

**A RESOLUTION IMPOSING A ONE YEAR MORATORIUM ON DIGITAL SIGNS WITHIN  
SYCAMORE TOWNSHIP, OHIO**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 13 of the Sycamore Township Zoning Code governs the construction and maintenance of any signs that are visible from any street, sidewalk or public or private common open space; and

**WHEREAS**, While digital signs are permitted under the current Zoning Code, there have been technological advancements since the enactment of the Zoning Code and the Sycamore Township Board of Trustees believes it necessary to establish a one year moratorium on digital signs in order to study and determine appropriate regulations for said signs; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sycamore Township Board of Trustees believe that such a moratorium on digital signs is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Sycamore Township.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of Township Trustees of Sycamore Township, State of Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** The Sycamore Township Board of Trustees hereby establishes a one year moratorium with respect to consideration of new applications for digital signs within Sycamore Township.

**SECTION 2.** That this Board hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the passage of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with applicable legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 3.** The Trustees of Sycamore Township upon at least a majority vote do hereby dispense with any requirement that this resolution be read on two separate days, and hereby authorize the adoption of this resolution upon its first reading.

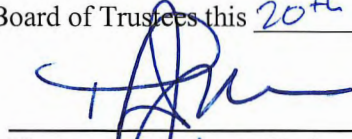
**SECTION 4.** This resolution shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

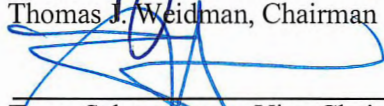
**SECTION 5.** This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, welfare, and safety of the Township.

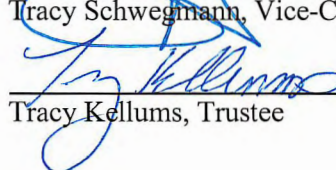
**VOTE RECORD:**

Mr. Weidman Aye Ms. Schwegmann Aye Mr. Kellums Aye

Passed at the meeting of the Board of Trustees this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of February 2024.

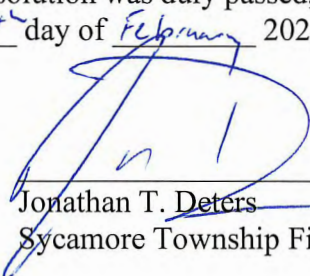
  
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Thomas J. Weidman, Chairman

  
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Tracy Schwegmann, Vice-Chairman

  
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Tracy Kellums, Trustee

**AUTHENTICATION**

This is to certify that this Resolution was duly passed, and filed with the Sycamore Township Fiscal Officer, on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 2024.

  
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Jonathan T. Deters  
Sycamore Township Fiscal Officer

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
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Lawrence E. Barbieri, Law Director