

# THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 23-40

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Antoskiewicz

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN A MATCHING FUND LETTER COMMITTING AN INVESTMENT OF \$15,000,000 FROM NORTH ROYALTON WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT, FOR A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,000,000 FROM THE OHIO WATER AND WATER INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: A grant application was submitted to the Ohio Department of Development for \$5,000,000.00 to be used towards the Wastewater Treatment Plant B Conversion and the Abbey Road Sanitary Force Main and Gravity Sewer Improvements Project; and

WHEREAS: In order to qualify to secure the grant from the Ohio Water and Water Infrastructure Grants Program, this matching fund letter must be signed and submitted to the Ohio Department of Development; and

WHEREAS: Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to sign said matching fund letter.

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 hereby authorizes the Mayor to sign a matching fund letter with the Ohio Department of Development committing an investment from North Royalton in the sum of \$15,000,000 in consideration for a grant in the amount of \$5,000,000 from the Ohio Water and Water infrastructure Grants Program.

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 to sign a matching fund letter with the with Ohio Department of Development, for a grant in the amount of \$5,000,000 from the Ohio Water and Water infrastructure Grants Program in order to receive such grant.

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/ Paul F. Marnecheck  
ACTING MAYOR

DATE PASSED: March 28, 2023

DATE APPROVED: March 28, 2023

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

First reading suspended  
Second reading suspended  
Third reading March 28, 2023

YEAS: Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci,  
Dietrich, Webber, Wos

NAYS: none