



Village of Freeport

Ordinance # 41

An ordinance to establish a Village Department of Public Works in the Village of Freeport, Barry County, Michigan, pursuant to Act no. 3 Public Acts of Michigan 1895 as amended in 1988, to provide for the appointment of the Department of Public Works Director and Street Administer, define the responsibilities of the Department of Public Works and to provide for all other matters.

Village of Freeport, Barry County, Michigan hereby

### ORDAINS

At a regular meeting of the Freeport Village Council, Barry County, Michigan, held in the Village Hall on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2002 at 7:00 p.m. local time.

Present: Lyle Blough, Glen Brovont, Luann Forbes, Robert Ruthruff, Bruce Stearns, Yvonne Aspinall, Timothy Fish and Dorothy Kelley.

Absent: None

The following ordinance was offered by Timothy Fish and seconded by Luann Forbes:

#### Section 1: Title of Ordinance

This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the 'Village of Freeport Department of Public Works Ordinance'.

#### Section 2: Definitions

The terms used in the ordinance shall have the same meaning as given to them in P.A 3 of 1895 as amended in 1998 or as hereafter in this section provided unless the context clearly indicates to the contrary. As used in this Ordinance:

'DPW' means the Village of Freeport Department of Public Works created by the ordinance.

'Council or Village Council' means the chief legislative body of the Village of Freeport, Barry County, Michigan.

'Director' means the director of the Department of Public Works

'Street Administer' means the title given to the person designated by the Village to be responsible for streets under Act 51.

Section 3: Determination of Necessity:

The Village Council hereby determines it is necessary, for the best interest of the Village, to establish the department of Public Works to care for, maintain and improve the infrastructure of the Village.

Section 4: The Street Administration and DPW Director

The street administrator as described in P.A. 3 of 1895 as amended in 1998, will assume the duties of the Director of the Department of Public Works as nominated by the Village President and approved by the Village Council.

Section 5: Responsibilities:

The DPW will, with the best interest of the Village, care for, maintain and improve the infrastructure for the Village of Freeport, Barry County, Michigan

Section 6: Compensation

The Street Administrator shall be compensated for the amount set for by a resolution of the Village Council and the amount determined by said resolution shall be paid weekly by the Village Clerk.

Section 7 Adoption

This ordinance shall be adopted by an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members of the Village Council.

Section 8 Publication

The village Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and cause the same to be published as required by law.

Yeas:   6  


Nays:   0  

Ordinance Declared Adopted

May  13 , 2002, 2002



Village President



Village Clerk

