

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE 2024 STORM SEWER AND CULVERT LINING IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER.**

WHEREAS, the current condition of the City's storm sewers and culverts are a safety concern due to the numerous sink holes;

WHEREAS, the City's storm sewers and culverts require continuous ongoing maintenance requirements;

WHEREAS, the City Manager and Engineer have investigated and propose to line the City's storm sewer and culverts, which will virtually eliminate future sink holes caused by separated joints and will extend the life of the storm system pipes (the "2024 Storm Sewer and Culvert Lining Improvements Project");

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hudson, Summit County, 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 2024 Storm Sewer Lining Improvements Project in accordance with the specifications and estimates as supplied by the City Engineer's Office.

Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to sign all necessary documents and enter a contract or contracts on behalf of the City for the 2024 Storm Sewer Lining Improvements Project in an amount to be appropriated by Council, 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 ten percent (10%) contingency amount to the contract with the lowest and best bidder.

Section 4. 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 or contracts if deemed necessary to do so.

Section 5. The aforesaid project is in the City and its residents' best interest.

Section 6. The above recitals are fully incorporated as findings herein.

Section 7. 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 8. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:

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Jeffrey L. Anzevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 24-18 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_.

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Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council