

ORDINANCE 19 - 23

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING GRANT MONEY, FROM THE OHIO AMBULANCE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM, PAYABLE TO CURRENT EMS EMPLOYEES OF THE PORT CLINTON FIRE DEPARTMENT THAT WORKED FROM JANUARY 27, 2020, THROUGH APRIL 9, 2023, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Port Clinton Fire Department was awarded a grant from the Ohio Ambulance Transportation Program, in the amount of \$20,000, as premium pay to EMS employees, that are currently employed with the Port Clinton Fire Department and that worked between January 27, 2020, through April 9, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City of Port Clinton would like to accept the grant money and all future grants on behalf of the Port Clinton Fire Department so it can be properly disbursed to the eligible EMS employees per the requirements of the grant.

**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 grant money, in the amount of \$20,000, and all future grants from the Ohio Ambulance Transportation Program.

Section 2. Grant funds shall be utilized as premium pay to eligible workers currently employed in EMS operations of the Port Clinton Fire Department, distributed equally per employee in lump sum, subject to program guidelines and the U.S. Treasury Final Rule on Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds.

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 City and for the further reason that it is necessary to enact this Ordinance immediately in order allow the City to accept the grant money immediately; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

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President of Council

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

Approve \_\_\_\_\_, 2023

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Mayor