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A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE PUBLISHING OF THE OHIO CHECKBOOK TRANSPARENCY WEBSITE FOR THE VILLAGE OF WEST LAFAYETTE

WHEREAS, an open and transparent government benefits local taxpayers, elected officials, and the public at-large; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Treasurer's office has created OhioCheckbook.com for the purpose of displaying government finances in a searchable format available at the fingertips of taxpayers across Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the Village of West Lafayette and its government officials value a transparent and open government and therefore commit to partnering with the Ohio Treasurer's office to place the Village of West Lafayette's checkbook expenditures on Ohiocheckbook.com and will strive to maintain this data online in the future for all constituents to see.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of West Lafayette, State of Ohio as follows:

SECTION I: That the Village of West Lafayette will provide checkbook level expenditure information, in an electronic format prescribed by and in partnership with the Ohio Treasurer's office, for posting on the transparency website Ohiocheckbook.com to ensure citizens may readily access how their tax dollars are spent; and

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 17 day of December 2018

Stephen R. Bordenkircher, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amy Bourne, Fiscal Officer