

ORDINANCE NO. 50-2013

Approving a Contract with Perry Township,
Franklin County, Ohio to Designate a Joint
Economic Development Zone.

WHEREAS, the City and Perry Township have been working in cooperation to develop a contract for the designation of a Joint Economic Development Zone (JEDZ) for the purpose of facilitating new and/or expanded growth for commercial and economic development; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §715.691, Perry Township is required to place the question of the approval of the contract creating the JEDZ on the ballot for a vote by its residents; and,

WHEREAS, Perry Township wishes to conduct that election at the May 2014 primary, and,

WHEREAS, if a majority of the electors of the Township voting on the issue vote in favor of the contract to designate the JEDZ, the contract may then be executed by the City and the Township effective in accordance with its terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, County of Franklin, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is authorized to execute and deliver the Joint Economic Development Zone Contract attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof, upon receipt by Perry Township of the certified results of the May 2014 primary election indicating a majority vote by the electors of Perry Township in favor of the Contract.

SECTION 2. That notice of passage of this Ordinance shall be by publication of a notice, one time, in a newspaper of general circulation in the City setting forth the title and effective date of the Ordinance and a statement that the Ordinance is on file in the office of the Clerk of Council, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and by the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio.

Passed: January 6, 2014

[Signature on File]
President of Council

Attest:

[Signature on File]
Temporary Clerk of Council

Introduced December 9, 2013
P.H. January 6, 2014
Effective January 29, 2014