## **ORDINANCE NO. 2025-54**

## INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL AS A WHOLE

A RESOLUTION TO FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THE RESIGNATION OF CARLEAN PEREZ, FORMER RECREATION DIRECTOR OF THE VILLAGE OF OAKWOOD AND DECLARE THE VILLAGE ASSUMES NO LIABILITY FOR ANY ACTIONS OF THE FORMER EMPLOYEE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Carlean Perez was formerly employed by the Village of Oakwood as Recreation Director and also paid for her services as a fitness instructor; and,

**WHEREAS**, Carlean Perez voluntarily and willfully resigned effective immediately during a regular Council Meeting on Tuesday, February 25, 2025; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Council and Administration accepted Carlean Perez's resignation during its regular Council Meeting on Tuesday, February 25, 2025 without reserve.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio that:

SECTION 1. As of February 26, 2025 Carlean Perez is no longer authorized to act in her former official capacity nor is Carlean Perez authorized to transact official business for the Village of Oakwood, operate any of its vehicles or equipment, utilize building or other access codes or passwords and keys, or make purchases with or use any of its credit cards or initiate expenditures, quotes, or invoices.

**SECTION 2.** Village of Oakwood Council has not appropriated any wages, payments, or stipends for worked performed by Carlean Perez on or after February 26, 2025 or approved any contracts related to services provided by Carlean Perez.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> Village of Oakwood assumes no liability for any manner of business conducted by Carlean Perez and any circumstances resulting from business conducted by said former employee in any capacity on or after February 26, 2025.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the Village, the reason for the emergency being the same that relates to the daily operation of a municipal department and the ability of the village to provide uninterrupted services to the citizens of the Village, therefore, provided it receives the two-thirds vote of all members of Council elected thereto. Said ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption by this council and approval by the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: <u>78-25</u>	Erica Nikolic, President of Council
Tanya Joseph, Clerk of Council	Erica Nikolic, President of Council
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	Gary v. Gottschalk, Mayor
I, Tanya Joseph, Clerk of Council of the Village of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 2025-54 was duly and regularly passed by this Council at the meeting held on day of, 2025.	
	Tanya Joseph, Clerk of Council
POSTING CERTIFICATE	
State of Ohio, do hereby certify that Ordinance No.	lage of Oakwood, County of Cuyahoga, and 2025-54 was duly posted on the 12th day ordance with the Oakwood Village Charter.
	Tanya Joseph, Clerk of Council
DATED: 7.18.25	