AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH STEVEN PETER FOR DUTIES HE PERFORMED AS FIRE MARSHAL, REPEALING ORDINANCE No. 22-111, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Steven Peter served in the dual role of Assistant Fire Chief and Fire Marshal from September 15, 2018 until August 18, 2022.

WHEREAS, Steven Peter worked in excess of forty (40) hours in a work week while acting in this dual capacity and is eligible for overtime compensation; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Director has determined that Steven Peter earned overtime wages in the amount of \$29,020.47.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

<u>Section No. 1:</u> That Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter into an agreement with Steven Peter on behalf of the City to compensate him for overtime wages he earned while performing duties as the City's Fire Marshal.

<u>Section No. 2:</u> That Council hereby directs the Finance Director to issue payment to Steven Peter in the amount of \$29,020.47.

<u>Section No. 3:</u> That Ordinance No. 22-111 is hereby repealed.

Section No. 4: 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 any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section No. 5: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the necessity to compensate an employee rightly and justly for overtime wages earned, thus for the preservation of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Avon Lake. Therefore, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: 8/22/2022

/s/ Martin E. O'Donnell

President of Council

APPROVED: 8/23/2022

<u>/s/ Gregory J. Zilka</u> Mayor

POSTED: 8/26/2022

ATTEST: <u>/s/Valerie E. Rosmarin</u> Clerk of Council