

**ORDINANCE NO.: 68 -2003**

**VILLAGE OF SILVER LAKE**

**INTRODUCED BY: Mr. Scott**

**AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A SALARY INCREASE FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS OF THE VILLAGE OF SILVER LAKE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 4.15 OF THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF SILVER LAKE, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, Council salaries have not been reviewed since 2001; and

**WHEREAS**, the Personnel and Public Affairs Committee has recommended a salary increase for Council members of the Village of Silver Lake, Ohio.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the Village of Silver Lake, County of Summit and State of Ohio:

**Section 1.** That the Council members elected to terms commencing on January 1, 2004 and each term thereafter shall receive compensation in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) per month; the President of Council shall receive compensation in the amount of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) per month.

**Section 2.** That the Clerk-Treasurer of the Village of Silver Lake is hereby authorized to pay the Council members on a monthly basis at the above stated rates effective January, 2004.

**Section 3.** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**Section 4.** That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the Village of Silver Lake and the inhabitants thereof, by reason that it is immediately necessary to determine the salary of council members before the filing deadline for the November, 2003, election, and provided it receives the necessary affirmative votes as required by the Village Charter, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law.

