**ORDINANCE NO. 2019-03**

**AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A CREDIT CARD POLICY COMPLIANT WITH NEWLY ENACTED PROVISIONS OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE AND DELARING AN EMERGENCY**

 **WHEREAS,** the Ohio State Legislature has recently enacted House Bill 312, regulating the use of credit cards and debit cards by political subdivisions; and

 **WHEREAS**, House Bill 312 further requires the legislative authority of a political subdivision that holds a credit card account on its effective date to adopt a written policy, which must comply with the various requirements of the new law, for the use of credit card accounts not later than three months after its effective date; and

 **WHEREAS,** this Council wishes to enact new regulations pertaining to the use of the Village Credit Cards as contained in this Ordinance to comply with the current law.

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

**SECTION I**

 The attached Exhibit A is hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION II**

 This Ordinance and Exhibit shall be made a part of the Village Handbook and shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION III**

 This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Village. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED: APPROVED:

ATTEST: MAYOR Ryan Shoffstall

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Fiscal Officer Rebecca Larrabee