

ORDINANCE NO. 2020 - 15

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR  
TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR AND PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO  
WATER/WASTEWATER AGENCY RESPONSE NETWORK

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 5502.29 authorizes municipal corporations to enter into mutual aid agreements, for purposes of preparing for, responding to, and recovering from an incident, disaster, exercise, training activity, planned event, or emergency, any of which requires additional resources; and

WHEREAS, certain Ohio water and wastewater agencies have formed the "Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network," (Ohio WARN), to share resources and to assist each other in the form of personnel, equipment, materials and supplies in the event of emergencies that disrupt utility services; and

WHEREAS, the Members have agreed to enter into an "Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network Mutual Aid Agreement," ("Agreement"), to describe the terms and conditions under which emergency assistance may be requested and provided; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines that the public interest would be well served by New London's participation in this program; Now, Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW LONDON, HURON COUNTY, OHIO:

Section 1. That the Village Administrator be, and hereby he is, authorized and directed to execute such documents as may be necessary to allow New London to participate as a member of the Ohio WARN, and is further authorized to proceed to utilize its services and to make services available as may be necessary during emergency situations, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Ohio WARN Program. The Administrator shall serve as the Village's designated official and representative in connection with that Program; and John Chapin/Don Patton, shall serve as the alternate.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: June 22, 2020

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
FISCAL OFFICER