

ORDINANCE NO. 63-23

BY: **LINDA KOHAR, MARK CASSELBERRY, DEBORAH LIME**  
(By Request – City Engineer)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A PROJECT AGREEMENT WITH THE NORTHEAST OHIO REGIONAL SEWER DISTRICT (NEORS) FOR THE GRANT RECEIVED FROM THE HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM IN THE CITY OF PARMA, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the All-Hazards Mitigation Plan for 2022-2027 was adopted on September 6, 2022, by Ordinance No. 139-22; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 197-22 adopted on November 9, 2022, authorizes the Director of Public Service to enter a Grant Agreement by and between the State of Ohio Department of Public Safety, Ohio Emergency Management Agency, and the City of Parma for the State-Local Grant Agreement Hazard Mitigation Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, The City of Parma is the recipient of Ohio EMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funding as a result of federal declaration FEMA-DR-4507\_OH (HMGP) in the amount of One Million Six Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars (\$1,634,895.00) to acquire and demolish eight (8) residential structures as a part of the HMGP Project; and

WHEREAS, the City has requested the NEORS provide the required 10% in matching funds totaling One Hundred Eighty-One Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-Five Dollars (\$181,655.00) to be utilized toward total estimated Project costs of One Million Eight Hundred Sixteen Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1,816,550.00)

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

Section 1. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to enter into a Project Agreement with the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District in the City of Parma, with a copy of said Agreement in substantially similar form attached as Exhibit "A".

Section 2. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to execute said Agreement and to take such action and to execute such other documents and amendments thereto as may be necessary as approved by the Law Director.

Section 3. 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 4. 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 to execute this Agreement in the near future, 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