

RESOLUTION NO. 122-2020 (CRR)

By Council Member Russell

A Resolution declaring November 28, 2020, “Small Business Saturday;” and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland Heights celebrates our local small businesses and the vital contributions they make to our local economy and community; and

WHEREAS, small businesses employ more than Forty-Seven Percent (47%) of the employees in the private sector in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland Heights supports our local businesses that create jobs, boost our local economy and preserve our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the health of Cleveland Heights’ small businesses depends on the support of the community; and

WHEREAS, public and private organizations across the country have endorsed the Saturday after Thanksgiving as Small Business Saturday; and

WHEREAS, the Cleveland Heights City Council invites residents and visitors to shop in our business districts on November 28, 2020, in honor of Small Business Saturday.

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

SECTION 1. This Council does hereby proclaim November 28, 2020, as “Small Business Saturday,” and urge the residents of our community, and communities across the country, to support small businesses and merchants on Small Business Saturday and through the year.

SECTION 2. Notice of the passage of this Resolution 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. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary 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 timely recognize Small Business Saturday. Wherefore, provided it received the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Resolution 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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JASON S. STEIN, Mayor
President of the Council

AMY HIMMELEIN
Clerk of Council

PASSED: November 2, 2020