



# CITY OF LIMA

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Lima City Council  
50 Town Square  
Lima, OH 45801

Re: St. Rita's Mercy Health Office Space

Dear Council:

The Mayor has authorized legislation to accept the gracious offer from St. Rita's Mercy Health to allow the Lima Police Department to utilize the third floor of the GME Building for LPD's Defensive Tactics training.

The third floor is "shell space" set aside for potential further growth and the understanding is that if or when St. Rita's has a use for the space, our arrangement will be terminated. This allows for a beneficial partnership between LPD and St. Rita's, who has a campus police department. Joint training and relationship building will take place through this arrangement.

Sincerely,

Reviewed:

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James Baker  
Chief of Police

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Meri Foster  
Director of Finance

Approved:

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Sharetta T. Smith, JD, MBA  
Mayor