

CITY/RIVER

ORDINANCE NO. 8253

AN ORDINANCE CONVEYING A PERPETUAL RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE LANDS ADJACENT TO THE BLACK RIVER CHANNEL, ^{and} BEING A BODY OF WATER KNOWN AS THE BLACK RIVER, AND HEREBY DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1: That the Mayor and Director of Service be and they are hereby authorized and directed to convey by instrument the perpetual right and easement to the United States of America to enter up, dig or cut away or remove any or all of the hereinafter described tract of land as may be required for the construction and maintenance of the widening, straightening, deepening, and enlarging of the Black River Channel, and to maintain the portion cut away and removed as a part of the navigable waters of the United States, which property is more particularly described as follows:

"Situated in Lorain County, Ohio, Black River Township, Tract One, Original Lots 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 51, 52, 93 and Sheffield Township, Original Lots 53, 54, 90, 91 and 92 and now in the City of Lorain, more particularly described as follows:

Being a body of water known as Black River extending downstream from the head of navigation at the southerly end to Lake Erie at the northerly end and all the area between the existing East and West City docklines.;"

SECTION 2: That Council having determined that said premises are of a value of less than One Dollar (\$1.00), the Mayor and Director of Service are hereby directed to execute the aforesaid easement conveyance without following the provision of the Statute relative to the requirement of advertising.

SECTION 3: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency, the emergency being the immediate need for conveying construction rights to the grantee for advertising for bids and awarding of a contract of work to be performed in the 1962-spring dredging season; all for the comfort, convenience and welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Lorain, and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor, otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: March 19 1962

ATTEST: Frank J. Snee
Clerk of Council

APPROVED: March 20th 1962

Edward Howard
President of Council

Woodward Matlina
Mayor