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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE CLERK-TREASURER OF THE VILLAGE OF MINERVA PARK TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, DEPARTMENT OF LAW, RICHARD C. PFEIFFER, JR., CITY ATTORNEY, TO PROVIDE PROSECUTION OF CERTAIN CASES BEFORE THE FRANKLIN COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT FOR THE VILLAGE OF MINERVA PARK DURING 2008

WHEREAS, there presently exists a need on occasion for prosecution of certain cases before the Franklin County Municipal Court, Criminal Division, arising out of alleged violations of traffic and criminal statues of the State of Ohio, and of traffic and criminal violations of ordinances of the Village of Minerva Park; and

WHEREAS, there presently exists a need on occasion to undertake to represent the Bureau of Motor Vehicles in cases coming before the Franklin County Municipal Court, Civil Division, arising out of appeal procedures; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Columbus has authorized the City Attorney, City of Columbus, to enter into an agreement with the Village of Minerva Park to furnish legal representation to the Village of Minerva Park;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Council of the Village of Minerva Park, Franklin County, State of Ohio, that:

- Section 1. The Mayor and Clerk-Treasurer of the Village of Minerva Park are hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract, a copy of which is marked Exhibit A and attached hereto, on behalf of the Village of Minerva Park, State of Ohio, with the City of Columbus, State of Ohio, City Attorney's Office, for the Columbus City Attorney to prosecute the Village of Minerva Park's cases in Franklin County Municipal Court and when necessary to appeal said cases, and also to prosecute any cases representing the Bureau of Motor Vehicles in certain cases in the civil division of the Franklin County Municipal Court.
- Section 2. The term of said contract begins January 1, 2008, and expires December 31, 2008, unless terminated earlier as provided in the agreement at the rate of eighty-five dollars (\$85.00) per hour.
- Section 3. All prior resolution(s) or any part thereof, which is(are) inconsistent with this resolution is(are) hereby repealed as to the inconsistent part(s) thereof and the remainder of said resolution(s) not inconsistent with this resolution shall remain in full force and effect.
- <u>Section 4</u>. This resolution shall take effect and be in full force from the earliest period allowed by law.

Lynn Eisentrout, Mayor, Village of Minerva Park

First Reading: September 10, 2007 Second Reading: October 8, 2007 Third Reading: November 12, 2007 Passed: November 12, 2007

> Attest Suzanne Coulter, Clerk-Treasurer, Village of Minerva Park

Reviewed by Counsel

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