A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE DARROW ROAD PARK CREEK CLEANING WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER.

WHEREAS, during construction of the SR 91 North Turn Lane Project in 2019, staff identified that sediment in the existing ditch at this location was partially prohibiting flows away from Darrow Road, and during significant rain events, the existing stream in Darrow Park can back up into the local storm water system, creating the opportunity for overland flooding at lower-lying properties along Darrow Road and Herrick Park Drive.

WHEREAS, City staff also identified during the SR 91 North Turn Lane project that the sediment was trapping water against the roadway embankment along Darrow Road, creating saturated road base conditions under the roadway that could lead to eventual degradation of the roadway.

WHEREAS, to mitigate the above issues and improve storm water flow, it is necessary to remove and haul-off sediment from an 850-foot portion of the existing ditch downstream along private properties into Darrow Park and restoration of disturbed areas to improve storm water flow.

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

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to advertise both for a period of at least once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation within the municipality and for a period of three (3) consecutive weeks on the Municipal website, requesting the submission of bids for the award and enter into a contract for the Roslyn Water Main Replacement Project in accordance with the specifications as supplied by the City Engineer's Office.

Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to enter into a contract or contracts on behalf of the City, subject to the affixing to the contract by the Finance Director of a certificate of availability of funds therefor, with the lowest and best bidder after receipt of such bids to the extent that such bid is not ten percent (10%) in excess of the Engineer's estimate.

Section 3. The City Manager is authorized to add a 10% contingency amount to the contract with lowest and best bidder.

<u>Section 4</u>. The City Manager is further authorized to return all certified checks and bid bonds submitted by the unsuccessful bidders and to reject all bids for said contract if deemed necessary to do so.

<u>Section 5.</u> 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 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 take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council