

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF BREWSTER'S  
PARTICIPATION IN THE U.S. COMMUNITIES/OMNIA PARTNERS COOPERATIVE  
PURCHASING PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, Section 9.48 of the Ohio Revised Code provides the opportunity for political subdivisions such as the Village of Brewster to participate in joint purchasing programs managed by County, State, or Federal agencies for the purchase of machinery, material, supplies or other articles, and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), an agency of the State of Ohio, participates in the U.S. Communities/Omnia Partners Cooperative Purchasing Program, and

WHEREAS, the Village has received grant funding through the ODNR Natureworks Program for the installation of exercise equipment in Bimeler Park and desires to purchase said equipment through the U.S. Communities/Omnia Partners Cooperative Purchasing Program.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF BREWSTER, OHIO THAT:**

**SECTION 1:** That the Village Administrator hereby requests authority in the name of the Village of Brewster to participate in the Ohio Department of Natural Resources contract with U.S. Communities/Omnia Partners Cooperative Purchasing Program for the purchase of exercise equipment, materials, supplies or other articles pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 9.48.

**SECTION 2:** That the Village Administrator is hereby authorized to agree in the name of the Village of Brewster to be bound by all terms and conditions as the Ohio Department of Natural Resources agreement with the U.S. Communities/Omnia Partners Cooperative Purchasing Program prescribes.

**SECTION 3:** That the Village Administrator is hereby authorized to agree in the name of the Village of Brewster to directly pay vendors, under each such contract of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources in which the Village of Brewster participates, for items it receives pursuant to the contract.

**SECTION 4:** That the Village of Brewster agrees to be responsible for resolving all claims or disputes arising out of its participation in the cooperative purchasing program under Section 9.48 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Village of Brewster agrees to waive any claims, actions, expenses, or other damages arising out of its participation in the cooperative purchasing program which the Village of Brewster may have or claim to have against ODNR or its employees, unless such liability is the result of negligence on the part of ODNR or its employees.

**SECTION 5:** The Village of Brewster deems this participation in the U.S. Communities/Omnia Partners Cooperative Purchasing Program through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources to be permanent unless rescinded by Brewster Village Council.

**SECTION 6:** This ordinance is deemed an emergency to provide the purchase and installation of the exercise equipment in a timely manner and shall be in effect and full force at the earliest date provided by law.

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Mayor Michael E. Schwab

ATTEST:

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Village Clerk-Treasurer K. Kris King

CERTIFICATE

I, K. Kris King, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of an ordinance passed at a regular meeting of the Brewster Village Council held on May 6, 2019

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Clerk K. Kris King

I, K. Kris King, Clerk of the Council of the Village of Brewster, State of Ohio, do hereby certify that there is no newspaper printed in said municipality and that publication of the foregoing ordinance was duly made by posting true copies thereof at five of the most public places in said corporation as determined by Council as follows: Office of Brewster Utilities, Belloni's IGA, Brewster Federal Credit Union, Post Office and Brewster Laundromat.

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Clerk K. Kris King