NEW LEGISLATION

March 11, 2024

Temp. No. A-36	Introduced 3/11/24	Committee Fin	Description An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract or contracts, without competitive bidding, with The Cope Salt Company for bulk salt used in the water treatment process, and declaring an emergency.
A-37	3/11/24	PA	A resolution declaring the month of March as Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month in the City of Cuyahoga Falls, and declaring an emergency.
A-38	3/11/24	PA	An ordinance amending the Traffic Control File by reducing the speed limit on Bailey Road from Erie to Front Street, and declaring an emergency.
A-39	3/11/24	CD	An ordinance approving and authorizing the Mayor to execute a Community Development Block Grant Agreement with Polymerics, Inc. for an economic development project, and declaring an emergency.

CALENDAR

March 11, 2024

The following legislation will be up for passage at the Council Meeting on March 11, 2024.

Temp. No. A-27	Introduced 2/26/24	Committee SEE	Description An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a NOPEC Energized Community Grant Agreement with Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council, Inc. for energy efficiency or energy infrastructure projects, and declaring an emergency.
A-28	2/26/24	CD	A resolution authorizing the Mayor to apply for the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Clean Ohio Trails Fund Grant and to obligate funds for the required match to construct phase II of the Mud Brook Greenway, and declaring an emergency.
A-29	2/26/24	PI	An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract or contracts, according to law, for the construction of on-site utility pole storage at the new electric department building and warehouse, and declaring an emergency.
A-30	2/26/24	PI	An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract or contracts, according to law, with DLZ Ohio, Inc., for professional engineering services related to the design and relocation of the main trunk sewer located within the Gorge Metro Park, and declaring an emergency.

A-31	2/26/24	CD	An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a permit agreement with Front & Center LTD to use a portion of city property for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a deck at property located at 2225 Front Street, and declaring an emergency.
A-32	2/26/24	Fin	An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract or contracts, according to law, for the purchase of a new electric department line truck, and declaring an emergency.
A-33	2/26/24	Fin	An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into a contract or contracts, according to law, for the purchase of furniture for the new electric department building and declaring an emergency.
A-34	2/26/24	PI	An ordinance authorizing the Parks and Recreation Board to enter into a contract or contracts, without competitive bidding, with Dan Guardo Contracting, Inc., for the Water Works Family Aquatic Center pool surface refinish project, and declaring an emergency.
A-35	2/26/24	PZ	An ordinance accepting the recommendation of the Planning Commission for the construction of a medical office building for Pediatrics of Akron, partnering with Akron Children's Hospital, located at 1625 Portage Trail, and declaring an emergency.

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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO.

- 2024

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE MONTH OF MARCH AS DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AWARENESS MONTH IN THE CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, in 1967, Boards of Developmental Disabilities were created in Ohio under House Bill 169 including the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board; and

WHEREAS, through the work of legislators and other stakeholder groups, including families and community-based organizations, public policy changes like the Americans with Disabilities Act have been developed to support and maximize the independence of people with developmental disabilities to create a more inclusive society; and

WHEREAS, the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board has made investments to support individuals so that residents with disabilities may live more independently and find meaningful employment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cuyahoga Falls is honored that the Summit County Board of Developmental Disabilities chose to expand their operations within the City and looks forward to continued collaboration on many exciting projects in the near future; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cuyahoga Falls was honored to join the Summit County Development Disabilities Board in recognizing March 4, 2024, as Inclusion Day, in which the community recognized and supported people of all abilities who are maximizing their talents and potential in pursuing their dreams and achieving their individual goals, while making significant contributions to our community; and

WHEREAS, Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month is an appropriate time to recognize the City's public policy improvements, the accomplishments of community organizations, developmental disability service providers, and most importantly, the achievements of thousands of individuals with developmental disabilities who contribute daily to our communities.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> The Council and Administration hereby declare the month of March as Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month in the City of Cuyahoga Falls and commend the community organizations, agencies, and direct service professionals for their dedication, awareness efforts, and outstanding assistance toward improving the quality of life for children and adults with developmental disabilities.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution 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.

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Presented by the Administration upon recommendation of the Traffic Committee

CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO.

- 2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE TRAFFIC CONTROL FILE BY REDUCING THE SPEED LIMIT ON BAILEY ROAD FROM ERIE TO FRONT STREET, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, site-specific traffic control regulations of the City are established and maintained in the "Traffic Control File," a document established and maintained by the Chief of Police pursuant to Chapter 305 of the Codified Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, Section 305.02 of said Chapter requires that amendments to the Traffic Control File be made only through legislation passed by City Council.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> Upon the recommendation of the Traffic Committee, the Traffic Control File is hereby amended as follows:

Amending the Traffic Control File by reducing the speed limit on Bailey Road from Erie to Front Street from 35 MPH to 25 MPH.

<u>Section 2.</u> The Chief of Police is hereby authorized to note in the Traffic Control File the proper legends.

<u>Section 3.</u> The Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized to cause the installation or removal of the proper signage reflecting the above amendments.

<u>Section 4.</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 been previously repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 5. 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.

<u>Section 6.</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.

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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. – 2024

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT AGREEMENT WITH POLYMERICS, INC. FOR AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City receives Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds from the Department of Housing and Urban Development; and

WHEREAS, CDBG funds can be utilized to assist with economic development projects that will create and/or maintain full-time employment opportunities for low-to-moderate-income individuals; and

WHEREAS, Polymerics, Inc., currently located at 2828 Second Street, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, desires to expand their existing business, which will result in the creation of 9 permanent positions meeting the CDBG objective; and

WHEREAS, Polymerics, Inc., has requested assistance in the form of a CDBG matching economic development grant to purchase necessary equipment at their existing location; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to enter into a CDBG economic development agreement with Polymerics, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 for the purchase of necessary equipment, at their existing location; and

WHEREAS, the CDBG Loan and Grant Review Committee authorized the aforementioned grant.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> The Mayor is authorized to enter into a matching CDBG economic development grant agreement with Polymerics, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00, for the purchase of necessary equipment to be used at Polymerics, Inc., located at 2828 Second Street, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

<u>Section 2.</u> The Director of Finance is hereby authorized to make payments from the CDBG Fund, line-item Other Operations in amounts not to exceed \$100,000.00.

<u>Section 3.</u> Council further authorizes the Mayor, Director of Finance, Director of Community Development, Director of Law, and any other city officials, individually and/or collectively as may be appropriate, to prepare and execute such other documents and do other things that are necessary for and incidental to carrying out the requirements of this legislation consistent with the terms of the attached Agreement and corresponding Application.

<u>Section 4.</u> Any other ordinances or resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

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