

RESOLUTION NO. 053-18R

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE THROUGH THE FY 2020 COASTAL MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE PADDLE SANDUSKY: KIWANIS PARK PROJECT FOR THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT; AND DECLARING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL TAKE IMMEDIATE EFFECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 14 OF THE CITY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, office of Coastal Management, administers financial assistance for coastal management purposes, through the Ohio Coastal Management Program; and

WHEREAS, the Paddle Sandusky: Kiwanis Park Project involves improving public access via walking, biking, and paddling to Sandusky Bay from the Kiwanis Park access of the Pipe Creek Wildlife Area (PCWA) including an improved pathway extending around the cells of the PCWA and this project will be completed in conjunction with the Sandusky Bay Pathway plan to create a paddling and outdoor recreation experience on Sandusky Bay; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the project is \$531,000.00 of which \$225,000.00 will initially be paid with City funds and then, if awarded, reimbursed through the program; the City is required to provide at least a 50% match and it is anticipated the remaining balance of \$306,000.00 will be paid with Issue 8 funds from the Capital Projects Fund; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution should be passed as an emergency measure under suspension of the rules in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter in order submit the grant application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Office of Coastal Management by the deadline of December 7, 2018; and

WHEREAS, in that it is deemed necessary in order to provide for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, and safety of the City of Sandusky, Ohio, and its citizens, and to provide for the efficient daily operation of the Municipal Departments, including the Department of Recreation, of the City of Sandusky, Ohio, the City Commission of the City of Sandusky, Ohio, finds that an emergency exists regarding the aforesaid, and that it is advisable that this **Resolution** be declared an emergency measure which will take immediate effect in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter; and NOW, THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SANDUSKY, OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. This City Commission hereby approves the submission of a grant application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Office of Coastal Management for financial assistance through the FY 2020 Coastal Management Assistance Grant Program for the proposed Paddle Sandusky: Kiwanis Park Project and authorizes and directs the City Manager to provide all information and


documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance and to execute any grant agreements and lawfully expend funds consistent with the application and agreement should they be awarded.

Section 2. The City of Sandusky agrees to obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the proposed Paddle Sandusky: Kiwanis Park Project and become eligible for reimbursement under the terms and conditions of the Coastal Management Assistance Grants Program.


Section 3. If any section, phrase, sentence, or portion of this Resolution is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 4. This City Commission finds and determines that all formal actions of this City Commission concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this City Commission and that all deliberations of this City Commission and of any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 5. That for the reasons set forth in the preamble hereto, this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure which shall take immediate effect in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter after its adoption and due authentication by the President and the Clerk of the City Commission of the City of Sandusky, Ohio.



DENNIS E. MURRAY, JR.
PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COMMISSION

ATTEST: 

KELLY L. KRESSER
CLERK OF THE CITY COMMISSION

Passed: November 26, 2018