**ORDINANCE 3-25-O**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE CELINA MUNICIPAL COURT CASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM UPGRADE, DATA CONVERSION, PRINTERS AND LABELS COSTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the Honorable Celina Municipal Court Judge Kathryn W. Speelman entered into a license agreement with Henschen and Associates, Inc. on July 19, 2024 for computer software programs and other related materials included in their Municipal Court Case Management System; and

WHEREAS, Two Hundred Fifty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-One Dollars and Twenty-Six Cents ($256,761.26) now needs appropriated to cover the cost of the implementation of this system; and

WHEREAS, Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) needs appropriated for the software data conversion necessary for this system upgrade; and

WHEREAS, One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Dollars ($1,960.00) needs appropriated for the cost of five Brother Label Printers and labels.

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

SECTION ONE

THAT, City Council hereby directs the Auditor to appropriate from the unencumbered balance in the respective fund:

Appropriate from the unappropriated balance of the **Court General Special Projects Fund**:

Court General Special Projects (256.152.5230) $263,721.26

SECTION TWO

THAT, this Ordinance shall be declared an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, safety, and welfare, such emergency arising out of the necessity to make payments for the implementation of this system upgrade and necessary equipment. 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 , 2025

Jason D. King, President of Council

ATTEST:

Michael F. Didonato, Clerk of Council

APPROVED , 2025

Jeffrey S. Hazel, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

George Erik. Moore, Esq., City Law Director