

# THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 22-167

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Antoskiewicz  
Co-Sponsor: Marnecheck

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND CHIEF OF POLICE TO ACCEPT THE APPRAISAL AND OFFER TO PURCHASE OF SHEIBAN JEWELERS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,500.00 FOR 55 PIECES OF GOLD/JEWELRY FORFEIT TO THE CITY BY COURT ORDER AND WITHOUT THE USE OF AUCTION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: By court order 55 pieces of gold jewelry have been forfeit to the City of North Royalton; and

WHEREAS: The pieces are of random size and weight and not readily saleable by auction or by individual item; and

WHEREAS: The use of GovDeals would involve an extraordinary and unreasonable expense of police manpower to post and track each piece; and

WHEREAS: The Police Department has secured three appraisals (two of which are in writing) in order to establish a fair market value for the gold and seeks to sell the property as a whole; and

WHEREAS: Council desires to exercise its Home Rule and authorize the Mayor and Chief of Police to dispose of this forfeit property in the manner proposed in order to secure a reasonable value without the expenditure of an excessive use of manpower.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. Council authorizes the Mayor and Chief of Police to accept the appraisal and offer to purchase of Sheiban Jewelers for the forfeited gold jewelry in the sum of \$8,500.00

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted 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 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the city, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to authorize the Mayor and Chief of Police to dispose of this forfeit property in the manner proposed in order to secure a reasonable value without the expenditure of an excessive use of manpower.

THEREFORE, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

/s/ Paul F. Marnecheck  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: /s/ Larry Antoskiewicz  
MAYOR

DATE PASSED: October 18, 2022

DATE APPROVED: October 19, 2022

ATTEST: /s/ Dana A. Schroeder  
DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

First reading suspended  
Second reading suspended  
Third reading October 18, 2022

YEAS: Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci,  
Dietrich, Carbone-McDonald

NAYS: none

ABSENT: Wos