

**ORDINANCE NO. 60–2025**

**TITLE: CREATE NEW FUND  
CITY HALL/JUSTICE CENTER PROJECT FUND**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO CREATE A NEW FUND, THE “CITY HALL/JUSTICE CENTER PROJECT FUND,” AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS,** This fund will be used for the City Hall/Justice Center Project; and

**WHEREAS,** The initial revenue in this fund will be from a \$6 million transfer from the General Fund with additional revenue coming in once bonds are issued; and

**WHEREAS,** The expenses will be the expenses the City will incur from the design, administration, and construction of this project.

**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 “City Hall/Justice Center Project 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 approval can be sent over to the State of Ohio Auditors office as soon as possible to create this new fund, 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 May 12, 2025

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Clerk of Council

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President of Council

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ 2025

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Mayor