

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO
ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE
DOWNTOWN PEDESTRIAN PHASE 2 PROJECT (PID# 120285).**

WHEREAS, the Downtown Pedestrian Phase 2 Project includes new curb ramps and sidewalk along South Main Street between Bard Drive and Stoney Hill Drive, a new curb bump out and crosswalk improvements at North Main Street and Owen Brown Street, and other curb ramp upgrades along State Route 91 and State Route 303.; and

WHEREAS, the construction costs will be split between the Ohio Department of Transportation (“ODOT”) and the City on a 90% / 10% basis through ODOT’s Federal Safety funds and an agreement between ODOT and the City; and

WHEREAS, ODOT’s portion of the funding for construction is capped at \$580,122, and any costs over this amount are the responsibility of the City; and

WHEREAS, the current estimated costs of construction of the Downtown Pedestrian Phase 2 Project is \$744,962, which includes contingency, with up to \$580,122 of such construction and related costs will be paid for with Federal Safety funds, paid directly to the contractor; and

WHEREAS, the remaining balance of the project costs, being \$164,840, will be paid with local funding.

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

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 construction and related costs bids for the purpose of seeking the lowest and best bidder for the Downtown Pedestrian Phase 2 Project, in accordance with the specifications as supplied by the City Engineer’s office.

Section 2. The City Manager and/or his designee are authorized to enter into a contract or contracts on behalf of the City for this project 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 is not in excess of the Engineer’s estimate at the time of bidding, including contingency, construction management, and inspection costs.

Section 3. The City Manager and/or his designee are 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. The aforesaid project is in the City and its residents' best interest.

Section 5. The above recitals are fully incorporated as findings herein.

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. 25-151 was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2025.

Aparna Wheeler, Clerk of Council