## ORDINANCE 23-23

## AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF SAFETY AND SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE PARK DISTRICT OF OTTAWA COUNTY FOR THE RECREATIONAL AMENITIES PLAN FOR THE CITY OF PORT CLINTON

WHEREAS, the City of Port Clinton intends to increase within the community the availability of enjoyable, accessible and inclusive multigenerational recreational experiences for residents; and further, seeks to develop an actionable plan, informed by best practices in urban planning and public engagement and feedback, for achievable recreational improvements for implementation in the near term;

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Port Clinton approved Resolution 23-10 on August 8, 2023, authorizing and directing the City to solicit qualifications from professional planning and design firms for a recreational amenities survey and plan including preliminary design, and enter into contract negotiations for services;

WHEREAS, the Council approved Ordinance 22-23 on October 10, 2023, authorizing and directing the Director of Safety and Service to enter into an agreement with OHM Advisors for professional planning and design services for the recreational amenities survey and plan for the City of Port Clinton;

WHEREAS, the Park District of Ottawa County has authorized \$50,000.00 to pay cost share of the recreational amenities plan by OHM Advisors subject to execution of a Memorandum of Understanding between the Park District and the City of Port Clinton, available on file in the Office of the Director of Safety and Service; and

WHEREAS, the Council has considered the benefits to the City by executing the Memorandum of Understanding and finds and determines that the Director of Safety and Service shall execute the Memorandum of Understanding as authorized by the Ordinance.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, Ottawa County, and State of Ohio:

**Section 1.** The Director of Safety and Service is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Park District of Ottawa County for the recreational amenities plan for the City of Port Clinton.

**Section 2.** This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council and that all deliberations of the Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions are in meeting open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2023

President of Council

Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 2023

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

Mayor