

**A RESOLUTION RETROACTIVELY AUTHORIZING AND RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S DESIGNEE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE CEMETERY GRANT PROGRAM ON BEHALF OF HUDSON CEMETERIES AND ACCEPTING THE AWARD.**

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Commerce awards cemetery grants for the purpose of defraying costs of exceptional maintenance or training cemetery personnel in maintenance and operation of the cemetery; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson Cemeteries are eligible for up to \$2,500 annually and the grant does not require a match; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson Cemeteries may use the funding to replace and repair gravesites in Draper Cemetery, which will require the replacement of 27 gravesite stones; and

WHEREAS, the total cost of the project is estimated at approximately \$15,000; and

WHEREAS, the application was submitted on July 28, 2023.

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

Section 1. The City Manager and/or his designee is authorized to retroactively apply to the Ohio Department of Commerce's Cemetery Grant Program on behalf of Hudson Cemeteries and all such official conduct related to the same is hereby ratified.

Section 2. This Resolution is effective as of July 28, 2023, the date of the City's application.

Section 3. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 4. 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 5. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_

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Jeffrey L. Anzevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Elizabeth Slagle, Acting Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 23-104 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

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Elizabeth Slagle, Acting Clerk of Council