AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1064, ENTITLED "COMMUNITY ROOMS," OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES TO INCLUDE RENTAL FEE EXEMPTIONS.

WHEREAS, the City Administration requests that children's organizations be exempt from rental fees associated with the scheduled use of the City Hall Community rooms and the Barlow Community Center Community rooms; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines that such a change to city policy is in the best interest of the community and serves to protect and preserve the general health, safety, and welfare of the city.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Hudson, Summit County, Ohio, that:

<u>Section 1</u>. That Section 1604.01(b) of the Codified Ordinances of Hudson is hereby amended to provide as follows, with **bolded and underlined** language being added and stricken language being deleted:

(b) There will be no <u>user</u> charge <u>under this Section</u> for <u>the following</u>: government<u>al entities</u>, related organizations, <u>including the Hudson City School District and the American Red</u> <u>Cross</u>; the <u>Hudson</u> Community Service Association; Hudson Community Education and Recreation, Hudson Public School District, American Red Cross</u>, veterans' associations; <u>youth focused organizations based in Hudson with a primary membership of minors</u>; and, the senior citizens groups. All others will be subject to the rates set forth in subsection (a) hereof.

<u>Section 2</u>. That Section 1604.02(b) of the Codified Ordinances of Hudson is hereby amended to provide as follows, with <u>**bolded and underlined**</u> language being added and stricken language being deleted:

(b) There will be no <u>user</u> charge <u>under this Section</u> for <u>the following</u>: government<u>al entities</u>, related organizations, <u>including the Hudson City School District and the American Red</u> <u>Cross</u>; the <u>Hudson</u> Community Service Association; Hudson Community Education and Recreation, Hudson Public School District, American Red Cross, veterans' associations; <u>vouth focused organizations based in Hudson with a primary membership of minors</u>; and, the senior citizens groups. All others will be subject to the rates set forth in subsection (a) hereof.

<u>Section 3.</u> That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Ordinance.

<u>Section 4</u>. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, or otherwise in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:

Jeffrey Anzevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 24-58 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

First Reading: Second Reading: Third Reading: