

## CERTIFICATION I Maria Williams ,Clerk of Council, certify this is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 71-2021 This Ordinance passed by the Council of the City of Norwood Ohio in a regular session held 12-28-2021 Clerk of Council

Ordinance No.

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ORDINANCE DECLARING THAT BURWOOD AVENUE, BETWEEN WILLIAMS AVENUE AND SHANMOOR AVENUE, SHALL HEREBY RECEIVE THE HONORARY, SECONDARY NAME OF "FIRE FIGHTER ROY FERGUSON WAY"

WHEREAS, Roy Ferguson was appointed to the Norwood Fire Department on March 12, 1921, after having served in the Cincinnati Fire Department for 12 years before entering the Norwood Fire Department; and

**WHEREAS**, Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson, then age 57, responded to a fire at 4033 Burwood Avenue, on December 3, 1943; and

WHEREAS, Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson, having gone home from the fire feeling poorly, died within an hour of his return home at 4746 Ridgeway Avenue, leaving behind his wife, May, and two children: PFC William Ferguson, stationed at Ft. Benning, Georgia, and Mary Ferguson, a student nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital; and

**WHEREAS**, Norwood City Council now wishes to honor Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson's brave sacrifice, and that of his family, and to honor the service and sacrifice of all Norwood Fire Fighters, past and present; now, therefore,

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Council of the City of Norwood, State of Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Norwood hereby declare that Burwood Avenue, between Williams Avenue and Shanmoor Avenue, shall hereby receive the honorary, secondary name of "Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson Way" by legislative action of the Mayor and City Council in honor of Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson, and in recognition of his contributions to the City of Norwood.

**SECTION 2.** That the appropriate City officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary and proper to implement the provisions of Section 1 herein, including the generation and installation of secondary street signage for Burwood Avenue at its intersections with Williams Avenue, and Shanmoor Avenue, in accordance with the Department of Transportation and Engineering's procedures relating to secondary street designation and related signage.

**SECTION 3.** Council also requests that appropriate signs be placed, and an appropriate ceremony conducted on December 3, 2022, at the intersection of Burwood and Williams Avenues.

**SECTION 4.** Council declares that December 3 be recognized as Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson Day each year.

PASSED 12.28.01

Ken Miracle

President of Council

ATTEST:

Maria Williams, the duly appointed Clerk of Council, attests that this ordinance was passed at a regular special meeting of Norwood City Council on the \_\_\_\_\_\_day of

Ordinance Declaring Fire Fighter Roy Ferguson Way – 12-21-21

December, 2021 in compliance with the rustate of Ohio. The foregoing ordinance was Ohio for his signature on the	ales of Norwood City Council and the laws of the submitted to the Mayor of the City of Norwood, 2021.  Maria Williams Clerk of Council
APPROVED 28DEC 21 Date	Victor Schneider Mayor
CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION:	
	Council, attests that this ordinance was published in the
(Name of Newspaper) on Jan. 3. (dat	e)  (date)  María Williams  Clerk of Council
ORDINANCE READINGS	
1 <sup>st</sup> Reading Date	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading Date	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Reading	
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Vetoed \_\_\_\_

Date