

ORDINANCE NO. 4-75

CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

Sponsored by Councilman Ralph Spencer on the 20th day of January, 1975.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE CENTERVILLE BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION AND DESIGNATING POWERS AND DUTIES FOR SAID COMMISSION.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTERVILLE HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Creation. There is hereby established a commission to be known as the Centerville Bicentennial Commission of the American Revolution. The Commission shall consist of six members and a chairman, to be appointed by Council. The Mayor and City Manager shall be members ex officio of said Commission. The terms of appointment of the Chairman and the members shall commence upon the effective date of the ordinance appointing said members and shall expire on December 31, 1977. The Chairman and members shall serve without compensation.

Section 2. Purpose of the Commission. The purpose of the Commission shall be to help the people of Centerville plan and implement a rewarding and worthwhile Bicentennial Celebration with events scheduled throughout 1976 and with results that will last beyond 1976.

Section 3. Powers and Duties. The Commission may perform and exercise the following powers and duties:

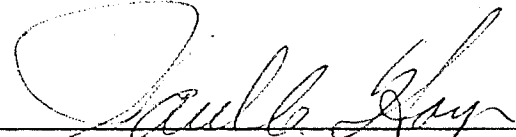
- (a) Acquire, on behalf of the City, all necessary real and personal property by gift, and, with specific approval of Council, by purchase or lease.
- (b) Develop for the community, historic programs, pageants, re-enactments, educational programs, restoration, preservation of historical sites and buildings, marking of historical sites, routes and trails, special exhibits and projects which emphasize our heritage, and, art and cultural programs, fairs, festivals, exhibits, parades, and any other activities which the Commission feels will enhance the Bicentennial Celebration.
- (c) Engage in fund raising activities with specific approval of Council as required to support the program.
- (d) Adopt rules and regulations for the Commission's business.
- (e) Act as an executive committee and recruit citizens and groups to work as committees on various aspects of the program.
- (f) Cooperate with all official City boards, commissions, committees, and with any municipal, township, county, state or federal agency engaged in similar pursuits.

The powers and duties herein granted to the Commission shall be subject to review and approval of the Council. The Commission shall furnish a report to the Council six months from the naming of the members which shall report

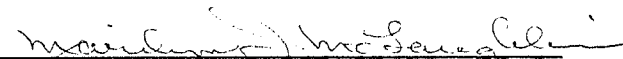
on its activities and programs planned. Thereafter the Commission shall furnish an annual report to the Council at the end of each calendar year. The City Manager shall furnish such advice and assistance to the Bicentennial Commission as may be required to effectuate the planning and program as approved by the Council. The Municipal Attorney shall act as counsel to said Commission.

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective from and after the earliest date allowed by law.

Passed this 20th day of January, 1975.


MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CENTERVILLE

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Council of the City
of Centerville, Ohio

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Clerk of the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 4-75 passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, on the 20th day of January, 1975.


Clerk of the Council

Approved as to form, consistency
with existing laws, and the
charter & constitution of the State of Ohio.

Robert H. Farquhar
Municipal Attorney