

Village of Mantua, Ohio  
**ORDINANCE 2013-55**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 159.05 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF MANTUA, RELATING TO THE NUMBER OF MEETINGS OF THE MANTUA HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION PER YEAR.**

**WHEREAS**, the Mantua Village Historic Landmarks Commission has requested that it be permitted to meet more than four times per year; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 159.05 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Mantua must be amended in order to address this request.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the Village of Mantua, Ohio, a majority or more of the members elected thereto concurring that:

**SECTION 1:** Existing Section 159.05 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Mantua is hereby repealed.

**SECTION 2:** Section 159.05 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Mantua is hereby enacted as follows:

159.05: MEETINGS

The Commission shall hold a minimum of four (4) meetings on an annual basis as determined by the Chairperson of the Commission; and additional meetings when required as a result of an application for a certificate of appropriateness or an emergency relating to any listed property. All such meetings shall be held in the Village Council Chambers. All meetings must have a previously advertised agenda unless such emergency conditions exist as to present a threat to the property owner's or the general public's health or safety. Public notice must be given at least one week prior to all special meetings except in an emergency situation. A quorum shall be a simple majority of the Commission voting members.

**SECTION 3:** It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 4:** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage by at least a majority of the members elected to the Mantua Village Council, at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED IN COUNCIL this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

ATTEST:

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Linda Clark, Mayor

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Jenny August, Clerk Treasurer

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I hereby certify the above Ordinance was posted at the five (5) public notice locations in the Village of Mantua, Ohio on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

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Jenny August, Clerk Treasurer

Approved as to Legal Form:

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Michele A. Stuck, Village Solicitor

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: June 18, 2013  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: July 16, 2013  
3<sup>rd</sup> Reading: August 19, 2013  
Effective: September 18, 2013