BILL #22-160 ORDINANCE # _____

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

Authorizing the Public Works Director to allocate five hundred thousand dollars of the American Rescue Plan budget to extend access to the Mansfield B&O trail from Trimble Road, using revenue replacement funds received under the American Rescue Plan Act in the manner prescribed by and consistent with the requirements of the American Rescue Plan Fund, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, this action is part of the Mansfield Walkable City Plan, and will allow access to a conservancy district, and

WHEREAS, Richland County is willing to commit five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), towards the project, and

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio is providing an additional one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANSFIELD, STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Public Works Director be, and he is hereby, authorized to allocate five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) of the American Rescue Plan budget to extend access to the Mansfield B&O trail from Trimble Road.

SECTION 2. That the amount authorized under Section 1, not to exceed five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), shall be paid from the American Rescue Plan Fund (#221) revenue replacement dollars, non-departmental expenditures (221.99.99) other charges classification.

SECTION 3. That in order to extend access to the Mansfield B&O trail from Trimble Road, this measure is determined to be an emergency Ordinance for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City of Mansfield and its inhabitants and providing it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption, otherwise from and after the earliest time allowed by law, after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Caucus 16 August 2022
1st Reading 16 August 2022
2nd Reading _____
PASSED 16 August 2022

SIGNED /s/ David Falquette
President of Council

ATTEST /s/ Amy L. Yockey
Clerk of Council

APPROVED /s/ Timothy L. Theaker
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM: John R. Spon
Law Director
City of Mansfield, Ohio