

ORDINANCE NO. 14-2019

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TUSCARAWAS COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE FOR THE PROVISION OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION FOR INDIGENTS CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS OF NEW PHILADELPHIA CITY ORDINANCES IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT WHERE SUCH OFFENSES CARRY A POSSIBLE LOSS OF LIBERTY, ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION AND TERMS THEREOF, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into an Agreement with the Tuscarawas County Public Defender's Commission on behalf of the City of New Philadelphia, Ohio, for the provision of legal representation for indigents charged with violations of New Philadelphia City Ordinances in the Municipal Court where such offenses carry the possible loss of liberty.

SECTION 2. Said Agreement which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as if fully rewritten states the compensation as \$27, 500.00 to be due in one payment due by and before March 1, 2020, the term of which shall be from January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and its immediate passage is necessary in order to preserve, protect and maintain the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of New Philadelphia, Ohio.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: November 11, 2019

ATTEST:

Julie Courtright  
JULIE COURTRIGHT  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

Sam R. Hitchcock  
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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED:

Joel B. Day  
MAYOR JOEL B. DAY

SPONSORED BY: SPECIAL AND CONTACT COMMITTEE