

BOROUGH OF PALMYRA

Lebanon County, Pennsylvania

ORDINANCE NO. 828

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PALMYRA, LEBANON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, TO LEVY TAXES UPON ALL TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE BOROUGH FOR THE YEAR 2024.

WHEREAS, the Borough Code, 8 Pa. C.S. §101 et seq., authorizes Borough Council to levy certain taxes upon real property; and

WHEREAS, Section 1302 of the Borough Code, 8 Pa. C.S. §1302, permits Borough Council to levy taxes upon all real property within the Borough made taxable for Borough purposes, as ascertained by the last adjusted valuation for county purposes, at the rate specified in this Ordinance.

BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED by Borough Council of the Borough of Palmyra, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

Section 1. Borough Council of the Borough of Palmyra, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania, hereby levies an annual tax for general Borough purposes upon all taxable real property within the Borough and establishes the millage rate at four and eleven hundredths (4.11) mills based on each dollar of assessed valuation for the year 2024 and hereby levies an annual real property tax rate for fire protection and prevention purposes at the rate of zero and sixty-seven hundredths (0.67) mills and hereby levies an annual real property tax rate for library purposes at the rate of zero and six hundredth (0.06) mills on each dollar of assessed valuation for the year 2024. The tax rates expressed in dollars and cents shall be \$0.411 on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars of assessed value of taxable property for general Borough purposes, \$0.067 for fire protection and prevention purposes, and \$0.006 for library purposes.

Section 2. All payments on taxes made within two (2) months after the date of the tax notice shall be entitled to a discount of two (2%) per centum from the amount of such tax upon making payment of the whole amount thereof within two (2) months and all taxpayers who shall fail to make payment of any such taxes charged against them for four (4) months after date of the tax notice, shall be charged a penalty of ten (10%) per centum which shall be added to the taxes by the tax collector and be collected by him. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Council may change such time periods by resolution if a change is authorized by the Legislature or Declaration of Disaster Emergency by the Governor.

Section 3. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable, and if any section, sentence, clause, part or provision hereof shall be held to be illegal, invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision of the court shall not affect or impair the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, parts or provisions of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to be the intent of Borough Council that this Ordinance would have been adopted if such illegal, invalid or unconstitutional section, sentence, clause, part or provision had not been included herein.

Section 4. All Ordinances or part of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

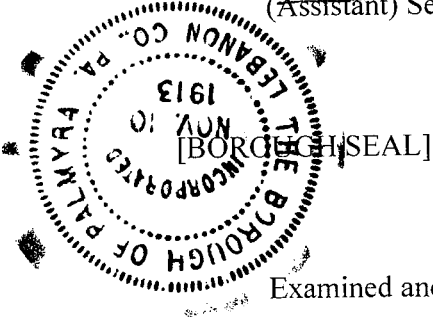
Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2024.

DULY ORDAINED AND ENACTED this 26TH day of December, 2023, by Borough Council of the Borough of Palmyra, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

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Attest: *Roger E. Pond*
(Assistant) Secretary

By: *Beth Shearer*
(Vice) President
Borough Council



Examined and approved as an Ordinance this _____ day of December, 2023.

Mayor

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, (Assistant) Secretary of the Borough of Palmyra, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania ("Borough") certify that: The foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance of Borough Council of the Borough which duly was enacted by affirmative vote of a majority of the members of Borough Council of the Borough of Palmyra at a meeting duly held on the 26th day of December, 2023; and was examined and approved by the Mayor; such Ordinance has been duly recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Borough; such Ordinance has been duly published as required by law; and such Ordinance remains in effect, unaltered and unamended, as of the date of this Certificate.

I further certify that Borough Council of the Borough of Palmyra met the advance notice and public comment requirements of the Sunshine Act, 65 Pa. C.S. §701 et seq., as amended, by advertising the date of said meeting, by posting prominently a notice of said meeting at the principal office of the Borough of Palmyra or at the public building in which said meeting was held, and by providing a reasonable opportunity for public comment at said meeting prior to enacting such Ordinance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I set my hand and affix the official seal of the Borough of Palmyra, this 26th day of December, 2023.

Brenda L. Pera
(Assistant) Secretary

