RESOLUTION NO. 1-23

By: Jessica Saad

A resolution to amend the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework.

WHEREAS, the City of Bexley passed ordinance 37-12 which amended Section 1062.07 of the Bexley Codified Ordinances permitting the use of alcohol at Jeffrey Mansion; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 37-12 included a Council approved Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework that specified the restrictions applicable to the use of alcohol at the Mansion; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 02-15 amended the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework to include language authorizing the Recreation Director, with approval from the Mayor, to permit alcohol rentals on Mondays, Tuesday, Wednesdays, and Thursdays; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 08-15 amended the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework to eliminate language which restricted alcohol rentals to Bexley Residents only; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 08-16 amended the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework to allow the serving of alcohol within Jeffrey Park at no more than two Recreation Board permitted events per year; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 15-18 amended the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework to set the parameters in which alcohol rentals can occur within the Jeffrey Mansion lower level and carriage court expansion; and

WHEREAS, on January 4, 2023, the Recreation Board approved board resolutions 01-23, 02-23, 03-23, and 04-23, all of which recommended changes to the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Framework in an effort to responsibly expand access to the facility and provide flexibility for recreation staff to administer the rental process; and

WHEREAS, this update to the Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Policy Framework reflects Recreation Board recommended changes based on the past two years of experience renting the newly renovated Jeffrey Mansion;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

Section 1.

The Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Framework approved by Council is amended to create an exemption to the ending times for alcohol events on holidays.

Section 2.

The Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Framework approved by Council is amended to remove the Bexley Resident requirement for Carriage Court alcohol event rentals at Jeffrey Mansion.

Section 3.

The Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Framework approved by Council is amended to remove the limitation on the number of monthly Carriage Court alcohol event rentals at Jeffrey Mansion.

Section 4.

The Jeffrey Mansion Alcohol Framework approved by Council is amended to modify security provisions from requiring police officers to allowing security staff and providing flexibility for Bexley Recreation and Parks staff in determining which events need security staff present.

Section 5.

This Resolution shall go into full force and effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed _____, 2023

Troy Markham, President of Council

Attest: _____, 2023

Clerk of Council

Approved: _____, 2023

Ben Kessler, Mayor

First Reading: January 24, 2023 Second Reading: Third Reading: