**ORDINANCE 71-24-O**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A LEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF CELINA AND THE VETERANS FOREVER, INC. FOR THE LEASE OF THE BRYSON PARK DISTRICT.**

WHEREAS, the City of Celina, Ohio (hereinafter "City") is committed to the promotion of community activities and use of its public parks; and

WHEREAS, the Veterans Forever, Inc. (hereinafter "Committee") is holding a two-day alcohol event for all people to enjoy Governor Cup Regatta, beer sales, food vendors, and 50/50 raffle during the event; and

WHEREAS, a written lease with the City is necessary for the Committee to reserve exclusive use of the park area for their scheduled event; and

WHEREAS, the City finds cooperation with the Committee's request to be reasonable and necessary to assist in facilitating the entertainment and coordination of activities and encourage community participation in the event.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Celina, County of Mercer and State of Ohio:

SECTION ONE

THAT, the Safety Service Director is hereby authorized from year to year to enter into a Lease Agreement with the Veterans Forever, Inc. in the amount of One Dollar ($1.00) per annum for the use of the City’s Bryson Park District during the Governor Cup Regatta event in a form substantially similar to the Lease Agreement which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein referenced.

SECTION TWO

NOW, THEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2024

Jason King, President of Council

ATTEST:

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Michael F. DiDonato, Clerk of Council

APPROVED , 2024

Jeffrey S. Hazel, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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