## WRIGHT TOWNSHIP ADOPTS ORDINANCE 2021-08-01 WRIGHT TOWNSHIP COST RECOVERY ORDINANCE

## THE TOWNSHIP OF WRIGHT, COUNTY OF OTTAWA, AND STATE OF MICHIGAN ORDAINS;

**Section 1.** <u>Purpose.</u> This Ordinance establishes cost recovery provisions for the Township, including the assessment of costs and the collection of those costs, they are costs for certain public safety and fire emergency services.

Section 2. <u>Definitions</u>. For the purpose of words used in the full copy of the Ordinance located in the Clerk's office. Which can be purchased or viewed at the Wright Township Office, 1565 Jackson St. Marne MI 49435, on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday from 9:00am – 1:00 pm, or by contacting Clerk Theresa Frank at (616) 677-3048.

**Section 3.** <u>Assessment of Cost.</u> All Assessable Costs may be jointly and severally assessed to any or all responsible parties.

**Section 4.** Exemptions. No charge shall be made against the Township in connection with this Ordinance.

**Section 5.** <u>Notice and Right to Appear Provisions.</u> Any responsible party who receives a statement of cost from the Township will have the opportunity to appear before the Township Board to request a modification of cost.

**Section 6. <u>Failure to Pay: Procedure to Recover</u>.** The Township may authorize Township Attorney to commence a civil action.

Section 7. <u>Severability and Captions.</u> This Ordinance and its various parts, section, subsections, sentences, phrases, and clauses are declared to be severable.

Section 8. Administrative Liability. No Township officer, agent, employee, or member of the Township Board shall be liable for any damages that may accrue to any person as a result of any decision performed in the discharge of duties and responsibilities from the Ordinance.

**Section 9.** Repeal. All resolutions or ordinances in conflict in whole or in part with any provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, repealed.

<u>Section 10. Effective Date.</u> At a regular meeting on August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Wright Township Board adopted this Ordinance. This Ordinance shall be effective 30 days after publication of Notice of Adoption and Posting in the Coopersville Observer.

Theresa Frank, Wright Township Clerk.