

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-009

**AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING FOUR (4) DONATIONS TO THE CITY OF KENT PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Kent Parks & Recreation Department have received four (4) donations as follows:

- 1) \$40.00 from Jim and Nancy Arthur in memory of Charlie Beckwith; and
- 2) \$50.00 from Susan and Douglas Smith in the name of their granddaughter Ivy Liedel, in appreciation for the wonderful work that the Parks & Recreation do each year; and
- 3) \$1,500.00 from Henry V. and Frances W. Christenson Foundation for the 2021 Kent Parks and Beautification Program. These funds will be used to purchase annual flowers and trees in the parks this year; and
- 4) \$100.00 from the Kent Lions Club.

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to accept said donations.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio, that:

**SECTION 1.** That Council does hereby authorize the City Manager on behalf of the City of Kent to accept the donations totaling \$1,690.00 and for the Budget and Finance Director to appropriate the donations into the proper fund.

**SECTION 2.** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 3.** That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

PASSED: January 20, 2021  
Date

J. Fiala  
Jerry T. Fiala  
Mayor and President of Council

EFFECTIVE: January 20, 2021  
Date

ATTEST: Amy Wilkens  
Amy Wilkens  
Clerk of Council

I, AMY WILKENS, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF ORDINANCE No. 2021-009, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON January 20, 2021.

(SEAL)

Amy Wilkens  
AMY WILKENS  
CLERK OF COUNCIL