

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH COGENT COMMUNICATION FOR THE PROVISION OF AN INTERNET CIRCUIT FOR THE CITY'S VELOCITY BROADBAND SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City's Velocity Broadband staff seeks to add an additional dedicated internet circuit from Cogent Communications to provide a redundant upstream connection; and

WHEREAS, this new circuit will support a geographically diverse 10Gig circuit, providing the additional bandwidth needed as the City's Velocity Broadband's bandwidth needs grow; and

WHEREAS, the total value of this three-year contract is \$115,052.16, with a monthly rate of \$3,112.56 and a one-time install cost of \$3,000; and

WHEREAS, the agreement meets and is below "state term" vendor pricing as listed on Ohio DAS MSA0004-2.

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

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a three-year contract with Cogent Communications for an additional dedicated internet circuit with 10Gig bandwidth.

Section 2. The agreement shall specify the scope of work, cost-sharing arrangements, responsibilities of each party, and any other provisions necessary to carry out the Project efficiently.

Section 3. The City Manager and Finance Director are authorized to make the necessary appropriations and payments as required under the agreement, subject to the availability of funds and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

Section 4. The aforesaid contract is in the City and its residents' best interest.

Section 5. That the above recitals are fully incorporated as findings herein.

Section 6. 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 of 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 7. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect 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. 26-24 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2026.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council