ORDINANCE NO. 21-2

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE, ADOPT AND ENACT THE 2021 REPLACEMENT PAGES TO THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES; TO REPEAL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH; TO PUBLISH THE ENACTMENT OF NEW MATTER; AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, certain provisions within the Codified Ordinances should be amended to conform with current State law as required by the Ohio Constitution; and

WHEREAS, various ordinances of a general and permanent nature have been passed by Council which should be included in the Codified Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, Council has entered into a contract with the Walter H. Drane Company to prepare and publish such revision; and

WHEREAS, the codification of such ordinances, together with the new matter to be adopted, the matters to be amended and those to be repealed are before Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of New Lexington, Ohio:

SECTION 1: The ordinances of the City of New Lexington, Ohio, of a general and permanent nature, as revised, recodified, rearranged and consolidated into component codes, titles, chapters and sections within the 2021 Replacement Pages to the Codified Ordinances are hereby approved and adopted.

<u>SECTION 2:</u> That the following sections are hereby added, amended or repealed as respectively indicated in order to comply with current State law:

Traffic Code

331.43 Wearing Earplugs or Earphones Prohibited. (Amended)

335.09 Display of License Plates or Validation Stickers; Temporary License Placard. (Amended)

Operating Without Dealer or Manufacturer License Plates. (Added)

General Offenses Code

501.99 Penalties for Misdemeanors. (Amended)

513.01 Drug Abuse Control Definitions. (Amended)

521.08 Littering and Deposit of Garbage, Rubbish, Junk, Etc. (Amended)

529.07 Open Container Prohibited. (Amended)

537.17 Reserved. (Previously "Criminal Child Enticement")

SECTION 3: That the complete text of the Traffic and General Offenses Code sections listed above are set forth in full in Exhibit A. The listing above of each new section by reference to its title shall constitute sufficient publication of new matter contained therein.

SECTION 4: That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Municipality and its inhabitants for the reason that there exists an imperative necessity for the earliest publication and distribution of the Codified Ordinances to the officials and residents of the City, so as to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements.

PASSED: 4-5-21

APPROVED: 4.5.21

ATTEST:
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Lisa Spohn
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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL