

# Ordinance No. 291-2020

**AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE**  
Designating the John Heisman Birthplace as a  
Cleveland Landmark.

**Council Member McCormack**

WHEREAS, under Chapter 161 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, the Cleveland Landmarks Commission (the "Commission"), has proposed to designate the John Heisman Birthplace as a landmark; and

WHEREAS, the owner of the John Heisman Birthplace has been properly notified and has consented in writing to the proposed designation; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has recommended designation of the John Heisman Birthplace as a landmark and has set forth certain findings of fact constituting the basis for its decision; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, and safety in that the immediate protection of the historic landmark is necessary to safeguard the special historical, community, or aesthetic interest or value in the landmark; now, therefore

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

Section 1. That the John Heisman Birthplace whose street address in the City of Cleveland is 3928 Bridge Avenue, N.W., Cuyahoga County Auditor's Permanent Parcel Number is 003-35-022, and is also known as the following described property:

Situated in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio: And known as being the Easterly half of Sublot No. 593 in Barber and Lord's Allotment of part of Original Brooklyn Township Lots Nos. 51, 52, 69, and 70 as shown by the recorded plat in Volume 11 of Maps, Page 26 of Cuyahoga County Records and being 31 1/2 feet front on the Northerly side of Bridge Avenue, N.W. and extending back equal width 132 feet, as appears by said plat, be the same more or less but subject to all legal highways.

Legal Description approved by Greg Esber, Section Chief, Plats, Surveys and House Numbering Section

which in its entirety is a property having special character or special historical or aesthetic value as part of the development, heritage, or cultural characteristics of the City, State, or the United States, is designated a landmark under Chapter 161 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976.

Section 2. 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.

DP/KB  
Council Member McCormack  
March 2, 2020

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**READ FIRST TIME on MARCH 2, 2020**

**and referred to DIRECTORS of City Planning Commission; Law COMMITTEE on Development Planning and Sustainability**

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**READ SECOND TIME**

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**PRESIDENT**

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**APPROVED**

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**MAYOR**

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<b>PASSAGE RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY</b>	
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