

Ordinance No. 722-2025

By Council Members Conwell and Griffin
(by departmental request)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of Public Health to enter into contract with the Ohio Department of Health to perform investigations of violations regarding smoking in workplaces and other public places.

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 the Director of Public Health is authorized to enter into contract with the Ohio Department of Health, under which the City will perform investigations of violations under Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3794 regarding smoking in workplaces and other public places from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2027, and conduct enforcement by issuing notices of violations or by imposing civil fines to be deposited in a fund in the State Treasury. The contract shall provide that the City will receive compensation for performing the investigations in the amount of \$175.00 per investigation to be deposited into Fund No. 10 SF 804. The Director of Finance is authorized to receive and accept the compensation on behalf of the City, and the Director of Public Health is authorized to sign the documents necessary to enter into the contract.

Section 2. That the agreement shall be prepared by the Director of Law.

Section 3. 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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6-2-2025
FOR: Director Margolius

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