

Ordinance No. 701-2022

By Council Member Griffin

FOR PASSAGE
July 13, 2022

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

To amend Section 7a of Ordinance No. 843-2021, passed November 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 492-2022, passed June 6, 2022, relating to appropriating funds from The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and authorizing various contracts to be executed no later than December 31, 2024, and funds to be expended by December 31, 2026.

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 843-2021, passed November 29, 2021, Council appropriated \$26,384,315 of The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) for the Department of Public Safety for vehicles, equipment, personnel, apparatuses and information technology equipment to support the operations of the various divisions of the Department of Public Safety; and

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 843-2021, except for purchases by the Department of Public Safety, all expenditures over \$50,000 require additional legislative authority; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 843-2021, passed November 29, 2021, was amended by Ordinance No. 492-2022, passed June 6, 2022, to provide that, in addition to purchases made by the Department of Public Safety, agreements for forthwith demolitions or demolitions not to exceed \$100,000 by the Department of Building and Housing do not require additional legislative authority; and

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 Section 7a of Ordinance No. 843-2021, passed November 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 492-2022, passed June 6, 2022, is amended to read as follows:

Section 7a. That, except for ~~purchases made under Sections 2 and 3 of this ordinance by the Department of Public Safety, or~~ agreements for (i) forthwith demolitions or, (ii) or demolitions not to exceed \$100,000 entered into under Section 7b of this ordinance by the Department of Building and Housing, any expenditure contract or grant over \$50,000 entered into after September 30, 2022, under this ordinance shall require additional legislative authority.

Section 2. That existing Section 7a of Ordinance No. 843-2021, passed November 29, 2021, as amended by Ordinance No. 492-2022, passed June 6, 2022, is repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is hereby 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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PRESIDENT

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MAYOR

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