A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH DEERE AND COMPANY FOR TWO AERIFIERS FOR GOLF COURSE USE.

WHEREAS, the City's previously entered in a purchase agreement with Century Equipment to replace two aerifiers for Ellsworth Meadows Golf Club; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it to be in the City's best interest to change the supply vendor from Century Equipment to Deere and Company to replace two (2) aerifiers for turf maintenance at the Ellsworth Meadows Golf Club; and,

WHEREAS, the new vendor is offering the equipment at a price lower than originally budgeted; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson has the authority to purchase equipment through the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program, which entity employs competitive bidding processes for equipment; and,

WHEREAS, this Council has appropriated the funds necessary for the purchase of said equipment to replace equipment in the City's Golf Course Division.

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

Section 1: The City Manager is authorized to enter into a purchase agreement with Deere & Company, Cary, North Carolina, under the State of Ohio Procurement State Term Schedule Contract No. OH STS 515 for the purchase of two (2) aerifiers.

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

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

PASSED: _____

ATTEST:

Jeffrey L. Anzevino, Mayor

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 23-51 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on ______, 2023.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council