**ORDINANCE 5-25-O**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE MONETARY DONATIONS RECEIVED BY THE CELINA FIRE DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the Grand Lake Recreation Club has generously donated Eight Thousand Dollars ($8,000.00) to the Celina Fire Department, for which the Fire Department desires to allocate for Water and Dive Rescue Equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Rodney and Barbara Carpenter Fund has generously donated One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($1,800.00) to the Celina Fire Department, to be used for Firefighter training classes.

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

SECTION ONE

THAT, the Celina City Council gratefully acknowledges the monetary donations made by the Grand Lake Recreation Club and the Rodney and Barbara Carpenter Fund.

SECTION TWO

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

Appropriate from the unappropriated balance of the **General Fund**:

Fire Training and Travel (110.220.5411) $1,800.00

Appropriate from the unappropriated balance of the **Fire Capital Fund**:

Fire Capital Expense (360.221.5550) $8,000.00

SECTION THREE

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 appropriate the donation funds for immediate use. 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