RESOLUTION NO. 2023-51 INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Bodnar

## AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING MAYFIELD VILLAGE TO ACCEPT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$20,000.00) FROM THE STATE OF OHIO THROUGH THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT FOR THE OHIO AMBULANCE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM AND MAKE PREMIUM PAYMENTS TO ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES WITH THOSE FUNDS

**WHEREAS**, the American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") which was signed into law March 11, 2021, established the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds ("SLFRF"); and

**WHEREAS**, \$350 billion was appropriated to be used by state, local, and Tribal governments across the country to support their response to and recovery from the COVID-19 public health emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, the State, through the Office of Budget and Management ("OBM"), was directly allocated and accepted \$5.3 billion in SLFRF relief as federal award identification number SLFRP0130 from the United States Department of the Treasury; and,

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 280.10 of Amended Substitute House Bill 45 ("H.B. 45"), the 134<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the State of Ohio appropriated \$20 million in SLFRF funds to OBM in appropriation item 042627, Ohio Ambulance Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 280.10 of H.B. 45, appropriation item 042627, Ohio Ambulance Transportation, shall be used by OBM to administer grants to any public, not-for-profit, or private ground ambulance transport provider, who submitted claims to the Ohio Department of Medicaid during the current state fiscal year; and

**WHEREAS**, ambulance transportation providers shall use the funds to provide premium pay to eligible employees; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village applied for and was awarded a grant in the amount of twenty thousand dollar (\$20,000.00); and

**WHEREAS**, Village Council finds good cause to accept the grant and authorize the premium pay to the eligible employees thereunder.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. Council hereby accepts funds in the amount of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00), from the State of Ohio, through the Office of Budget and Management for the Ohio Ambulance Transportation Program and authorizes the requisite premium payments to eligible employees thereunder. Premium payments shall be made based upon hours worked on duty during the time period July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, with full-time eligible

employees receiving .8549 cents per hour for hours worked and part-time eligible employees receiving .6939 cents per hour for hours worked.

SECTION 2. The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution have been taken at open meetings of this Council; and that deliberations of this Council and of its committees, resulting in such formal action, took place in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all statutory requirements including requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of health, safety and welfare of the residents of Mayfield Village, Ohio, for the reason that it provides for premium pay to eligible employees for work performed during the COVID-19 public health emergency. It shall, therefore, take effect immediately upon the passage by the affirmative vote of not less than five (5) members elected to Council and approved by the Mayor or otherwise at the earliest time allowed by law.

		STEPHEN SCHUTT Council President	
First Reading:	, 2023		
Second Reading:	, 2023		
Third Reading:	, 2023		
PASSED:	, 2023		
BRENDA T. BODNAR, Mayor			
APPROVED AS TO FORM:			
DIANE A. CALTA, ESQ., Director of Law			
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Clerk of Council