

ORDINANCE NO. 99-08

By: Robyn Jones

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 69-06 WHICH CREATED THE BEXLEY OFFICE INCENTIVE PROGRAM, TO REDUCE THE MINIMUM NUMBER OF NEW OFFICE EMPLOYEES FROM 10 (TEN) TO 5 (FIVE) IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR A GRANT, AND TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM FULL-TIME WAGE OF \$12.00 (TWELVE DOLLARS) PER HOUR FOR EACH QUALIFYING NEW EMPLOYEE

WHEREAS, the City of Bexley desires to create office employment opportunities and encourage the creation of new jobs in the city to improve the overall economic health of the city and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the available sites and buildings in Bexley for new office employment may limit such employment to a smaller number of new jobs; and

WHEREAS, the grant program can provide a substantial incentive for realtors to offer to potential office users;

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

Section 1. Sections 2 and 3 of Ordinance 69-06 are hereby amended to read that for both existing and new employers, and for space whether leased or owned, the minimum number of New Employee Positions over the lesser of the term of the incentive or three years shall be 5 (five).

Section 2. The minimum hourly wage for any New Employee Position considered in a grant calculation shall be \$12.00 (twelve dollars).

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: Nov. 18, 2008

Matthew J. Sample
President of Council

Attest: [Signature]
Clerk of Council

Approved: Nov. 18, 2008

John M. Brennan
John M. Brennan, Mayor

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