ORDINANCE 2020 – 26

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FC CINCINNATI FOUNDATION RELATED TO MAKINO PARK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Mason is in the process of constructing a park consisting of, among other things, a playground, sports fields, a pavilion and green space; and

WHEREAS, Mason, the Mason Parks and Recreation Foundation, and Makino have discussed FC Cincinnati Foundation making an in-kind contribution by constructing a minipitch soccer field at Makino Park and acknowledging that contribution by providing the FC Cincinnati Foundation with naming rights and other concessions with respect to the mini-pitch soccer field; and

WHEREAS, FC Cincinnati Foundation's commitment to invest in building a culture of wellness in the community is a catalyst to the mutual commitment of the partnership between Mason and FC Cincinnati Foundation; and

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

<u>Section 1</u>. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the FC Cincinnati Foundation, substantially in the form of that attached hereto as Exhibit A, incorporated herein by reference.

<u>Section 2</u>. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall be effective immediately upon its adoption. The reason for said declaration of emergency is the need to execute the agreement at the earliest possible date in order to ensure for the timely progress and construction of the project.

Passed this 24th day of February, 2020.

	Mayor	
Attest:		
Clerk of Council		