ORDINANCE NO. 25-91

By:	John	T.	Loehnert	

An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor and Auditor to execute an agreement with Robert E. Curtin, Jr. for income tax compliance and consulting services, to appropriate \$10,000 to pay the fees of such consultant and to declare an emergency.

WHEREAS, Robert E. Curtin, Jr., an independent consultant, reviews tax records and provides various consulting services to assist municipalities in collecting income taxes; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Curtin has proposed providing such services to the City of Bexley; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to retain the services of Mr. Curtin; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the agreement with Robert E. Curtin, Section 1. Jr. is hereby approved in the form attached to this Ordinance and that the Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement on behalf of the City.

That the sum of \$10,000 is hereby Section 2. appropriated from the unencumbered General Fund to pay the fees of such consultant.

Section 3. That this Ordinance is an emergency ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, said emergency being the necessity of increasing tax revenues at the earliest practicable date due to the City's current fiscal position, and shall be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed:

President of Council

Clerk of Council

Approved:

May 38, 1991 - 15 mading
Thay 38, 1991 - 2 reading
June 11, 1991 - 35d reading
Tabled

June 25, 1991- adopted

David H. Madison,

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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO AND MR. ROBERT CURTIN, JR.

This Agreement, made and entered into by and between the City of Bexley, Ohio, a municipal corporation, and Mr. Robert Curtin, Jr.

WITNESSETH:

Section 1. Mr. Robert Curtin, Jr. and/or his associates, shall, for the consideration hereinafter stated, furnish to the City of Bexley, Ohio, the following services:

- A. Review management reports issued by the Columbus Income Tax Division and make recommendations of policy and action.
- B. Survey City of Bexley income tax accounts for compliance with City tax laws.
- C. Review delinquent accounts with the directors of law and finance for collection actions.
- D. Interface with the City of Columbus to effect and perfect inner City transfers.
- E. Follow-up on surveillance information provided by the City Auditor for compliance with City income tax laws.

Section 2. Such services shall be rendered in a professional manner subject to the satisfaction of the City Auditor.

Section 3. The City of Bexley, Ohio, shall pay to Mr. Robert Curtin for said services furnished to the City in the following manner:

The City of Bexley, Ohio, shall pay to Mr. Robert Curtin, Jr. an amount equal to 20% of new tax liabilities that he discovers including penalty and interest, that being amounts over and above those identified as being owed the City of Bexley by its collection agent, the City of Columbus, but in no case more than \$20,000. Such amount shall be payable to Mr. Curtin after an assessment is issued and the tax is paid or properly transferred.

Section 4. Subject to Section 5, this contract will remain in force for one year after the date that Ordinance 25-91 takes effect.

Section 5. The provisions of said Agreement shall continue until the expiration, or, until cancellation by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice thereof.

Section 6. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to this Agreement have hereunto set their hand and have executed this Agreement this _____ day of ______, 1991.

THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO

y: Navid H. Madison, Mayor

Jøhn W. Hornberger

Mr. Robert Curtin, Sr.

Approved as to form:

James H. Gross, City Attorney