

CITY OF STRUTHERS
Ordinance

NO. 26-054

***AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF STRUTHERS TO
PARTICIPATE WITH OTHER LOCAL COMMUNITIES TO EXTEND
THE MAHONING RIVER WATER TRAIL AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY.***

WHEREAS, Trumbull County Metropolitan Park District, Howland Township, Weathersfield Township, Village of McDonald, City of Niles, City of Girard, City of Youngstown, City of Campbell, City of Struthers, Village of Lowellville, Poland Township, the Mahoning River Corridor initiative and the Mahoning River Corridor Mayors Association propose to extend the Mahoning River Water Trail as a means to encourage tourism and eco friendly, educational, historical, cultural, and recreational activities on the Mahoning River; and

WHEREAS, said water trail designations must meet the criteria and guidelines for approval by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR); and

WHEREAS, said Water Trail is a cooperative effort amongst the aforementioned agencies, communities, and organizations to obtain designations of the Mahoning River Water Trail and to seek grant funds for related signage.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the City of Struthers, Ohio, $\frac{3}{4}$'s of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That Struthers City Council authorizes the Mayor as the official representative of the City of Struthers to participate in this project to extend the Mahoning River Trail to meet the necessary criteria of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), and provide all information and documentation required to gain proper designation.

SECTION 2: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were passed in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including § 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Struthers, Ohio. Said emergency exists by reason of the fact that obligations must be met and cannot be covered by the current appropriation, making said transfer necessary to ensure the Fund Healthy and needed for operations; and, as such, this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

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PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 9th DAY OF September, 2026.

 
CLERK OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH THE MAYOR THIS 9th DAY OF September, 2026.


CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 9th DAY OF September, 2026.


MAYOR

POSTED ON STRUTHERS CITY WEBSITE & STRUTHERS SOCIAL MEDIA

DATE: September 11, 2026

CLERK OF COUNCIL

Save: Support of Mahoning River Water Trail Extension 2026 ODNR