

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-022

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO INDIVIDUALLY ENTER INTO ANY PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT(S) IN RELATION TO THE NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT PROGRAM THAT HAVE BEEN AGREED TO BY THE STATE OF OHIO, DECLARING A REAL AND PRESENT EMERGENCY.


WHEREAS, Council desires to authorize the Mayor of the City of Findlay, Ohio to individually enter into any participation agreement(s) in relation to the National Opioid Settlement Program that have been agreed to by the State of Ohio. Once the State of Ohio has agreed to participate in any new settlement agreement within the national program, the subdivisions of the State, which includes the City of Findlay, are invited to participate in each settlement as well. These settlements are an opt-in program. The City would then be eligible to collect monies as the individual settlements of the multiple cases are reached as part of the National Opioid Settlement Program.

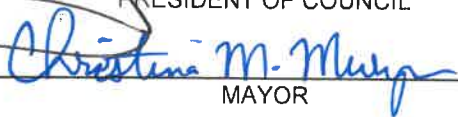
NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Findlay, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor of the City of Findlay be and she is hereby authorized to individually enter into any participation agreement (s) in relation to the National Opioid Settlement Program that have been agreed to by the State of Ohio.

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 sign all necessary agreement(s) in order to participate in their settlement programs.

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 March 7, 2023

ATTEST Denise DeVore
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED March 7, 2023