

A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY THE CITY MANAGER'S DESIGNEE TO THE OHIO BUREAU OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION FOR A TRENCH SAFETY GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DIVISIONS OF SERVICE AND WATER DISTRIBUTION.

WHEREAS, the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation ("OBWC") provides Safety Grant funding opportunities to Ohio public employers who wish to purchase equipment to substantially reduce or eliminate injuries and illnesses associated with a particular task or operation; and

WHEREAS, the OBWC could provide up to approximately Twelve-Thousand Dollars (\$12,000) through the OBWC Trench Safety Grant Program, funding at an 80% (OBWC) to 20% (City) matching basis to assist with the purchase of a new trench box for use by the Public Works Department to continue to meet safety requirements and reduce the potential for injuries; and

WHEREAS, if said grant is awarded, the required matching amount will be funded by the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, the OBWC will award grant funding on a first come first served basis, and the City Manager's designee has submitted a grant application to increase the likelihood of receiving said funding.

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

Section 1: Council hereby affirms the actions of the City Manager's designee to execute and file a grant application with the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation through the Trench Safety Grant Program, having provided all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance under the Trench Safety Grant Program as set forth in the recitals of this Resolution.

Section 2: 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 3: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:

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Craig A. Shubert, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 20-55 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council