

ORDINANCE NO. 9-81

By: *J. Holbert*

An Ordinance to appropriate funds to pay the City of Bexley's proportionate share of the operation of the Franklin County Municipal Court pursuant to the requirements of Section 1901.026, Revised Code of Ohio.

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

Section 1: That Section 1901.026, Revised Code of Ohio, which became effective August 22, 1980, provided that the current operating costs of a municipal court that has territorial jurisdiction that extends beyond the corporate limits of the municipal corporation in which the court is located, shall be apportioned, subject to certain limitations, among all the municipal corporations that are within the territory of the court;

Section 2: That said Section of the Revised Code further provides that each municipal corporation shall be liable for a percentage of the operating costs of the municipal court that is equal to the percentage of the total criminal and civil caseload of the municipal court that arose in that municipal corporation, which is the total number of criminal cases filed that arose out of offenses that occurred in the municipal corporation and the total number of civil cases filed in which the address of the plaintiff is within the municipal corporation;

Section 3: That however a municipal corporation is not required to pay that part of its proportionate share of the current operating costs which exceeds the total amount of costs, fees, fines, bail, or other moneys that was disbursed by the Clerk of the Municipal Court under division (F) of Section 1901.31 of the Revised Code;

Section 4: That the percentage share of the City of Bexley, based upon 12 criminal cases and 210 civil cases for the calendar year 1980 was in the amount of \$7,502.23 (.133%), but that total amount received by the City of Bexley from the Clerk was only \$790.00;

Section 5: That the amount of \$790.00 is therefore due and owing from the City of Bexley to the City of Columbus for the cost of the operation of the Franklin County Municipal Court, which amount is hereby appropriated and set aside from the unencumbered General Fund (Safety) to be used to pay for said statutory obligation;

Section 6: That this Ordinance is an emergency Ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and this Ordinance shall go into force and effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: April 14, 1981.

Attest: *J. Holbert*

Clerk of Council

John H. Stenberg
President of Council

Approved: April 14, 1981

David H. Madison
David H. Madison,
Mayor

1st reading - March 10, 1981

2nd reading March 24, 1981

3rd reading April 14, 1981