

**COUNCIL CHAMBER**

**VILLAGE OF KELLEYS ISLAND, OHIO**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2023 – O – 15**

**INTRODUCED BY: COUNCILMAN EATON, WOLFE**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 110.02 (C) ENTITLED APPLICATION FOR LICENSE**

**WHEREAS**, the annual business license fee has not been changed in thirty years;  
and

**WHEREAS**, the cost of administration including enforcement and the public services provided to the business such as Police, Fire and EMS protection have significantly gone up in the past thirty years.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KELLEYS ISLAND, COUNTY OF ERIE AND STATE OF OHIO AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** That section 110.02 (C) of the Kelleys Island Codified Ordinances which reads as follows:

With each original or renewal application, the applicant shall deposit the fee required for the license requested. The fee for an original license shall be the sum of \$25.00, and the fee for each annual renewal license shall be the sum of \$5.00.

**SHALL BE AND IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:**

With each original or renewal application, the applicant shall deposit the fee required for the license requested. The fee for the original license shall be the sum of \$125.00, and the fee for each annual renewal license shall be \$75.00.

**SECTION 2.** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council of the Village of Kelleys Island concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of such body, and that all deliberations of the Council of the Village of Kelleys Island and 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 3.** That this Ordinance shall be in effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

**DATED THIS 8th OF JULY, 2023.**

  
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**MAYOR RONALD E EHRBAR**

**ATTEST:**

  
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(e) In addition to any other penalties imposed by this chapter, the Clerk/ Treasurer is authorized, directed and empowered to collect all license fees, charges, and penalties imposed by this chapter which are not paid when due, and/or to enforce all other provisions of this chapter, by a civil action at law, or by other appropriate proceedings, in any court of competent jurisdiction in the name of the Village from any owner of a vehicle used for the transportation of persons or property for hire, or any other person who is liable to provide the required information and/or pay the fees, charges, and penalties imposed by this chapter. If any legal action is taken pursuant to this division (e), the Village shall be entitled to recover the cost of such legal action from the person responsible, including reasonable attorney fees.

(f) Whoever violates Section 120(a) is guilty of a misdemeanor of the fourth degree and shall be fined not more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) or imprisoned not more than 30 days, or both. A separate offense shall be deemed committed for each rental vehicle for which the vehicle license fee provided for in Section 120(a) remains unpaid.

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