

## ORDINANCE NO. 56-18

BY: **KRISTIN SABAN**  
(By Request – Community Services Economic Development Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO GRANT A CONSERVATION EASEMENT ON, FOUR (4) CITY OWNED PARCELS (CITY OF PARMA), LOCATED ON SOUTH PARK BOULEVARD (PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBERS 444-27-017, 444-27-033 AND 444-23-028); AND BROADVIEW ROAD (PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBER 445-24-003) TO THE PARMA COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION (PCIC), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, The City of Parma has been acquiring land through various means (property tax foreclosure, donation, Neighborhood Stabilization Program, County Demolition Program) and has been successful disposing of its vacant land to neighboring homeowners; and,

WHEREAS, the Parma Community Improvement Corporation (PCIC) is the City of Parma's non-profit economic development arm and is the entity charged with the disposition of this type of real property; and,

WHEREAS, returning once blighted property to a useful and productive state is conducive to neighborhood stabilization and community development; and

WHEREAS, the City will convey to the PCIC any lands and interest in such lands owned by the City when determined by Council that such land is not required for municipal purposes, and the conveyance of such land and interest in such land will promote the welfare of the citizens of the City, stabilize the economy, increase employment opportunities in the City, all for the benefit of the citizens of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the City-owned parcels located on South Park Boulevard (Permanent Parcel Numbers 444-27-017, 444-27-033 and 444-23-028) and Broadview Road (Permanent Parcel Number 445-24-003), are not needed for municipal purposes.

Section 2. That this Council of the City of Parma hereby authorizes the Mayor to grant a conservation easement on the municipally-owned parcels located on South Park Boulevard (Permanent Parcel Numbers 444-27-017, 444-27-033 and 444-23-028) and Broadview Road (Permanent Parcel Number 445-24-003); by a grant of conservation easement in substantially similar form to the attached grant of conservation easement and the legal descriptions attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein as if fully rewritten, to the Parma Community Improvement Corporation (PCIC).

Section 3. That the Mayor and the Director of Public Service are hereby authorized and directed to execute the grant of conservation easement to the PCIC in such form as approved by the Law Director, and all other documents necessary to consummate this transaction.

Section 4. That the Clerk of Council and the Auditor are hereby authorized and directed to change the City records, and the Clerk of Council is hereby further ordered to file with the Cuyahoga County Fiscal Officer the grant of conservation easement, and the City Engineer is hereby directed to change the official map of the City of Parma relative to said easement.

Section 5. That 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 the 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 6. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary in order grant the conservation easement at the earliest possible date, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_ PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH  
THE MAYOR: \_\_\_\_\_ MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO