**ORDINANCE NO. 24 - 15**

By Steve Keyes

**An ordinance modifying Section 1430.01 of the Bexley Codified Ordinances, to allow for the Mayor and Auditor to enter into agreements with other townships, municipalities, counties, health districts, persons, firms, or corporations to perform the function of Chief Building Official, Backup Chief Building Official, plans examiner, and/or inspector.**

**Whereas,** the City of Bexley routinely enters into contracts for the provision of Chief Building Official, plans examiner, and inspection services; and

**Whereas,** The Bexley Codified Ordinances do not clearly designate authority to enter into contracts for these services;

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

**Section 1.** That Section 1430.01 of the Bexley Codified Ordinances be modified as follows:

**1430.01 CHIEF BUILDING OFFICIAL: DUTIES.**

(a) The Chief Building Official shall be responsible for the review and approval of all plans for construction within the City and shall be responsible for the issuance of all building permits, licenses, and mechanical permits. He shall be responsible for providing inspection services for all construction within the City. He shall see that the laws of the City and the state of Ohio are complied with relative to such construction. In the issuance of such permits and the inspection of such construction, he shall see that the Zoning Code of the City is met.

(b) The Mayor and Auditor are authorized to enter into agreements with other townships, municipalities, counties, health districts, persons, firms, or corporations to perform the function of Chief Building Official, Backup Chief Building Official, plans examiner, and/or inspector.

**Section 2.** That this ordinance shall go into effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2015

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President of Council

Attest:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Clerk of Council

 Approved:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2015

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First Reading: 05-12-15 Mayor Ben Kessler