ORDINANCE NO. 2016-05

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A BALLOT INITIATIVE TO PERMIT SUNDAY SALES OF BEER AND INTOXICATING LIQUOR IN THE I-75 MONROE COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Monroe, Ohio ("Council"), through the adoption of Ordinance No. 2015-01, approved an application for the creation of the I-75 Monroe Community Entertainment District (the "CED");

WHEREAS, Council, through the adoption of Ordinance No. 2015-32, amended the boundaries of the CED;

WHEREAS, Council now desires to submit to the electorate for the CED, a ballot initiative which, if passed, would permit Sunday sales of beer and intoxicating liquor within the CED; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code ("ORC") Section 4301.356, Council may place such an initiative on the ballot by Ordinance, and Council desires to exercise that right.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL, THAT:

SECTION 1: In accordance with ORC Section 4301.356, this Ordinance, and all other documentation required to be filed by such Section, shall be filed with the applicable Boards of Elections, in the manner so prescribed, so that the questions set forth in Sections 2 and 3 below, or substantially similar questions, may be submitted to the electorate in any election or elections in the year 2016 during which, under applicable law, such questions may be submitted to the requisite electorate for a vote.

SECTION 2: The following question shall be filed with the Butler County, Ohio Board of Elections to be voted on by the requisite electorate in the precincts in which the CED is located:

> "Shall the sale of beer and intoxicating liquor be permitted on days of the week other than Sunday and between the hours of eleven a.m. and midnight on Sunday, at the I-75 Monroe Community Entertainment District, a community facility as defined by Section 4301.01 of the Revised Code, that is adjacent to Interstate 75 (I-75) and State Route 63 (SR 63), and which includes Butler County, Ohio Real Estate Tax Parcel Identification Numbers: C1800009000011, C1800009000078, C1800009000087, C1800009000088, C1800009000030, C1800009000029, as such parcels may be merged or subdivided?"

SECTION 3: The following question shall be filed with the Warren County, Ohio Board of Elections to be voted on by the requisite electorate in the precincts in which the CED is located:

"Shall the sale of beer and intoxicating liquor be permitted on days of the week other than Sunday and between the hours of eleven a.m. and midnight on Sunday, at the I-75 Monroe Community Entertainment District, a community facility as defined by Section 4301.01 of the Revised Code, that is adjacent to Interstate 75 (I-75) and State Route 63 (SR 63), and which includes Warren County, Ohio Real Estate Tax Parcel Identification Numbers: 11051010050, 11051010020, 11051280040, 11051010030, 11051260050, 11051260060, 11052000010, 11052000080, 11051020010, 11051020020, 11051270170, 11051270061, 11051270041, 11051270091, 11052000070, 11052000090, 11054000110, 11051020070, 11051020080, 11051260160, 11053000142, 11051260250, 11053000141, 11051270230, 11053000131, 11051260280, 11051270121, 11064000181, 11064000151, 11051300110, 11051300100, 11051270141, 11051270241, 11053000151, 11053000143, 11053000183, 11051290021, 11052130021, as such parcels may be merged or subdivided?"

SECTION 4: The City of Monroe City Manager's Office is hereby instructed to take any and all actions it may deem necessary, desirable, advisable or appropriate to effectuate, carry out or further the intent and purposes of the foregoing measures.

SECTION 5: This measure shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period permitted by law.

PASSED: March 8, 2016

ATTEST:

Angela S. Wasson
Clerk of Council

Mayor

First Reading: February 23, 2016

This legislation was enacted in an open meeting pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Sunshine Law, Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

"I, the undersigned Clerk of Council of the city of Monroe, Ohio, hereby certify the foregoing (ordinance or resolution) was published as required by Section 7.16 of the Charter of the City of Monroe.

Clerk of Council
City of Monroe, Ohio

Certification:
I, Angela S. Wasson, the duly appointed Clerk of Council of the City of Monroe, do hereby attest and certify that this is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 2016-05 adopted on March 8, 2016.

Date

Angela S. Wasson, Clerk of Council