## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPLY TO SUMMIT COUNTY FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDING OF BUS SHELTERS WITHIN THE CITY OF HUDSON.

WHEREAS, the County of Summit is an entitlement community which receives funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") Program to assist low to moderate income persons/households and seniors by providing funding for programs detailed in the 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson is eligible to apply for CDBG Program funding pursuant to Resolution No. 93-35, passed by this Council on June 21, 1993, which authorized an Agreement of Cooperation with the County of Summit for the CDBG Program; and this Agreement was later amended with passage of Resolution No. 14-118 on December 3, 2014; and

WHEREAS, staff seeks authorization to make application to the Summit County Department of Community and Economic Development for CDBG Program funding to provide financial assistance towards the cost of an improvement project to install bus shelters at various locations as listed in Section 1 below, which is estimated at a total cost of \$70,000.00; and

WHEREAS, if the application is approved, the City could receive a CDBG funding reimbursement of up to \$52,500.00 (75%) from the Summit County CDBG Program towards the cost of certain improvements that would provide for a safer environment for Metro Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) transit riders within Hudson; and a local funding match would be required for the remaining \$17,500 (25%), to be provided through corporate donations and the City; and

WHEREAS, City Council desires for the City to receive financial assistance for this improvement project under the CDBG Program.

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

<u>Section 1</u>. The City Manager is authorized to apply to the Summit County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, having provided all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance under the grant program as set forth in the recitals of this Resolution, for the project, which includes four (4) bus shelters at the following locations:

- (1) Hudson Crossing and State Route 303
- (2) Jo-Ann Store's Corporate Office on Terex Road
- (3) Hudson-Industrial Parkway at Terex Road
- (4) Little Tikes Receiving on Barlow Road

<u>Section 2</u>. The City of Hudson acknowledges and understands that it intends to diligently pursue the projects, and that a local share is required to match the County funds. Local share is 25%, and CDBG share is 75%. The total cost of the project, including a 10% contingency, shall not exceed Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000).

<u>Section 3</u>. It is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were taken 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 meeting open to the public and in compliance with the law.

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

PASSED:

Craig A. Shubert, Mayor

ATTEST:

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 21-69 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council