ORDINANCE NO. 2024-08

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 22-74 NOISE

WHEREAS, Chapters 4 Peace and Good Order, Chapter 7 Nuisances, and Chapter 22 Zoning contain references to noise regulations; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 7-14 (Loud and unnecessary noise) and Chapter 22-74 (Noise) regulate noise in a manner that is not consistent with each other; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 22-74 prohibits noise at decibel levels above normal conversation (55-65 dB) in all residential and commercial districts and prohibit noise at decibel levels above a washing machine (70 dB) in industrial districts; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 7-14 Loud and unnecessary noise regulates noise in a more reasonable manner and attainable levels than Chapter 22-74.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Sherwood does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 22-74 Noise is struck in its entirety.

Section 2. The appropriate Village officials are hereby authorized and directed to take such action as is necessary to effectuate the terms of this Ordinance.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force upon its passage and publication as provided by law.

Adopted this 20day of August, 2024

VILLAGE OF SHERWOOD

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