ORDINANCE NO. 41-2022

Presented by: Mr. Heitic

TITLE: CREATE NEW FUND "OneOhio FUND"

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO CREATE A NEW FUND, THE "OneOhio FUND," AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, this fund needs to be created since the City of Barberton will be receiving funds from the OneOhio opioid settlement.

WHEREAS, the funds must be used for evidence-based forward-looking strategies, programming and services used to (i) expand the availability of treatment for individuals affected by substance use disorders, (ii) develop, promote and provide evidence-based substance use prevention strategies, (iii) provide substance use avoidance and awareness education, (iv) decrease the oversupply of licit and illicit opioids, and (v) support recovery from addiction services performed by qualified and appropriately licensed providers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Barberton, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to create a new fund, the "OneOhio Fund."

SECTION 2. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Barberton and the inhabitants thereof, for the reason that it needs to be in place before we receive the funds, and provided it receives the necessary votes required by the City Charter, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval; otherwise to be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed APRIL 11, 2022	
Clerk of Council	President of Council
Approved	2022
	Mayor