

ORDINANCE NO. 26-2019

INTRODUCED BY: MAYOR JAMES GRAVEN

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A POLICE VEHICLE FUND
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the City of Olmsted Falls is within the jurisdiction of the Berea Municipal Court, and pursuant thereto operates the Olmsted Falls Mayor's Court; and

WHEREAS, in Ordinance 09-2019 the Olmsted Falls City Council authorized a Mayor's Court fee increase of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) which funds are to be dedicated for the creation of a police vehicle fund; and

WHEREAS, the Administration has recommended and this Council has determined that additional funds are necessary in order to provide a revenue source to purchase police vehicles; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.12 allows the establishment of certain funds subject to approval of the Auditor of State; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Director has received permission from the Auditor of State for the establishment of a POLICE VEHICLE FUND. Now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLMSTED FALLS, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. This Council has determined that additional funds are necessary in order to provide a funding source for the purchase of police vehicles.

SECTION 2. There is hereby created a Governmental Fund Type, which is further defined as Special Revenue Fund Type.

SECTION 3. This particular fund will be known as "(000) POLICE VEHICLE FUND."

SECTION 4. Pursuant to the Administration and this Council, the Olmsted Falls Mayor's Court shall include in its schedule of fees and costs one additional fee not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) for the filing of each cause of action or appeal, and the Clerk of Court shall be directed to charge that fee and to pay that amount to the City for inclusion in the Police Vehicle Fund.

SECTION 5. The Director of Finance shall make payments from said specific fund upon the presentation of vouchers or orders therefor by proper City officials in accordance with the law.

SECTION 6. The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance have been taken at open meetings of this Council; and that deliberations of this Council and of its committees, resulting in such formal action, took place in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all statutory requirements including the requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 7. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare, and such necessity exists for the reason to allow for the collection of these funds immediately to relieve the future burden of general fund expenditures. Therefore, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all individuals elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Paul Stibich, President of Council

PASSED: _____

APPROVED: _____
James P. Graven, Mayor _____
Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____
Andrew D. Bemer, Director of Law

ATTEST: _____
Angela Mancini, Clerk of Council

First Reading: _____

Second Reading: _____

Third Reading: _____