

**ORDINANCE 2018 -112**

**AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH ONECITY AGAINST HEROIN, INC. FOR CARE COORDINATOR SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$36,500**

WHEREAS, City Council has determined that it would be in the best interest of the City to obtain the services of a Care Coordinator such that first responders could have access to such services to act as a referral or on scene response where addiction is an issue and to assist family members; and

WHEREAS, Council has further determined that a Care Coordinator presence in Mason Municipal Court on a routine basis and as needed is a vital resource during court appearances involving addiction; and

WHEREAS, a Care Coordinator could provide periodic training to first responders in dealing with overdose and addiction situations outside of typical law enforcement responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, a Care Coordinator could provide periodic reports on activity and assistance provided to Mason Residents, Mason Court, and Mason first responders; and

WHEREAS, a Care Coordinator would commit to partnering with City's campus security efforts to develop youth prevention/education efforts, including, but not limited to mentoring, testimonials, community service, education, referrals, and more; and

WHEREAS, OneCity Against Heroin, Inc. is a 501(c)3 not for profit organization that engages in directing care coordination services in Butler and Warren Counties;

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

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with OneCity Against Heroin, Inc. to defray the costs of Care Coordinator services as more fully expressed in the recitals listed above, with said contract to provide for monthly payments to be based on an agreed upon invoicing and reporting system.

Section 2. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to contribute to OneCity Against Heroin, Inc. an amount not to exceed \$36,500 for said Care Coordinator services.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018.

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Mayor

Attest:

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Clerk of Council