

ORDINANCE NO. 02013-25

**AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING
THE CITY MANAGER TO ALLOW THE
GALLIA COUNTY FARMERS MARKET BOARD
TO SET UP A FARMERS MARKET
ADJACENT TO THE GALLIPOLIS CITY PARK**

WHEREAS, the City Commission desires to have a Farmers Market in downtown Gallipolis; and

WHEREAS, the Gallia County Farmers Market Board is desirous of having a Farmers Market in downtown Gallipolis; and

WHEREAS, having a Farmers Market inside the City during the growing season to provide fresh produce to consumers will be advantageous to both parties as well as to the citizenry of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has recommended in writing the passage of this Ordinance as an emergency measure as it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and property and in order to provide for the usual operations of the municipal departments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Commission of the City of Gallipolis, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1: That the City Manager is authorized and directed to allow the Gallia County Farmers Market Board to set up a Farmers Market on one side of the City Park from May through October each year.

SECTION 2: Sales dates for the Farmers Market will be on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

SECTION 3: Each vendor will be charged \$5.00 annually to cover City income tax and other costs.

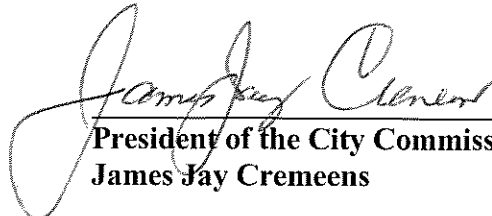
SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage as an emergency measure and retroactive to May 1, 2013.

PASSED: May 7, 2013

ATTEST:




Clerk of the City Commission
Annette M. Landers



President of the City Commission
James Jay Cremeens

The foregoing Ordinance is hereby approved as to form according to City Charter.



Gallipolis City Solicitor
Adam R. Salisbury