

**ORDINANCE 04-09-26-05**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT OF  
ATTORNEY KYLIE KEITCH AS THE PLEASANTVILLE MAYOR'S COURT  
MAGISTRATE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**Sponsored by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WHEREAS**, the village of Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio, has previously established a mayor's court pursuant to Chapter 1901 of the Ohio Revised Code;

**WHEREAS**, is permitted, pursuant to Chapter 1901 of the Ohio Revised Code and §1905.05 of the Ohio Revised Code to employ a qualified attorney to serve as the magistrate in the village mayor's court;

**WHEREAS**, the council finds that attorney Kylie Keitch, having satisfactorily served as the mayor's court previously, is qualified to serve as the magistrate;

**WHEREAS**, Kylie Keitch is willing to serve as the magistrate for a period not to exceed June 30, 2026, for One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000)/month;

**WHEREAS**, the village has no magistrate at this time, and is immediate need;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, the village of Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio:

**Section 1.** Village council hereby authorizes the mayor and fiscal officer to enter into a contract, attached and incorporated herein, employing Kylie Keitch as an independent contractor to serve as the village of Pleasantville mayor's court magistrate. Her duties and responsibilities shall be those delineated in Ohio Revised Code Chapter 1901.

**Section 2.** The village of Pleasantville shall pay Kylie Keitch by check once a month. The village of Pleasantville agrees to provide Kylie Keitch with a form 1099 MISC each year of her employment. The village of Pleasantville shall not withhold any local, state, or federal taxes or

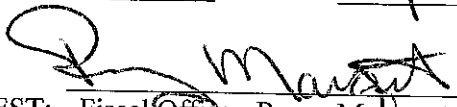
usual withholding payments from her check, and all taxes shall be the sole responsibility of Kylie Keitch.

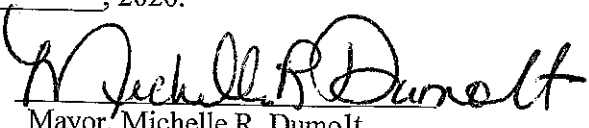
**Section 3.** Kylie Keitch shall not be eligible to participate in, and shall not seek to participate in, the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS), any benefits afforded to regular village employees, or any overtime compensation. The village of Pleasantville and Kylie Keitch intend this contract not to be governed by any record keeping or overtime laws imposed by federal wage and hours laws.

**Section 4.** Kylie Keitch and the village of Pleasantville intend Kylie Keitch to be an independent contractor not bound by the Fair Labor Standards Act and she shall be a subject only to the terms of the contract, attached and incorporated herein. This ordinance and contract do not and shall not create an employment contract, express or implied, and it does not offer or provide to Kylie Keitch a guarantee of continued employment, either as an independent contractor or as a regular village employee, beyond the terms provided in contract attached to this ordinance and incorporated herein. Unless mutually agreed upon, Kylie Keitch's employment and commitments to the village of Pleasantville under this ordinance and the contract attached shall commence upon passage of this ordinance and terminate at 11:59 p.m., on June 30, 2026.

**Section 5.** This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency, necessary for the public welfare, health, and safety of the village of Pleasantville, to wit, the village of Pleasantville has the immediate need of a qualified person to serve as the magistrate, that post currently being vacant, and shall take effect upon signature by the mayor.

PASSED THIS 15 DAY OF April, 2026.

ATTEST:   
Fiscal Officer, Penny Marquart

SIGNED:   
Mayor, Michelle R. Dumolt

Council, Village of Pleasantville

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Katie Henry

*Bob Pangborn*  
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*Courtney VanDyke*  
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Korry Harrier

*Scott Snider*  
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Approved as to form only:

*Jon M. Browning*  
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Jon M. Browning, Village Solicitor

FIRST READING \_\_\_\_\_

SECOND READING \_\_\_\_\_


REVISED SECOND READING \_\_\_\_\_

THIRD READING \_\_\_\_\_

VOTE FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

I certify that the money required to meet this contract has hereby been lawfully appropriated for such purpose and is in the treasury or in the process of collection to the credit of this fund, free from any previous obligation or certification as by the Ohio Revised Code 5705.01-5705.47.

Village Clerk  Date 4-15-26