

Ordinance No. 466-2023

By Council Member Howse

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland Ohio, 1976 by amending section 162.01 as amended by Ordinance No. 373-2022 passed June 6, 2022, and enacting new Section 173.18 relating to compensation for the Cleveland Commission on Black Women and Girls.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a Municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That of the Codified Ordinances are supplemented by amending Section 162.01, as amended by Ordinance No. 373-2022, passed June 6, 2022 as follows:

Section 162.01 Cleveland Commission on Black Women and Girls, Composition, Terms and Compensation

(a) There is hereby created the Cleveland Commission on Black Women and Girls, consisting of the Mayor, or his or her designee, one (1) member of Council appointed by Council; one (1) a city employee from any office or department, appointed by the Mayor; and twelve (12) persons, who shall include ~~the include~~ the following:

- (1) a representative from the faith community;
- (2) a representative from the business community;
- (3) a representative from a pre-school, primary, and/or secondary school;
- (4) a representative from a college or university;
- (5) a representative from a grass-roots organization located in the City;
- (6) a representative who is a member of a union;
- (7) a representative from a local hospital who is a doctor of medicine;
- (8) a representative from a social service agency or who is employed as a social worker;
- (9) two (2) college students who attend either community college, technical school or one (1) of the four (4) year Cleveland based universities and live in Cleveland; and
- (10) two (2) Cleveland Metropolitan School District students between eleven (11) and seventeen (17) years old who live in Cleveland, and have permission from their parent or legal guardian.

(b) The appointing authority for those described in division (a) above shall be as follows: the Mayor shall appoint those described in subdivisions (1) through (4); the Council shall appoint those described in subdivisions (5) through (8); and the Mayor and the Council shall each appoint one student described in subdivisions (9) and (10).

(c) Other than the Mayor, or his or her designee, the term of the members shall be three (3) years. However, of the original appointments, five (5) members shall serve three (3) years, five (5) members shall serve two (2) years, and four (4) members shall serve one (1) year. In the event that a vacancy occurs during the term of any member, the Mayor shall appoint a successor to serve the unexpired portion of that term.

~~(d) The members of the Commission shall serve without compensation.~~

Section 2. That Section 162.01, as amended by Ordinance No. 373-2022, passed June 6, 2022 is repealed.

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Section 3. That the Codified Ordinances are supplemented by enacting new Section 173.18 to read as follows:

Section 173.18 Cleveland Commission on Black Women and Girls

Except for the Mayor, his or her designee, the member of Council and the city employee, all of whom shall remain uncompensated, the salaries of the members of the Cleveland Commission on Black Women and Girls shall be eight thousand nine hundred sixty-three dollars (\$8,963.00) per annum.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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