## ORDINANCE NO. 2024-073

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR AND/OR CITY ENGINEER OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO EXECUTE THE NECESSARY AGREEMENTS IN ORDER TO RECEIVE AWARDED REIMBURSEMENT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY DIVISION OF DRINKING AND GROUND WATER FOR EQUIPMENT FUNDING THROUGH THE H2OHIO EQUIPMENT GRANT PROJECT, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THERETO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Council desires to authorize the Mayor, Service-Safety Director and/or City Engineer of the City of Findlay, Ohio to execute the aforementioned agreements to upgrade equipment such as telescope valve wrenches, couplings, and distribution clean water pumps at the City of Findlay Water Distribution Department.

WHEREAS, said grant requires no City of Findlay match and is designed to reimburse the City of said new equipment.

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 Engineer of the City of Findlay, Ohio be and they are hereby authorized to execute the necessary agreements with the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Division of Drinking and Ground Water in order to receive reimbursement funds to be utilized for the upgrading of equipment at the City of Findlay Water Distribution Department.

SECTION 2: That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated:

FROM: OEPA Drinking Water Distribution Grant \$3,712.40

TO: Drinking Water Distribution Equipment Grant #35742800-other \$ 3,712.40

SECTION 3: 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 execute the aforementioned agreements, as well as appropriate funds, in order to receive and utilize grant funding.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and

approval by the Mayor.

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

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ATTEST

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED May 21, 2024