

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-065

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR, AND/OR CITY ENGINEER OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO APPLY FOR AND SIGN ANY APPLICABLE GRANT AGREEMENT(S) OR RELATED DOCUMENTS FOR THE OHIO PARKS AND NATURAL RESOURCES NATUREWORKS GRANT PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Findlay would now like to apply for an additional fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000.00) through the aforementioned grant program, to be used toward restoration of Riverside Park Shelter buildings to include the removal of loose defective mortar joints, power washing, tuck and point all defective joints, and the sealing of the building using H-177 sealer, and;

WHEREAS, said grant is offered annually and is funded through the Ohio Parks and Natural Resources Bond issue which provides up to seventy-five percent (75%) reimbursement assistance for local government subdivisions for the acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas. If awarded, the City of Findlay's matching share would be twenty-five percent (25%) or three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), and;

WHEREAS, Council desires to authorize the Mayor, Service-Safety Director, and/or City Engineer of the City of Findlay, Ohio to apply for and sign any applicable grant agreement(s) or related documents for the Ohio Parks and Natural Resources NatureWorks Grant program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Findlay, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor, Service-Safety Director, and/or City Engineer of the City of Findlay, Ohio be and they are hereby authorized to apply for and sign any applicable grant agreement(s) or related documents for the Ohio Parks and Natural Resources NatureWorks Grant program.

SECTION 2: This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Findlay, Ohio, and for the further reason it is immediately necessary to authorize the applying for and signing of said grant agreement(s) or related documents so that this grant agreement may be secured forthwith and executed so that these grant funds may be utilized for their intended purposes;

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.



PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL



MAYOR

PASSED July 5, 2022

ATTEST Dennis DeVore
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED July 5, 2022