

ORDINANCE 2017 - 71

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$8,000 TO PROJECT RISE ABOVE, A PRIVATE NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

WHEREAS, the City Council believes it is in the public interest to assist Project Rise Above in its mission to raise awareness of the commitment candidates of the Warren County Veterans' Court make to the Court's 18 month veteran treatment program and to raise funds that assist with life style necessities not available through the Veteran's Court or other veteran organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that public support through City funding should be given to the Project Rise Above, a private non-profit organization; and

WHEREAS, Council feels that a contribution of one dollar for every two dollars Project Rise Above raises through other means, up to a total City donation of \$8,000 and no more than a third of a group's budget to Project Rise Above, is appropriate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, six members thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to pay the sum of \$1 (one dollar) for every \$2 (two dollars) raised by Project Rise Above, a private non-profit organization, and not to exceed \$8,000 and no more than a third of a group's budget in City contributions for the further support of its programs in the interest of the City of Mason and its citizens.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect at the earliest possible date allowed by law.

Passed this 15th day of May, 2017.

Mayor

Attest:

Clerk of Council