

CITY OF STRUTHERS

Resolution

NO. 20-020

A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS RECEIVED PURSUANT TO THE CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF, AND ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT WILL BE MADE AND DIRECTING THE DISPOSITION OF UNENCUMBERED AND UNUSED FUNDS AS AN EMERGENCY MEASURE.

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, 116 Public Law 136, (the CARES Act) was signed into law by the President of the United States on March 27, 2020;

WHEREAS, the Ohio General Assembly established a process for distributing funds provided by the “Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act” in Senate Bill 310 (S.B. 310), now House Bill 481 (H.B. 481) of the 133rd General Assembly;

WHEREAS, S.B. 310, now H.B. 481, requires subdivisions receiving funds under Section 1 of the act, to pass a resolution affirming that funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund may be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 801(d), and any applicable regulations before receiving said funds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Struthers is requesting its share of funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Struthers, Ohio, $\frac{3}{4}$'s of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: All funds received from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund pursuant to S.B. 310, now H.B. 481, be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 801(d), and any applicable regulations and guidance only to cover expenses that:

- (1) Are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19);
- (2) Were not accounted for in the City of Struthers’ most recently approved budget as of March 27, 2020; and
- (3) Were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020, and ends on December 30, 2020.

SECTION 2: In compliance with S.B. 310, now H.B. 481, the Auditor for the City of Struthers shall take all necessary action to:

- (1) On or before October 15, 2020, pay any unencumbered balance of money in the City of Struthers’ local coronavirus relief fund to the County Treasurer;
- (2) On or before December 28, 2020, pay the balance of any money in the City of Struthers’ local coronavirus relief fund to the state treasury in the manner prescribed by the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management; and
- (3) Provide any information related to any payments received under H.B. 481 to the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management as requested.

SECTION 3: The Clerk of Council shall certify a copy of this Resolution to the County Auditor and the Director of Budget and Management in accordance with the provisions of H.B. 481.

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SECTION 4: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were passed in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including § 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5: This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of the City of Struthers, to wit: to assure that the City is in compliance with applicable requirements to qualify for the receipt of funds pursuant to the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act without delay, and, provided that it is elevated to emergency status by the affirmative vote of at least five members of council and receives the affirmative vote of at least five members of council upon final passage, it shall go into full force and effect and immediately after its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 24th DAY OF June, 2020.

Megan R. Shorthouse
CLERK OF COUNCIL

Robert D. Burnside
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL PRO TEM

FILED WITH THE MAYOR THIS 24th DAY OF June, 2020.

Megan R. Shorthouse
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 24th DAY OF June, 2020.

Cat Cercone Miller
MAYOR

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CLERK OF COUNCIL