

173.03 LEGAL DEFENSE AND COSTS.

173.03 LEGAL DEFENSE AND COSTS.

Document type	section
Identifier	173.03
Citation	§ 173.03
Ordinances detected	S, 116-84, 51-86
Original source	American Legal Publishing
Content hash	698604446ab1e18e643d09d9aaa4b4d8646fbe071d5d7efbdee7a587d7dbc429

- Skip to main content
- Search
- Sitemap
- Login
- Select Language
- Resources
- Skip to code content (skip section selection)
- 2025-04 (current)
- Sheffield Lake Overview
- Codified Ordinances of Sheffield Lake, OH
- CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SHEFFIELD LAKE, OHIO
- CERTIFICATION
- ROSTER OF OFFICIALS
- ADOPTING ORDINANCE NO. 116-84
- COMPARATIVE SECTION TABLE
- TABLES OF SPECIAL ORDINANCES OF SHEFFIELD LAKE
- CHARTER

PART ONE - ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

TITLE ONE - General Provisions

TITLE THREE - Legislative

TITLE FIVE - Administrative

CHAPTER 121 Mayor

CHAPTER 123 Treasurer

CHAPTER 127 Department of Law

CHAPTER 129 Department of Finance

CHAPTER 131 Department of Public Safety

CHAPTER 133 Division of Police

CHAPTER 135 Division of Fire

CHAPTER 137 Division of Building Inspection

CHAPTER 138 Division of Health

CHAPTER 139 Department of Public Service

CHAPTER 141 Division of Water

CHAPTER 143 Division of Sewers

CHAPTER 145 Division of Streets and Roads

CHAPTER 147 Division of Sanitation

CHAPTER 149 Department of Taxation

CHAPTER 151 Engineer

CHAPTER 153 Forester

CHAPTER 155 Animal Control Officer

CHAPTER 157 Civil Service Commission

CHAPTER 158 Block Grant Grievance Board

CHAPTER 159 Economic Development Advisory Board

CHAPTER 161 Board of Zoning and Building Appeals (Repealed)

CHAPTER 163 Park-Recreation Board (Repealed)

CHAPTER 164 Records Commission

CHAPTER 165 Rate Review Board

CHAPTER 167 Planning Commission

CHAPTER 168 Board of Control

CHAPTER 169 Employment Provisions

CHAPTER 171 Community Center Board of Trustees

CHAPTER 173 Legal Defense and Indemnification

173.01 INDEMNIFICATION.

173.02 SETTLING CLAIMS.

173.03 LEGAL DEFENSE AND COSTS.

CHAPTER 175 ADA Coordinator

CHAPTER 177 Part-Time Grant Administrator

TITLE SEVEN - Judicial

TITLE NINE - Taxation

PART THREE - TRAFFIC CODE

PART FIVE - GENERAL OFFENSES CODE

PART SEVEN - BUSINESS REGULATION CODE

PART NINE - STREETS, UTILITIES AND PUBLIC SERVICES CODE

PART ELEVEN - PLANNING AND ZONING CODE

PART THIRTEEN - BUILDING CODE

PART FIFTEEN - FIRE PREVENTION CODE

OH

Sheffield Lake

Codified Ordinances of Sheffield Lake, OH

173.03 LEGAL DEFENSE AND COSTS.

CHAPTER 173 Legal Defense and Indemnification

CHAPTER 173

Legal Defense and Indemnification

173.01 Indemnification.

173.02 Settling claims.

173.03 Legal defense and costs.

CROSS REFERENCES

State law provisions - see Ohio R.C. 9.87

173.01 INDEMNIFICATION.

If there is no liability or other insurance in place that provides coverage against claims made against any elected officials, appointed officials or employees of the City, the City shall hold harmless and indemnify all elected officials, appointed officials and employees from any lawsuit or claim filed against them as a result of their conduct while acting in their official capacity as an official or employee of the City, provided the official or employee has not acted in a malicious manner and/or has not acted in a manner beyond the scope of their employment and/or has not acted in a manner known or that should have been known to them to be improper, illegal or violative of their duties and/or responsibilities to the City.

(Ord. 51-86. Passed 6-10-86.)

173.02 SETTling CLAIMS.

Nothing in this chapter shall obligate the City to consult with or obtain the permission of any official or employee prior to settling or otherwise resolving any claims made against any official or employee of the City.

(Ord. 51-86. Passed 6-10-86.)

173.03 LEGAL DEFENSE AND COSTS.

Should any claims be made for which the City has responsibility pursuant to Section 173.01, the City shall also pay and be responsible for the attorney fees and expenses of suit provided, however, the City shall have the sole and exclusive right to choose the attorney or attorneys who will represent the City and the officials or employees involved.

(Ord. 51-86. Passed 6-10-86.)

Disclaimer: This Code of Ordinances and/or any other documents that appear on this site may not reflect the most current legislation adopted by the Municipality. American Legal Publishing provides these documents for informational purposes only. These documents should not be relied upon as the definitive authority for local legislation. Additionally, the formatting and pagination of the posted documents varies from the formatting and pagination of the official copy. The official printed copy of a Code of Ordinances should be consulted prior to any action being taken.

For further information regarding the official version of any of this Code of Ordinances or other documents posted on this site, please contact the Municipality directly or contact American Legal Publishing toll-free at 800-445-5588.

Hosted by: American Legal Publishing

[Back to Code Library](#)

[Previous Doc](#)

[Next Doc](#)

0 items available

Detected legislative history

- Ordinances of Sheffield Lake, OH
 - ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SHEFFIELD LAKE, OHIO
 - ORDINANCE NO. 116-84
 - ORDINANCES OF SHEFFIELD LAKE
 - Repealed)
 - ords Commission
 - ordinator
 - Ord. 51-86
 - Ordinances and/or any other documents that appear on this site may not reflect the most current legislation adopted by the Municipality
 - Ordinances should be consulted prior to any action being taken
 - Ordinances or other documents posted on this site, please contact the Municipality directly or contact American Legal Publishing toll-free at 800-445-5588
-

Imported automatically by MunicipalWiki. The original publisher remains the authoritative source pending legal normalization and verification.

Revision #1

Created 2026-07-18 21:33:00 UTC by MunicipalWiki Indexer

Updated 2026-07-18 21:33:00 UTC by MunicipalWiki Indexer