## **ORDINANCE NO. 2022 - 002**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF KENT TO SUBMIT A GRANT FUNDING APPLICATION TO THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT (ODOD) FOR BROWNFIELD REMEDIATION PROJECTS AND TO ACCEPT THE GRANT, IF AWARDED, AND EXECUTE THE SUBSEQUENT GRANT AGREEMENT WITH CORRESPONDING APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**WHEREAS**, the funding application will be submitted to the Ohio Department of Development (ODOD) for Brownfield Remediation projects to assess the geographic scope of the existing hazard and develop a remediation plan on the former dry cleaning site formerly known as Triangle Cleaners site, and:

**WHEREAS**, the grant does not have a match requirement and the maximum assessment request cannot exceed \$300,000.

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

**SECTION 1.** Kent City Council approves submission of the City's application request for grant funding and authorized that the Administration provide all information, funds, and documentation required in said applications for submission.

**SECTION 2.** the Kent City Council hereby approves the City's acceptance of the grant, if awarded to the City, with corresponding appropriations for its use.

**SECTION 3.** the Kent City Council hereby understands and agrees that participation in the grant program will require compliance with program guidelines and assurances.

**SECTION 4.** 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.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> 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 19, 2022	Ful
	Date	Jerry T. Fiala
EFFECTIVE:	January 19, 2022	Mayor and President of Council
ATTEST: _	Date  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.

2022-002, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON January 19, 20, 22.

(SEAL)

AMY WILKENS
CLERK OF COUNCIL