RESOLUTION NO.: 2022-72

**INTRODUCED BY:** Mayor Annette M. Blackwell

MOTION FOR ADOPTION BY:

**CO-SPONSORED BY:** 

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO DELINQUENT TAX PAYMENT CONTRACTS WITH THE COUNTY FOR PERMANENT PARCELS NOS. 784-11-001; 783-11-001; 781-13-068; 781-13-001; 781-10-018; 781-06-016; AND 781-05-013, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**WHEREAS,** it was brought to the attention of the Mayor when she first assumed office that a number of City-owned parcels were not properly classified as tax-exempt resulting in accrual of decades worth of delinquent real estate taxes; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Administration have worked with the County to have a number of the parcels re-classified as tax exempt and the delinquencies removed; and

WHEREAS, the County has requested that in order to prevent foreclosure proceedings that the City enter into delinquent tax payment contracts for the following remaining tax delinquent Cityowned properties while still working towards a resolution as to the tax-exempt status of these parcels: Permanent Parcels Nos. 784-11-001; 783-11-001; 781-13-068; 781-13-001; 781-10-018; 781-06-016; and 781-05-013.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Maple Heights, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, that:

<u>Section 1</u>. The Mayor is authorized to enter into Delinquent Tax Payment Contracts with Cuyahoga County for Permanent Parcels Nos. 784-11-001; 783-11-001; 781-13-068; 781-13-001; 781-10-018; 781-06-016; and 781-05-013, which contracts are attached hereto and incorporated as if fully rewritten herein.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting on the date indicated below, 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 Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. This Resolution constitutes an emergency measure necessary for the public peace, safety and general welfare of the City and for the further reason that foreclosure proceedings are imminent, and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor, otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:	, 2022	*
		Ron Jackson, Council President
		Annette M. Blackwell, Mayor

Approved as to legal form:
Frank Consolo, Director of Law
ATTEST: Leonette Cicirella Johnson, Clerk of Council
I, Leonette Cicirella Johnson, Clerk of Council of the City of Maple Heights, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, do hereby certify the above to be a true and exact copy of the original as contained in the records of my office and that the same has been and will remain duly posted as required by law.
Date: Leonette Cicirella Johnson, Clerk of Council

Resolution No. 2022-72 Page Two ORDINANCE NO.: 2022-73

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Annette M. Blackwell

**MOTION FOR ADOPTION BY:** 

**CO-SPONSORED BY:** 

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AMENDMENT NO. 4 DATED JULY 28, 2022 OF THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2022, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Council adopted a municipal budget pursuant to Ordinance No. 2021-145 for the fiscal year January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022 setting forth certain annual appropriations; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Director has recommended to Council that amendments to the annual appropriation ordinance, as set forth in the attached Exhibit A dated July 28, 2022 which is incorporated as if fully rewritten herein, are necessary to account for certain additional expenditures.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Maple Heights, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The annual appropriations of the City, established by Ordinance No. 2021-145 shall be amended by the Council, as recommended by the Finance Director, in accordance with Amendment No. 4 dated July 28, 2022, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A (hereinafter referred to as "Exhibit A-Amendment No.4 dated July 28, 2022") and incorporated as if fully rewritten herein, and such amended budget is hereby adopted.

- Section 2. To provide for operating expenditures during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022, the amended appropriations, as recommended by the Finance Director in Exhibit A-Amendment No. 4 dated July 28, 2022, are hereby made and the Finance Director is authorized to prepare and submit the amended appropriations set forth in Exhibit A-Amendment No. 4 dated July 28, 2022 to the Cuyahoga County Fiscal Officer.
- Section 3. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in open meetings 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 the City's Charter and Codified Ordinances and Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby determined to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City and for the further reason that the amended appropriations must be immediately made to insure the financial integrity of the City's budget and presented to the County Fiscal Officer. It shall therefore become effective upon its passage by the affirmative vote of not less than five (5)

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Date:	Leonette Cicirella Johnson, Clerk of Council

members of Council and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall become effective at the earliest time allowed by law.

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