

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADVERTISE FOR COMPETITIVE BIDS AND TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR RAVENNA STREET SIDEWALK INSTALLATION PROJECT FROM S. HAYDEN PARKWAY TO STOW ROAD.**

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson recognizes the need for pedestrian safety and improved walkability along Ravenna Street (“Ravenna Street Sidewalk Installation Project” or “Project”); and

WHEREAS, the City administration’s plans for the Project include storm drainage improvements, grading, crosswalks, lighting, electric conduits, driveways, and minor clearing and restoration; and

WHEREAS, the installation of sidewalks from South Hayden Parkway to Stow Road is in the best interest of public safety and accessibility; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of construction is \$1,100,000, which includes a 10% contingency; and,

WHEREAS, the City has determined that it is necessary to advertise for competitive bids in accordance with applicable laws and regulations to ensure a fair and cost-effective selection process for the Project; and

WHEREAS, upon the receipt and evaluation of bids, it is necessary to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with the lowest and best bidder for the completion of the Ravenna Street Sidewalk Installation Project; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City of Hudson and its residents that this Project be completed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hudson, Summit County, Ohio, that:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to advertise for a period of at least two (2) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation within the municipality and on the City’s website for at least three (3) consecutive weeks, requesting the submission of bids for the Ravenna Street Sidewalk Installation Project, all in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.

Section 2. Upon receipt and evaluation of such bids, the City Manager is further authorized to enter into a contract with the lowest and best bidder, ensuring that the selected contractor meets all necessary qualifications, experience, and service standards required for the successful execution of the project, subject to the approval as to form by the City Solicitor and the affixing to the contract by the Finance Director a certificate of availability of funds therefore.

Further, the City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to take any necessary actions to implement the provisions of this resolution and to execute and process all documents related to the contract award and administration.

Section 3. The City Manager is further authorized to return all certified checks and bid bonds submitted by the unsuccessful bidders and to reject all bids for said contract if deemed necessary.

Section 4. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 5. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and 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 6. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_

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Jeffrey L. Anzevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 25-53 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council