ORDINANCE NO. 2-95

Ву:	<u>Richard</u>	F.	Weber
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An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor and Auditor to execute a contract with the Franklin County Public Defender Commission for the legal representation of indigent defendants before the Franklin County Municipal Court, Criminal Division, and to declare an emergency.

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

Section 1. That the Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to execute a contract by and between the City of Bexley and the Franklin County Public Defender Commission for the representation of indigent defendants before the Franklin County Municipal Court, Criminal Division, charged with a violation of an ordinance of the City of Bexley at a rate of \$50 per case, said contract to be in a form approved by the City Attorney.

Section 2. That this Ordinance is an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, said emergency being the need to provide uninterrupted representation of indigent defendants before the Franklin County Municipal Court, and shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: Thruay 14	, 1995
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	President of Council
Attest: My Work	
Clerk of Council	
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	Approved: $\frac{2}{1995}$

David H. Madison, Mayor

January 10, 1995 - 1st reading Debruary 14, 1995 - 3nd reading - adopted

CONTRACT

This Agreement, beginning on <u>January 1</u>, 1995, by and between the Franklin County Public Defender Commission, pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code, section 120.14(E) (Page 1990), and the City of Bexley, for the defense of indigent defendants before the Franklin County Municipal Court; the parties agree as follows:

The Franklin County Public Defender Commission hereby agrees to represent, through the personnel employed by the Franklin County Public Defender Commission, all indigent persons, coming before the Franklin County Municipal Court, Criminal Division, charged with a violation of an ordinance of the City of Bexley, which occur within the limits of Bexley, Ohio; provided that the Franklin County Public Defender Commission, reserves the right to decline representation if a conflict of interest exists in any specific case filed in or coming before the Franklin County Municipal Court; and, provided further, that the City Solicitor of Bexley, Ohio, reserves the right to appoint other counsel to represent defendants charged with a violation of an ordinance of Bexley, Ohio, or traffic and/or criminal statutes of the State of Ohio, which occur within the jurisdictional limits of Bexley, Ohio in any specific case filed in or coming before the Franklin County Municipal Court.

The City of Bexley agrees to pay the sum of \$50.00 per case. Said sum due to be stated by invoice from the Franklin County Public Defender at quarterly intervals. Checks or warrants should be made payable to the Columbus City Treasurer - Public Defender Service.

This contract may be terminated by either party at any time before the expiration of the contract, by giving thirty (30) days written notice to the other party, of its intention to terminate.

The parties further agree that this Contract shall be in full force and effect from the date first written above through <u>December</u> 31, 1995, unless terminated earlier, as provided herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract, this 16th day of ________, 1995.

City of Bexley

RV:

Mayor of Bexley

Franklin County Public Defender Commission

Swope / by Pauline Colvin Comptroller

Richard F. Swope

Chairman

FRANKLIN COUNTY

PUBLIC DEFENDER

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February 16, 1995

Velma R. Downs Administrative Assistant to Mayor City of Bexley 2242 East Main Street Bexley, Ohio 43209

Dear Ms. Downs:

Please find enclosed a fully executed copy of the contract between the City of Bexley and the Franklin County Public Defender office.

Sincerely,

Beverly N. Leake

Administrative Secretary

Enclosure



February 15, 1995

Ms. Judith M. Stevenson Franklin County Public Defender 373 S. High Street Columbus, OH 43215 6302

Dear Ms. Stevenson:

Enclosed is the 1995 agreement signed by the City of Bexley for the Franklin County Public Defender Commission to provide representation for indigent defendants before the Franklin County Municipal Court. Also enclosed is a copy of the ordinance approving the contract.

Please return an executed copy of the contract for my file. Thanks for your assistance.

Sincerely,

CITY OF BEXLEY

Velma R. Downs

Administrative Assistant to Mayor

Enclosures



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December 11, 1994

Honorable David H. Madison Mayor City of Bexley 2242 East Main Street Bexley, Ohio 43209

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The existing contract for indigent defense representation with your City is scheduled to expire December 31, 1994.

Enclosed please find a copy of a new contract for your review and hopefully your signature. The cost per case remains at \$50.00.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning the above.

Very truly yours,

Judith M. Stevenson

Director

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