

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-34

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TITLED, ONEOHIO OPIOID FUND, FUND NO. 229, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Ohio has reached a settlement agreement with the three (3) largest distributors of opioids; and

WHEREAS, money from the settlement allocates funds to the communities hit hardest by the opioid crisis; and

WHEREAS, a Special Revenue Fund titled OneOhio Opioid Fund is now necessary to be established to account for the proceeds, which shall be used to promote an effective and meaningful means of abating the opioid epidemic;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOWICK, THE COUNTY OF LAKE, AND THE STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to establish a Special Revenue Fund titled, OneOhio Opioid Fund, Fund No. 229.

SECTION 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were conducted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such actions were conducted in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Willowick.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the community; and for the further reason to provide for immediate account funding; and provided that it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected to Council, it shall be in full force and take effect immediately upon its adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall be in full force and take effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall be in full force and take effect immediately upon its adoption by Council and its approval by the Mayor, or at the earliest period allowed by law.

Adopted by Council: _____, 2022

Robert Patton, Council President

Submitted to the Mayor: _____, 2022

Richard J. Regovich, Mayor

Approved by the Mayor: _____, 2022

ATTEST: _____
Angela Trend, Clerk of Council