

## **ORDINANCE 25-22**

**AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING ONEOHIO SUBDIVISION SETTLEMENT FUNDS AND DIRECTING PLACEMENT OF SUCH FUNDS INTO A SEPARATE FUND TO BE USED ONLY FOR THE APPROVED PURPOSES AS REQUIRED BY THE ONEOHIO MOU, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, Ordinance 22-21 was adopted by the Council for the City of Port Clinton on August 10, 2021, which authorized the Safety Service Director to accept the material terms of the OneOhio Subdivision Settlement on behalf of the City of Port Clinton pursuant to the OneOhio MOU; and

WHEREAS, the City has been notified by the Ohio Attorney General that the first payment of funds from the OneOhio Subdivision Settlement with the opioid distributors McKesson Corporation, Cardinal Health, Inc. and AmerisourceBergen Corporation has been distributed to eligible local governments including the City of Port Clinton; and

WHEREAS, the State Auditor has recommended that eligible local governments, including the City of Port Clinton, accept the Settlement Funds from the OneOhio Subdivision Settlement with McKesson Corporation, Cardinal Health, Inc. and AmerisourceBergen Corporation ("Settlement Funds") subject to the adoption of an Ordinance that the local government's share of the OneOhio Subdivision Settlement Funds be placed into a separate fund and be used only for the approved purposes as required by OneOhio MOU.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT CLINTON, STATE OF OHIO:**

Section 1. The City of Port Clinton hereby agrees to accept the OneOhio Subdivision Settlement Funds pursuant to the OneOhio MOU and that such Settlement Funds be placed into a separate fund called the OneOhio Settlement Fund and used only for the approved purposes required by the OneOhio MOU.

Section 2. Prior to expending any of the Settlement Funds in the OneOhio Settlement Fund, the City official requesting use of such Settlement Funds shall provide a written explanation how the expenditure meets the approved purposes definition of the OneOhio MOU, City Council shall approve the expenditure, and each expenditure shall be tracked and adequate documentation of the expenditure be maintained by the City Auditor.

Section 3. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and any of its committees concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council or committees, and that all deliberations of this Council, and any of its committees, that resulted in those actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the Village and for the further reason that it is necessary to enact this Ordinance immediately in order to segregate the OneOhio Settlement Funds into a proper fund to provide for the expenditure of the funds in accordance with the OneOhio MOU; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2022

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President of Council

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Council

Approve \_\_\_\_\_, 2022

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Mayor