

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO
ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR STATE
ROUTE 91/TEREX ROAD TURN LANE IMPROVEMENTS (PID #116929).**

WHEREAS, the City plans to reconstruct the left turn lanes along Terex Road, at Darrow Road (SR 91) to create a “positive” offset from the opposite turn lane, thereby improving sight lines at the intersection; and

WHEREAS, the City also plans to lengthen the eastbound Terex Road left turn lane to accommodate more school bus storage, which contributes to congestion at the intersection; and

WHEREAS, the City plans to create a new left turn lane along westbound Terex Road into the “former Jo Ann Fabrics” parking lot; and

WHEREAS, the construction costs for the three foregoing efforts (the “Project”) will be shared with the Ohio Department of Transportation (“ODOT”) through ODOT’s provision of Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) resurfacing funds; and

WHEREAS, ODOT funding is capped at \$400,142, paid directly to the contractor, with any costs over this amount being the responsibility of the City; and

WHEREAS, the total estimated construction cost for the Project is \$750,142, which includes a 10% contingency; and

WHEREAS, this Project is scheduled to be formally bid in late 2025 or early 2026, with construction to begin in Spring 2026; and

WHEREAS, this Project is in the best interest of the City, its residents, and the community.

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

Section 1. The City Manager and his designee are 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 three (3) consecutive weeks on the Municipal website, requesting the submission of bids for the purpose of seeking the lowest and best bidder for materials and procurement and material handling services for the Project as set forth herein and in accordance with the specifications on file with the City staff.

Section 2. Upon receipt of responsive bids, the City Manager and/or his designee are also authorized to enter into a contract or contracts on behalf of the City in an amount up to that which has been appropriated by Council, subject to the affixing to the contract by the Finance Director of a certificate of availability of funds therefor and the approval as to form by the City Solicitor, with the lowest and best bidder after receipt of such bids to the extent that such bid(s) are not in excess of the City's estimate at the time of bidding (which is currently \$750,142, with a 10% contingency).

Section 3. The City Manager and/or his designee are further authorized to do all things necessary to process the bids, including return all certified checks and bid bonds submitted by the unsuccessful bidders and/or to reject all bids for said contract(s) if deemed necessary to do so.

Section 4. The aforesaid contracts are in the City and its residents' best interest.

Section 5. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

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 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. 25-149 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2025.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council