

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 88

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATION TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (ODNR), DIVISION OF FORESTRY, OHIO'S URBAN FORESTRY GRANT PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City has been advised by the Ohio's Urban Forestry Grant Program that it can participate in a competitive application process for the awarding of a grant from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry; and

WHEREAS, the City can submit an application and is eligible to receive up to \$500,000.00 in grant funds.

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

Section 1: That this Council hereby supports the City of Parma Heights grant application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry, Ohio's Urban Forestry Grant Program.

Section 2: That this Council hereby respectfully requests that the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry, give favorable consideration to the City of Parma Heights Ohio's Urban Forestry Grant Program application.

Section 3: This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution 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 4: This Council declares this Resolution to be an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, and safety of this Municipality, and for the further reason that it is necessary to expedite the submission of this grant application; wherefore, it shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage by Council and approval of the Mayor.

PASSED: December 11, 2023 Thomas Rounds
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Barbara Allen December 11, 2023
CLERK OF COUNCIL APPROVED

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: December 11, 2023 Marie Gallo
MAYOR MARIE GALLO