

DATE JUNE 2, 2014

CLERK: MARY BETH BAILEY

MASSILLON CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF MASSILLON, OHIO
TONY M. TOWNSEND, PRESIDENT

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 77 - 2014

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into an agreement with Bill Weaver, owner of A Victorian Reflection, to provide an economic development grant to assist the business with upgrading and beautifying the City's downtown, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City of Massillon carries out a variety of economic development programs designed to promote the creation and expansion of business and industry in the community; and

WHEREAS, Bill Weaver, owner of A Victorian Reflection, desires to upgrade and beautify his downtown business located at 28 Lincoln Way East, and

WHEREAS, the City of Massillon proposed to assist Bill Weaver, owner of A Victorian Reflection, in upgrading and beautifying the downtown business by providing an economic development grant, the purpose of which is to help offset the business's costs in the upgrade.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT

Section 1:

This Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter into an agreement with Bill Weaver, owner of A Victorian Reflection, providing an economic development grant, in a total amount not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for the purpose of assisting the business with the purchase of top soil, mulch, flowers and plants to beautify the City's downtown brick planters for the summer. The funds for this grant will be provided through the City's Economic Development Fund 1237.845.2392.

Section 2:

In return for this economic development grant assistance, Bill Weaver, owner of A Victorian Reflection, located at 28 Lincoln Way East will use the funds for the purchase of top soil, mulch, flowers and plants for the City's downtown brick planters located in front of his business for the purpose of upgrading and beautifying that area.

Section 3:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 4:

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the health, safety, and welfare of the community and for the additional reason that it is necessary to improve the economic climate of the community through the economic development grant dollars. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members 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.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 2nd DAY OF June, 2014

APPROVED:

MARY BETH BAILEY, CLERK OF COUNCIL

TONY M. TOWNSEND, PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

June 5, 2014

KATHY CATAZARO-PERRY, MAYOR

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance is a true copy of the original, as passed by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, and approved as noted thereon:

Clerk of Council

Date

6/2/14