

Proposed: 4/03/2023

ORDINANCE NO. 051-2023(F), *First Reading*

By: Mayor Seren

An Ordinance amending Section 177.02, “Current Funds”, of Chapter 177 – Accounting Funds - Part One, *Administrative Code*, of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland Heights to establish a “Indigent Drivers Interlock and Alcohol Monitoring Fund” within the Special Revenue Funds; and declaring the necessity that this legislation become immediately effective as an emergency measure

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.191((l) requires that each municipality in which there is a municipal court create an indigent drivers’ interlock and alcohol monitoring fund which is meant to pay for immobilizing or disabling devices (ignition interlock) and alcohol monitoring for indigent defendants.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. Section 177.02, “Current Funds”, of Chapter 177 – Accounting Funds - Part One, *Administrative Code*, of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland Heights is hereby amended to provide for the establishment of an Indigent Drivers Interlock and Alcohol Monitoring Fund which fund shall be in addition to those funds now listed in said section and shall be established and used for the purposes set forth in Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.191(l).

SECTION 2. Notice of the passage of this Ordinance shall be given by publishing the title and abstract of its contents, prepared by the Director of Law, once in one newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cleveland Heights.

SECTION 3. It is necessary that this Ordinance become immediately effective as an emergency measure for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the need to comply with state law. Wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

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MELODY JOY HART  
President of Council

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ADDIE BALESTER  
Clerk of Council

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_

Presented to Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

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KAHLIL SEREN  
Mayor