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## CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 102 - 2022

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING THE COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION OF CUYAHOGA FALLS AS AN AGENCY OF THE CITY UNDER OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 1724.10 AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT AND PLAN FOR INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL, DISTRIBUTION AND RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Section 13 of Article VIII of the Ohio Constitution provides that, to create and preserve jobs and employment opportunities and to improve the economic welfare of the people of the State, it is in the public interest and a proper public purpose for a municipal corporation, its agencies or instrumentalities, or corporations not for profit designated by such municipal corporation as its agency or instrumentality, to perform the acts and exercise the powers therein provided; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 1724, Ohio Revised Code as it may hereinafter be amended (herein called the "Act"), there has been formed a corporation known as "Community Improvement Corporation of Cuyahoga Falls", a corporation not for profit as recorded on the Records of Incorporation and Miscellaneous Filings of the Secretary of State of the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the City previously designated the Community Improvement Corporation of Cuyahoga Falls as agent for the City for the sole purpose of advancing, encouraging and promoting the industrial, economic, commercial and civic development of the City; and

WHEREAS, there are substantial and pressing problems including but not limited to the development and encouragement of industry, commerce, distribution and research within the confines of this City, which problems may best be solved by and with the assistance of said corporation; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby found and determined that the policy of this City is to promote the health, safety, morals and general welfare of its inhabitants through the designation by ordinance of a community improvement corporation as the agency of the City for industrial, commercial, distribution and research development in the City; and

WHEREAS, any political subdivision which has designated a community improvement corporation as such agency may enter into an agreement with said corporation to provide any one or more services specified by Chapter 1724, Ohio Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, this Council has determined that it would be in the best interests of the City to approve and authorize the execution of an Agreement and Plan for Industrial, Commercial, Distribution and Research Development (the "Agreement and Plan"), all pursuant to Section 1724.10, Ohio Revised Code.

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

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Section 1. The Community Improvement Corporation of Cuyahoga Falls is hereby designated as the agency of the City, for the industrial, commercial, distribution and research development of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

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Section 2. The form of Agreement and Plan for Industrial, Commercial, Distribution and Research Development by and between this City and the Community Improvement Corporation of Cuyahoga Falls, in the form presently on file with the Clerk of Council, is hereby approved and authorized with changes therein not inconsistent with this Ordinance and not substantially adverse to this City and which shall be approved by the Mayor, Director of Law and Director of Finance. The Mayor, Director of Law and Director of Finance, for and in the name of this City, are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement and Plan, provided further that the approval of changes thereto by those officials, and their character as not being substantially adverse to the City, shall be evidenced conclusively by the execution thereof.

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Section 3. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and any of its committees concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council or committees, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, all in compliance with the law.

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Section 4. This ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City, and for the further reason that this ordinance is required to be immediately effective in order to grant funds to the Community Improvement Corporation of Cuyahoga Falls for its programs to encourage the industrial, commercial, distribution and research development within the City and to provide for the health and welfare of the City residents; wherefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect 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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Passed: 10-24-2022

Approved: 10-24-7022

President of Council

Clerk of Council

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