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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. | - 2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 129-2023 TO HIRE AN ADDITIONAL SERGEANT AND FOUR ADDITIONAL PATROL OFFICERS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Mayor, as Director of Public Safety, and the Police Chief desire to add an additional Sergeant and four additional Patrol Officers to the Department.

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

Section 1. The Police Department personnel list is hereby amended to include 11 Sergeants and 61 Patrol Officers.

<u>Section 2.</u> Subject to the sufficiency of annual or supplemental appropriations for personal services in the Police Department, the Police Department shall be composed of the following officers and other personnel (new text in **Bold**; deleted text in strikethrough):

Officers:

- 1 Chief
- 2 Captains
- 4 Lieutenants
- 10 11 Sergeants
- 57 61 Patrol Officers

Other Personnel:

- 1 Secretary II
- 4 Secretary I
- 1 Juvenile Diversion Caseworker

This section shall not limit the Police Chief from hiring additional personnel in the Police Department to replace anticipated vacancies where such vacancy is known and such overlap does not exceed sixty 60 days.

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 Any ordinances or resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

<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, to the extent applicable, 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.

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