

**CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO**

**ORDINANCE No. 21-68 AC MS**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS (IBEW) TO ESTABLISH JUNETEENTH AS A HOLIDAY AS AN EMERGENCY MEASURE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute a Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Oberlin and the IBEW to establish Juneteenth as a holiday.

SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or 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, including 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 and safety of the citizens of the City of Oberlin, Ohio or to provide for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, to wit: **to formalize the conclusion of negotiations with the IBEW establishing Juneteenth as a holiday without delay** and provided that it is elevated to emergency status by the affirmative vote of at least five members of Council and receives the affirmative vote of at least five members of Council upon final passage, it shall go into full force and effect from and immediately after its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED: 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: November 1, 2021  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

  
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BELINDA B. ANDERSON, MMC  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

  
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LINDA SLOCUM  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 11/02/2021

EFFECTIVE DATE: 11/01/2021