

ORDINANCE NO. 076-2025(F), *First Reading*

By Councilmember Larson

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 011-2025, relating to appropriations and other expenditures of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025; and declaring the necessity that this legislation become immediately effective as an emergency measure.

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to make supplemental appropriations by replacing Exhibit 1 to Ordinance No. 011-2025, passed March 17, 2025, with a new Exhibit A, in the manner more fully described herein,

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

SECTION 1. Appropriations itemized within Exhibit 1 to Ordinance No. 011-2025 for the current expenses and other expenditures of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025, are hereby increased, decreased, and/or transferred in the amounts set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto.

SECTION 2. All expenditures of the City of Cleveland Heights within the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025, shall be made within appropriations herein provided. "Appropriation" as used herein means the total amount appropriated for the individual fund. Notwithstanding the financial detail herein presented within an individual fund, the Mayor is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts within each fund, so long as the total amount appropriated for each individual fund is not exceeded.

SECTION 3. The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to certify and deliver a copy of this Ordinance to the Director of Finance.

SECTION 4. The Director of Finance is hereby directed to submit a certified copy of this Ordinance to the county auditor in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.39 and take any other appropriate additional steps necessary for the county auditor to certify that the total appropriations from each fund, taken together with all other outstanding appropriations, do not exceed those established by the City's Amended Official Certificate of Estimated Resources.

SECTION 5. It is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements.

SECTION 6. Notice of the passage of this Ordinance shall be given by publishing the title and abstract of contents, prepared by the Director of Law, once in one paper of general circulation in the City of Cleveland Heights, or by posting the full text of this Ordinance on the City of Cleveland Heights website.

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SECTION 7. The prior version of Ordinance No. 011-2025, passed March 17, 2025, is hereby repealed and replaced in its entirety.

SECTION 8. It is necessary that this Ordinance become immediately effective as an emergency necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the ongoing and continuous need to preserve the faith and credit of the City. 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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TONY CUDA  
President of Council



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ADDIE BALESTER  
Clerk of Council

PASSED: May 5, 2025

Presented to Mayor: 05/07/2025      Effective date: 05/16/2025\*

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KAHLIL SEREN  
Mayor

\*Effective date per Article IV, Section 5 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland Heights