A-39 Presented by the Administration Upon Recommendation of the Planning Commission CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO ORDINANCE NO. - 2012 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT A GRANT FROM SUMMIT COUNTY, THROUGH THE OHIO AND ERIE CANALWAY COALITION, TO SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF THE GORGE TERRACE NEIGHBORHOOD TRAIL AND GREENWAY PLAN. AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Art. VIII, §1.7 of the Charter of the City of Cuyahoga Falls requires that all affirmative decisions made by the Planning Commission be submitted to Council, and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2012 the Planning Commission approved making application to the Ohio and Erie Canalway Coalition for the award of funding by the Summit County Community Grant Projects program, for development of the Gorge Terrace Neighborhood Trail & Greenway Plan, based on the visioning document attached hereto as Exhibit "A,"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, County of Summit, and State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Director of Community Development is authorized to apply for and accept a grant from Summit County, through the Ohio and Erie Canalway Coalition, for financial support for the development of the Gorge Terrace Neighborhood Trail & Greenway Plan, as reviewed and recommended by the Planning Commission, and as more fully described in the visioning document attached hereto as Exhibit "A," and in the grant application now on file with the Clerk of Council in Council File No. ______.

<u>Section 2.</u> Any other ordinances or resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 3. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, to the extent applicable, including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

 Section 4. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Cuyahoga Falls and the inhabitants thereof, for the reason that it is immediately necessary to permit timely and appropriate development of this property, and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two thirds of the members elected or appointed to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law.

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