ORDINANCE NO. 2022- 65 FIRST READING July 25, 2022 7:55 AT SECOND READING THIRD READING THIRD READING WANTED

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL FUND TO BE KNOWN AS "ONEOHIO" AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Auditor of State Bulletin 2022-03 and in accordance with Section 5705.09(F) of the Ohio Revised Code, Council desires to establish a special fund called "OneOhio" accounting for the funds received by the Village of South Russell as a participant in the OneOhio Opioid Settlement; and

WHEREAS, the funds received by the Village of South Russell from the OneOhio Opioid Settlement shall be placed in the OneOhio fund and used only for the following purposes: to be used for "evidence-based forward-looking strategies, programming and services used to (i) expand the availability of treatment for individuals affected by substance abuse disorders, (ii) develop, promote and provide evidence-based substance use prevention strategies, (iii) provide substance use avoidance and awareness education, (iv) decrease the oversupply of licit and illicit opioids, and (v) support recovery from addiction services performed by qualified and appropriately licensed providers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of South Russell, Geauga County, Ohio that:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. A special fund to be known as "OneOhio" is hereby established for the Village of South Russell for the OneOhio Opioid Settlement funds and such monies shall only be used for the express purposes as stated in the second WHEREAS clause above.

SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees on or after December 2, 1975, that resulted in 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 Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Village of South Russell and to allow for the immediate establishment of such special fund for the placement of such funds received by the Village from the OneOhio Opioid Settlement; wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected to Council, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its passage by this Council and approval by the Mayor.

Mayor - President of Council

ATTEST:
Fiscal Officer
I certify that Ordinance No. 2022-15 was duly enacted on the 25 th day of the Village of South Russell, and posted in accordance with the Codified Ordinances of the Village.
Danuele Romanowsky
Fiscal Officer