

TEMPORARY RESOLUTION NO. 62-17

PERMANENT RESOLUTION NO. 65-17

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE APPOINTMENT OF MITCH HARDEN AS ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR IN THE LAW DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

BE IT RESOLVED BY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, STATE OF OHIO

SECTION 1. That the appointment of Mitch Harden as Assistant Prosecutor in the Law Director and City Prosecutor's Office is and the same is hereby approved with a starting date to be provided in writing to the Auditor's Office.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: 6/26/17 after 2nd reading. Vote: Yeas 9 Nays 0

Date Approved: 6/26/17

Clerk: Jessica Lee Sandy

Mr. B. Hays  
President of Council

[Signature]  
Mayor

Offered by: [Signature]

Second by: [Signature]

Requested by Law Committee

# Mitchell R. Harden, Esq.

## Educational Background

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### Capital University Law School

Juris Doctor, (May 2016)  
Dean's Scholarship  
Treasurer, Criminal Law Society

### The Ohio State University

Bachelor of Arts: Psychology, (May 2013)  
Minor: Criminology  
Concentration: Criminal Justice  
Excellence Scholarship

- Morrill Scholars Program, The Ohio State University Office of Diversity and Inclusion

Treasurer, Ohio State University Club Golf

## Professional Experience

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### Franklin County Prosecutor's Office, (May 2014-Present)

Senior Intern

- Compile discovery, perform legal research, and respond to various motions from defense attorneys
- Conduct evidence suppression hearings on felony cases
- Assist Prosecutors in organizing exhibits and preparing witnesses for trial
- Supervise and train legal interns
- Assist in the implementation of an electronic database to improve prosecutorial work

### Capital University Law School Legal Clinic, (January 2016-May 2016)

Legal Intern

- Provide free legal representation to clients in domestic, civil, landlord-tenant, and criminal cases
- Interview, advise, and provide regular correspondence to clients
- Conduct legal proceedings on behalf of clients
- Draft complaints, wills, contracts, and other legal documents
- Maintain professional, detailed trial notebooks
- Perform legal research

## Licensures and Affiliations

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- Licensed to practice law in Ohio and in good standing with the Supreme Court of Ohio
- Ohio State Bar Association
- American Bar Association-Young Lawyers Division