

ORDINANCE NO. 87-17 AC CMS

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO
A CONTRACT WITH THE OBERLIN EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

WHEREAS, the City of Oberlin has the authority by virtue of Chapter 5104 O.R.C. to operate a child day-care center within the City of Oberlin, and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Oberlin deems it necessary to enter into a contract with the Oberlin Early Childhood Center, formerly the Oberlin Day Care Center, to authorize it to operate such a center and provide financial assistance for the same, and

WHEREAS, the Oberlin Early Childhood Center is a non-profit operation operating under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Ohio and is duly licensed to operate a child day-care center, and

WHEREAS, the Oberlin Early Childhood Center offers to the City of Oberlin the following personal services:

- (a) to plan, conduct, and administer high quality educational programs and related activities during the work day for children of pre-school and other young ages;
- (b) to make available such high quality educational programs and related activities to children of pre-school and other young ages, without undue financial hardship to their parents and legal guardians, thereby making such programs and activities available to children without regard to their economic background;
- (c) to develop and implement educational programs designed to bring together children from different economic, racial, religious, and ethnic backgrounds in such a manner that the children may have a positive educational experience which will enable them to become responsible adults who lack prejudice and discriminatory attitudes;
- (d) to provide a new, modern facility, including buildings and an outside play area, that will be specifically designed, built, equipped, and operated for children of pre-school and other young ages; and

WHEREAS, said services are highly specialized and there is no other organization available which is licensed by the State of Ohio to provide said services or which is otherwise possessed of the required skills or capabilities to provide said services; and

WHEREAS, City Council desires to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with the Oberlin Early Childhood Center, under the terms of which the said center shall operate a child day-care center and furnish its services to the City of Oberlin, and in return for which the City shall provide financial assistance to the said center.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio, a majority of all members elected thereto concurring:


SECTION 1. That the City Manager be, and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Oberlin Early Childhood Center, whereby the City will provide financial assistance to the said center in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 as previously appropriated for and during the year 1987, to be used for operating purposes and in consideration therefore said center will operate a child day-care center and provide to the City of Oberlin the services above set forth for the year 1987.

SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted 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 Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.


SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: 1st Reading- April 6, 1987 (Emergency)
2nd Reading-
3rd Reading-

ATTEST:



Clerk of Council



Chairman of Council

POSTED: April 8, 1987