

ORDINANCE 2024 – 8

**AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO
A SERVICE AGREEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,000 WITH
WOMEN WALKING WEST**

WHEREAS, the City Council believes it is in the public interest to assist Women Walking West Inc. in its mission to assist foreign born adult females in the United States to achieve their educational goals by providing resources that assist in removing language, social, cultural, academic and financial barriers; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that public support through City funding should be given to the Women Walking West Inc., a private non-profit organization that such expenditure constitutes a valid public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Women Walking West Inc. understands that funds provided by the City of Mason will be used solely to further the organization’s mission within the City of Mason and that such expenditure will result in a demonstrable benefit to the City of Mason that can be substantiated with evidence.

WHEREAS, the Women Walking West Inc. will work collaboratively with the City to provide activities and events that educate the community about the importance of providing foreign born adult women access to a quality education in the City of Mason and throughout the United States;

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

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a service agreement attached as Exhibit “A” in an amount of \$8,000 in 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 12th day of February, 2024.

Mayor

Attest:

Clerk of Council