CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 100 - 2021

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF PARKS AND WATERCRAFT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks and Watercraft administers a financial assistance program to establish, develop, expand, maintain and promote boating safety programs through the Waterways Safety Fund; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cuyahoga Falls desires financial assistance to establish, develop, expand, maintain and promote boating safety programs.

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

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<u>Section 1</u>. The Parks and Recreation Board is hereby authorized to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks and Watercraft and to provide all information and documentation required in said application to obtain a grant for the purpose of establishing, developing, expanding, maintaining and promoting boating safety programs.

<u>Section 2</u>. The City does agree to accept the allocation funds to establish, develop, expand, maintain and promote boating safety programs and obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the project on a cost share basis with the City matching at least 25% of the total program cost.

<u>Section 3</u>. Any other ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

<u>Section 4</u>. 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 including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

 <u>Section 5</u>. 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: 11-22-2021

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Approved: 1/22-2021

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