CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 2014 – 068

By: Mayor Perciak and Mr. Carbone

AN ORDINANCE RATIFYING, CONFIRMING AND APPROVING THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE WITH THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT, AND AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE AWARD OF A GRANT UNDER THE 2014 COMMUNITY RECYCLING AWARENESS GRANT PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, The Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District has established a Community Recycling Awareness Grant program and once again allocated monies to help local governments in Cuyahoga County promote their community-sponsored recycling programs to residents; and

WHEREAS, the grant provides for funding of the cost of a community-sponsored recycling program; and

WHEREAS, in order to meet the deadline for submission of applications to receive funding under the Community Recycling Awareness Grant program for the year 2014, the City, through its Coordinator of Natural Resources, has applied for funding in the amount of \$5,000.00, in order to publish the annual *Keeping Strongsville Green* newsletter; and

WHEREAS, the City has been advised that its application for funding under the Community Recycling Awareness Grant program has been approved in the amount of \$5,000.00.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA, AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That this Council hereby ratifies, confirms and approves the submission of an application for financial assistance to the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District for a Community Recycling Awareness Grant, in the form on file with the City Coordinator of Natural Resources.

Section 2. That this Council hereby approves the acceptance of the award of funding under the Community Recycling Awareness Grant program in the amount of \$5,000.00, and hereby authorizes the Mayor, Director of Finance, Coordinator of Natural Resources and other appropriate officers of the City to do all things necessary in furtherance thereof.

Section 3. That advance of funds under this Ordinance will be made from the General Fund, subject to reimbursement under the Grant.

Section 4. 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 this 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 5. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to ratify, confirm and approve the submission of such application for financial assistance and accept the funds awarded thereunder in order to proceed with promotion of the City's recycling awareness program. Therefore, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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