

ORDINANCE NO. 37-2022 (MS), *First Reading*

By Mayor Seren

An Ordinance authorizing all actions necessary to accept Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council 2022 Energized Community Grant(s) Funds; and declaring the necessity that this legislation become immediately effective as an emergency measure.

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland Heights is a member of the Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council (“NOPEC”) and is eligible for one or more NOPEC Energized Community Grant(s) for 2022 (“NEC Grant(s)”) as provided for in the NEC Grant Program guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to enter into a Grant Agreement with NOPEC, Inc. to receive one or more NEC Grant(s);

WHEREAS, this Council has determined that it would be in the best interest of the City and its residents to accept the NEC Grant(s) for 2022.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. The Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized to take all actions necessary to accept the NEC Grant(s) funds for 2022.

SECTION 2. Notice of the passage of this Ordinance 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. It is necessary that this Ordinance become immediately effective as an emergency measure 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 accept and make use of the grant funds described herein at the earliest time possible. Wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Ordinance 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.

MELODY JOY HART
President of Council

AMY HIMMELEIN
Clerk of Council

PASSED:

Presented to Mayor:

Approved: _____

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Mayor