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4 CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

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6 ORDINANCE NO. 37 - 2007

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8 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER  
9 INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER  
10 OF POLICE/OHIO LABOR COUNCIL (FOP/OLC)  
11 REPRESENTING THE DISPATCHERS, EFFECTIVE FROM  
12 JULY 1, 2005 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2008, AND  
13 DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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15 WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4117 gives public employees the right to  
16 bargain collectively with their public employers regarding wages, hours, terms and  
17 other conditions of employment and enter into collective bargaining agreements; and  
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19 WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4117 provides that public employers "shall"  
20 bargain collectively with an exclusive representative of employees; and  
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22 WHEREAS, the Mayor and his representative and the FOP/OLC (Dispatchers) have  
23 bargained collectively, and said bargaining has resulted in a tentative agreement on a  
24 collective bargaining agreement from July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2008; and  
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26 WHEREAS, the membership of the Union has voted to ratify said collective  
27 bargaining agreement; and  
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29 WHEREAS, R.C. Chapter 4117 specifies that the public employer is required to  
30 submit to the appropriate legislative body a request for funds necessary to implement a  
31 collective bargaining agreement and for approval of any other matter requiring the  
32 approval of the appropriate legislative body;  
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34 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls,  
35 County of Summit and State of Ohio:  
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37 Section 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement between  
38 the FOP/OLC (representing the Dispatchers) and the City of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio,  
39 effective from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2008.  
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41 Section 2. That the contract be entered into and the terms of said contract shall be  
42 substantially in accordance with the contract on file with the Clerk of Council.  
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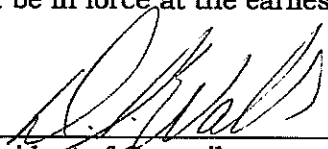
44 Section 3. That any other ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and  
45 resolutions inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed but any  
46 ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent  
47 herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and  
48 confirmed.  
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50 Section 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council  
51 concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open  
52 meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its  
53 committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in  
54 compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified  
55 Ordinances.

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Section 5. That 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 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.

Passed: 3/12-07

  
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President of Council

*Barbara J. White*  
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Clerk of Council

Approved: 3/13/07

  
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Mayor

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