

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION**

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL
WORKERS, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CITY OF LEBANON, OHIO, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:22-cv-258

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS'
MOTION FOR A PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

Plaintiffs the National Association of Social Workers and Women Have Options – Ohio have moved for a preliminary injunction against enforcement of a municipal ordinance that purports to criminalize abortions and any efforts to aid or abet an abortion. Plaintiffs allege that the ordinance is unconstitutionally vague, infringes upon constitutionally protected speech, and exceeds Defendants' Home Rule Authority under the Ohio Constitution. The Court has considered the parties' briefing, evidence, and arguments as well as the authorities cited in support of their positions.

In accordance with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65, the Court hereby **FINDS** that:

1. Plaintiffs are substantially likely to prevail on some or all of their claims.
2. Plaintiffs will be irreparably injured in the absence of a preliminary injunction.
3. A preliminary injunction would not cause substantial harm to others.
4. The public interest would be served by the issuance of a preliminary injunction.

The Court therefore **ORDERS** that:

1. Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction is **GRANTED**.

2. Defendants and their officers, agents, servants, employees, and attorneys, and all those acting in concert with them, are hereby **ENJOINED** from implementing or enforcing the challenged ordinance pending final judgment in this case, including from enforcing the challenged ordinance against actions that took place during the pendency of this injunction.

3. Under the circumstances, the Court dispenses with the requirement that the movants give security for the issuance of the injunction. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(c).

SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE