

A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY THE CITY MANAGER'S DESIGNEE TO THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY'S (FEMA) FY24 FIRE PREVENTION AND SAFETY GRANT TO SUPPORT THE SAFE SENIORS PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson is committed to protecting the health and safety of its residents, including vulnerable populations such as older adults; and

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Year 2024 Fire Prevention and Safety Grant (FP&S) is a federally funded opportunity administered by the Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) under the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) program; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of the FP&S grant is to support projects that enhance the safety of the public and firefighters from fire and related hazards; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager's designee has submitted an application to FEMA under the FY24 FP&S Grant to support the City's Safe Seniors Program, an initiative aimed at reducing fire-related risks for senior residents; and

WHEREAS, the City requested approximately \$45,000.00, with a 5% match of approximately \$2,250, for the purchase of carbon monoxide detectors, Knox boxes, and marketing materials to serve 100 additional participants (with a value of approximately \$450 per resident).

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

Section 1. That the City Manager and/or his designee's actions taken to date, with regard to the Fiscal Year 2024 Fire Prevention and Safety Grant, are hereby ratified and affirmed.

Section 2. If the application is approved for the funding, the City Manager and/or his designee are hereby authorized to: (a) enter into a contract with FEMA, the Safe Senior Program, the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program, or the proper party, as may be necessary, in a form approved by the City Solicitor; and, (b) do all other things necessary in order to accept and administer such funding.

Section 3. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 4. 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 5. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____

Jeffrey L. Anzevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 25-105 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2025.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council