

A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 25-183 AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, AND SERVICES FOR THE CITY'S VELOCITY BROADBAND OPERATIONS DURING THE YEAR 2026; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, City staff requests permission to make purchases of equipment, materials, supplies, and services in the operations area of Velocity Broadband; and

WHEREAS, during 2026, the administration has been purchasing certain specialized items, needing expedited delivery and/or one-off purchases, all of which have been below the proper spending threshold and have followed the City's purchasing policies; and

WHEREAS, the total spend with specific vendors for Velocity Broadband's equipment, materials, supplies, and services is nearing the \$105,000 threshold approved in Resolution 25-183; and

WHEREAS, City administration seeks authority to continue acquiring these necessary items and raise the total threshold to an amount not to exceed \$300,000; and

WHEREAS, time is of the essence as construction is ongoing in the field; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City and its residents.

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

Section 1. The City Manager and his designees are authorized to continue purchasing equipment, materials, supplies, and services with vendors for Velocity Broadband purposes. Resolution 25-183 is hereby amended to change the prior spending authorization of \$105,000 to a total amount not to exceed \$300,000.

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

Section 3. 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 4. This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of life, property, public health, safety, public peace, and the general welfare of the City and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to enter this agreement in a timely fashion to ensure continuity of service, work during good weather, and the saving of municipal funds and due to market and offer terms and conditions; wherefore, this legislation shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage, provided it receives five (5) affirmative votes of members of Council, except that six (6) affirmative votes are required if all members are present; otherwise it 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 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2026.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council