

**ORDINANCE 1999**

**AN ORDINANCE FOR THE REDUCTION OF THE 2025 BUDGET**

**WHEREAS**, The use and expenditure of money is required to carry on necessary governmental functions;  
and

**WHEREAS**, The amount of money to carry on necessary governmental functions is prescribed in the budget for the year 2025 as determined by the Department of Local Government Finance through their budget order and by the Town Council through Ordinance 1966; and

**WHEREAS**, It has been shown that certain existing accounts will not spend their original appropriation amounts in the budget year 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, By reducing the 2025 budget, the respective fund budgets will be balanced and in a better fiscal position in 2026; now, therefore, be it

**ORDAINED**, By the Town Council of the Town of Munster, Lake County, Indiana, that the following funds are hereby reduced by the amounts listed.

Fund #	Fund	Reduction Amount
1101	General	\$ 400,000
2201	Motor Vehicle Highway - Unrestricted	\$ 75,000
2203	Motor Vehicle Highway - Restricted	\$ 1,000,000
2204	Park & Recreation	\$ 75,000
2250	Municipal Wheel Tax	\$ 25,000
2580	Sewer Maintenance	\$ 200,000
3330	Redevelopment Bond Reserve	\$ 600,000
3331	Economic Development Bond Reserve	\$ 2,100,000
4406	Redevelopment Operating	\$ 2,000
4445	TIF-Main Fund	\$ 750,000
6101	Water Cash Operating	\$ 100,000
7727	Self-Funded Health Insurance	\$ 166,889

**ORDAINED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Munster on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 2025, by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_ in favor and \_\_\_\_ opposed.

**TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN  
OF MUNSTER, LAKE COUNTY,  
INDIANA.**

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**George Shinkan, President**

**ATTEST:**

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**Wendy Mis, Clerk-Treasurer**