-3/4%) per annum, payable semi-annually, until the principal sum is paid, and shall mature in thirty (30) substantially equal annual installments after their issuance.

Section 3. That it is necessary to issue and this Council hereby determines that a note in the principal amount of \$65,000 shall be issued in anticipation of such bonds and to retire such outstanding note dated March 17, 1977. Such anticipatory note shall bear interest at the rate of Four and one quarter per centum (4.25%) per annum, such interest to be payable at maturity. Such note shall be dated March 17, 1978 and shall mature on or before March 16, 1979.

Section 4. Such note shall be executed by the City Manager and Auditor and bear the seal of the corporation. It shall be payable at the office of Lorain County Savings & Trust Co.,

Oberlin, Ohio, and shall express upon its face the purpose for which it is issued and that it is issued pursuant to this ordinance.

Section 5. Subject to the rejection of such note by the officer in charge of the Bond Retirement Fund for investment in such fund, such note shall be and hereby is awarded and sold to Lorain County Savings

and Trust Co.

Oberlin , Ohio, at the par value thereof together with any premium and accrued interest thereon;

and the Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to deliver such note, when executed, to such purchaser upon payment of such purchase price. The proceeds from the sale of such note, except any premium and accrued interest shall be paid into the proper fund and used for the purpose for which such note is being issued under the provisions of this ordinance. Any premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Bond Retirement Fund to be applied to the payment of the principal and interest of such note in the manner provided by law.

Section 6. The City of Oberlin hereby covenants that it will restrict the use of the proceeds of the note in such manner and to such extent, if any, as may be necessary, after taking into account reasonable expectations at the time the debt is incurred, so that it will not constitute arbitrage bonds under Section 103(c) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations prescribed under that section. The fiscal officer or any other officer, including the Clerk of Council, having responsibility with respect to the issuance of such note is authorized and directed to give an appropriate certificate on behalf of the City, for inclusion in the transcript of proceedings, setting forth the facts, estimates and circumstances and reasonable expectations regarding the amount and use of the proceeds of such note pursuant to said Section 103(c) and regulations thereunder.

Section 7. Such note shall be the full general obligation of this City and the full faith, credit and revenue of this City are hereby pledged for the prompt payment of the same. The par value to be received from the sale of the bonds anticipated by such note and any excess funds resulting from the issuance of such note shall, to the extent necessary, be used for the retirement of such note at maturity, together with interest thereon, and are hereby pledged for such purpose.

That during the years while such note runs there shall be levied on all the taxable property in this City, in addition to all other taxes, a direct tax annually not less than that which would have been levied if bonds had been issued without the prior issue of such note. Said tax shall be and is hereby ordered computed, certified, levied and extended upon the tax duplicate and collected by the same officers, in the same manner, and at the same time that taxes for general purposes for each of said years are certified, extended and collected. Said tax shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and for the full amount thereof. The funds derived from said tax levies hereby required shall be placed in a separate and distinct fund, which, together with the interest collected on the same shall be irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of such note or bonds in anticipation of which it is issued, when and as the same fall due.

Section 9. It is hereby determined that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuance of such note, in order to make it a legal, valid and binding obligation of this

City, have happened, been done and performed in regular and due form as required by law; that no limitation of indebtedness or taxation, either statutory or constitutional, will have been exceeded in the issuance of such note.

Section 10. The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the County Auditor.

Section 11. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted 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 in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 12. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of this City, and for the further reason that the immediate issuance and sale of the note herein authorized is necessary to enable the City to retire its outstanding indebtedness and thereby preserve its credit; wherefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage.

Passed: March 6, 1978

Chairman

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Clerk of Council

Posted: March 7, 1978