

ORDINANCE NO. 39-2020
(As Amended)

Amending Ordinance No. 45-2019 (As Amended) to Adjust the Annual Budget by Providing for Appropriations from the Coronavirus Relief Fund Unappropriated Balance.

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio, provides that City Council may at any time amend or revise the Budget by Ordinance, providing that such amendment does not authorize the expenditure of more revenue than will be available; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Worthington passed Resolution No. 31-2020 requesting Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) Funding; and

WHEREAS, with the passage of Resolution No. 31-2020, the Worthington City Council affirmed that the City will spend funding only on qualified expenses; and,

WHEREAS, the City has received two distributions of CARES Act Funding and anticipates receiving a third distribution; and,

WHEREAS, any unspent balance of the funds received are required to be returned to the State Treasury by December 28, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, County of Franklin, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated from the Coronavirus Relief Fund unappropriated balances to:

<u>Account No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
222.2020.511052	Police – Personal Services	\$ 432,620.21
222.6070.511052	Fire – Personal Services	\$ 96,817.38
	Coronavirus Relief Fund Total	\$ 529,437.59

SECTION 2. That for the period from March 1, 2020 through December 30, 2020 twenty percent (20%) of the payroll and associated benefits for positions in the Division of Fire and Division of Police is substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to COVID-19. That the position of Assistant Fire Chief (formally Fire Captain), and Fire Lieutenant is 100% dedicated to mitigating or responding to COVID-19.

SECTION 3. That notice of passage of this Ordinance shall be posted in the Municipal Administration Building, the Worthington Library, the Griswold Center and the Worthington Community Center and shall set forth the title and effective date of the Ordinance and a statement that the Ordinance is on file in the office of the Clerk of Council. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and by the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio.

Passed October 19, 2020

/s/ Bonnie D. Michael
President of Council

Attest:

/s/ D. Kay Thress
Clerk of Council

Introduced October 5, 2020
P.H October 19, 2020
Effective October 22, 2020