

ORDINANCE NO.: 144 -2022  
INTRODUCED BY: Ursu

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL FUND TO BE DESIGNATED  
AS "FUND 224 - CUYAHOGA COUNTY/ARPA FUND".

WHEREAS, Cuyahoga County administers grants to municipalities including the City of Richmond Heights using federal funds from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 ("ARPA");

WHEREAS, pursuant to §5705.09(F) of the Ohio Revised Code, the City of Richmond Heights, a political subdivision of the State of Ohio, shall establish a special fund for each class of revenues derived from a source other than the general property tax, which the law requires to be used for a particular purpose;

WHEREAS, said grants are required by the ARPA to be used for the particular purpose of responding to the negative economic impacts of the coronavirus pandemic public health emergency;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the ARPA and Ohio Revised Code §5705.09(F), there is a need to create a special fund to be designated as "Fund 224 - Cuyahoga County/ARPA" within which to deposit monies received from the United States Department of Treasury and administered through Cuyahoga County for municipal grants.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio; that:

Section 1. Council hereby establishes a special fund designated as "Fund 224 - Cuyahoga County/ARPA Fund" pursuant to the requirements of the ARPA and the provisions of §5705.09(F) of the Ohio Revised Code, for the purposes set forth in the preamble to this Ordinance.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: November 8, 2022

APPROVED: November 8, 2022

ATTEST: Betsy Traben

Betsy Traben  
Clerk of Council

Kim A. Thomas, Mayor

Bobby Jordan  
President of Council