

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH MS CONSULTANTS FOR THE TINKERS CREEK WATERSHED STUDY.

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson recognizes the importance of assessing and improving the stormwater infrastructure within the Tinkers Creek Watershed to mitigate flooding and enhance environmental sustainability; and

WHEREAS, the Tinkers Creek Watershed Study will evaluate the trunk stormwater infrastructure within the watershed and other local critical stormwater system areas to identify necessary improvements; and

WHEREAS, the study will catalog the existing storm-related infrastructure, generate a new hydrologic and hydraulic model of the infrastructure, develop and rank alternative solutions to mitigate any identified storm water flooding related problems and potential water quality improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City will then compile the study's findings and develop a stormwater master plan, which will be presented to Council and used for future planning and budgeting of capital improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing six (6) proposals, conducting interviews with top-rated consultants, and further refining the scope of services, the administration recommended ms Consultants at a total cost of \$224,696; and

WHEREAS, for this contract, the administration also recommends the approval of a 10% contingency, bringing the total contract amount to \$247,165.60 (\$224,696.00 base fee + \$22,469.60 contingency = \$247,165.60); and

WHEREAS, ms Consultants has demonstrated the expertise and experience necessary to conduct a comprehensive evaluation of the watershed and provide recommendations for future improvements; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to engage the services of ms Consultants to conduct this study to ensure the effective management of stormwater and the prevention of flooding within the community.

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

Section 1. The City Manager and/or his designee are hereby authorized to enter a professional services contract with MS Consultants for the Tinkers Creek Watershed Study, in an amount not to exceed \$247,165.60, with terms being subject to the City Solicitor and in accordance with the terms and conditions deemed necessary and appropriate by the City Manager or his designee and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. The City Manager is further authorized to take all necessary actions, including the execution of any required documents to implement the intent of this Resolution.

Section 2. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 3. 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 4. 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. 25-58 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2025.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council