

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE INSTALLATION OF LIGHTING OF SIX PICKLEBALL COURTS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson has and continues to desire to enhance recreational facilities for its residents and visitors at Barlow Farm Park; and

WHEREAS, the installation and lighting at six pickleball courts will extend the hours of usability and increase the availability for this popular activity for the community; and

WHEREAS, the community has raised and donated thousands of dollars towards this improvement project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary and in the best interest of the public to authorize the City Manager to solicit bids and award a contract for said improvements.

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 aforesaid lighting of six pickleball courts at Barlow Farm Park, in accordance with the specifications as supplied by and on file with the City Engineer's office.

Section 2. The City Manager and his designee are authorized to do all things necessary enter and implement a contract for the installation of lighting at the Barlow Farm Park pickleball courts, 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 shall not exceed \$90,000.

Section 3. 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 if deemed necessary to do so.

Section 4. That the aforesaid recitals are rendered to be the findings of this Council and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution.

Section 5. 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 6. This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to perform this work as soon as possible during good weather; wherefore, this Resolution 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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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. 25-107 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council