

RESOLUTION NO. 4-2026

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF
OFFICER JAMES V. NEAL AS A FULL TIME POLICE OFFICER
FOR THE PERRY VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Village of Perry Mayor due to an immediate need to provide coverage for the Perry Village Police Department, appointed Officer James V. Neal as a Full Time Police Officer on December 18, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Council finds it to be in the best interest of the Village to confirm the appointment of Officer James V. Neal; and

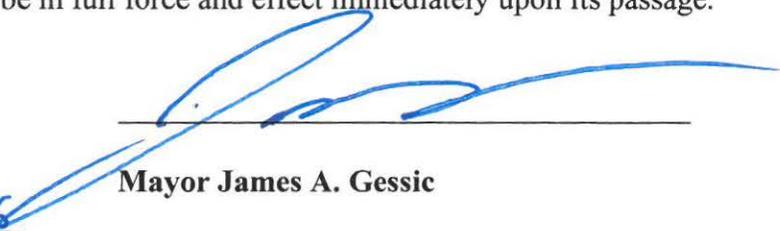
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PERRY, COUNTY OF LAKE AND STATE OF OHIO, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That, the Village of Perry Council finds and determines that it is in the best interest of the Village of Perry to confirm the appointment of Officer James V. Neal as a Full Time Police Officer under the policies and procedures of the Department.

Section 2. That all formal actions of this Council concerning the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting, and all deliberations of this Council, or any of its Committees, which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be and is passed as an emergency measure, the emergency being the need to properly staff the Village Police Department and ensure the safety of residents. Said Resolution is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the Village of Perry.

Wherefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.



Mayor James A. Gessic

Adopted: January 8, 2026

Attest: John H. Roskos

John H. Roskos, Fiscal Officer