**ORDINANCE 44-24-O**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FROM THE LWCF GRANT PROGRAM FUND FOR REIMBURSEMENT BACK TO VARIOUS FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, on October 11, 2021, City Council passed Ordinance 43-21-O accepting the Matching Grant through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Program for the purpose of outdoor recreation projects at the Bryson Park District; and

WHEREAS, there are Four Hundred Ninety-Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($496,500.00) available in the LWCF Grant Program Fund (312) that need reimbursed back to various funds for expenditures that qualified for the designated purpose.

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

SECTION ONE

THAT, the amount of Four Hundred Ninety-Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($496,500.00) be appropriated from the unappropriated balance of the LWCF Grant Program Fund (312) for reimbursement back to the following funds:

General Fund (110) $ 6,563.00

Park/Recreation Fund (224) $112,624.00

Grand Lake TIF Fund (371) $111,444.00

Park Capital Fund (362) $197,279.00

Electric Fund (661) $ 58,148.00

Water Fund (663) $ 6,961.00

Wastewater Fund (666) $ 3,481.00

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 for immediate adjustments to the 2024 Annual Appropriations. 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 D. King, President of Council

ATTEST:

Michael F. DiDonato, Clerk of Council

APPROVED , 2024

Jeffrey S. Hazel, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

George Erik. Moore, Esq., City Law Director