ORD INANCE NO. 18-33

By Mr. Bonnet.

To authorize G. D. Brown, accountant, to recover money due the City of Bexley, Ohio, from the State of Ohio on account of motor vehicle license fees and excise tax on motor vehicle fuel.

whereas, the laws of the State of Ohio, provide that each municipality shall be entitled to a certain percentage of all moneys collected by the State of Ohio from motor vehicle license fees and excise tax on motor vehicle fuel in the event such fees and taxes are paid by persons, partnerships, firms, associations or corporations residing in or situated within the limits of such municipality, and

Whereas, it has been represented that some of the residents of Bexley have inadvertently mis-stated their taxing district in making application for their motor vehicle licenses, and

Whereas, if the proper authorities should make no further attempt to ascertain the proper taxing district of such applicants, other than as shown upon said applications for such licenses, or attempt to ascertain to what municipality such percentages of license fees rightfully belong, then this City would not be obtaining a correct distribution under the laws of the State of Ohio, and

whereas, it has been represented that other municipalities have been able to make recoveries of moneys that would not otherwise have been credited to them had not an investigation been made and an attempt made to recover such amounts, NOW, THERE-FORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That said G. D. Brown be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to examine and audit the motor vehicle license applications now on file with the State of Ohio, in order to ascertain whether or not there are any moneys due the City of Bexley, as set forth in the preamble hereto, and to present his findings to the proper State authorities to the end that a proper distribution of said funds shall be made to the City of Bexley.

Section 2. That for his services said G. D. Brown shall be paid an amount equal to the following percentages of the amounts which shall actually be received by the City of Bexley as a direct result of his investigation and audit, to-wit: Forty percentum (40%) of any amount so recovered up to the sum of \$500.00; Thirty percentum (30%) of any amount so recovered in excess of \$500.00 and up to the sum of \$1500.00; Twenty percentum (20%) of all amounts so recovered in excess of \$1500.00.

The sum of \$1000.00 is hereby appropriated from the General Fund for the purpose aforesaid.

Section 3. The proper officials of the City are hereby authorized and directed to issue proper vouchers for the payment of said sums as the same shall respectively become due and payable.

Section 4. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and the same shall take effect and be in force from the date of its passage.

Passed: May 23rd, 1933.

O. C. Manly

Attest:

Approved: May 23, 1933.

S. W./Ludwig