

ORDINANCE NO. 2019 - 17

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING
THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PARMA HEIGHTS, OHIO,
TO ACCEPT NEC GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NORTHEAST OHIO PUBLIC
ENERGY COUNCIL FOR AN ENERGIZED COMMUNITY GRANT,
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the City of Parma Heights, Ohio (the "MUNICIPALITY") is a member of the Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council ("NOPEC") and is eligible for one or more NOPEC Energized Community Grant(s) for 2019 ("NEC Grant(s)") as provided for in the NEC Grant Program guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the City of Parma Heights previously entered into a Grant Agreement with NOPEC, Inc. on March 13, 2018 to receive one or more NEC Grant(s), as authorized by Ordinance 2018 - 9.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Parma Heights, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio:

Section 1. This Council finds and determines that it is in the best interest of the City of Parma Heights to accept the NEC Grant(s) for 2019, and authorizes the Mayor to accept the NEC Grant(s) funds.

Section 2. This Council finds and determines that all formal action of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of the Council and of any of its Committees comprised of a majority of the members of the Council that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 3. This ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of said City and for the further reason it is necessary to accept the NEC Funds to finance eligible efficiency and/or energy infrastructure projects; wherefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage by Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: 5-13-2019

Mari Gelle
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Florence A. Bohdan

5-13-2019
APPROVED

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: 5-13-2019

[Signature]
MAYOR

I, Florence Bohdan, the Clerk of Council of the City of Parma Heights, of Cuyahoga County, State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 2019 - 17 adopted by the Council of Parma Heights on the 13th day of May, 2019.

Florence Bohdan
FLORENCE BOHDAN
Clerk of Council