

RESOLUTION NO. 018-23R

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE NECESSITY FOR THE CITY TO PROCEED WITH THE PROPOSED 2023 SIDEWALK REPAIR & REPLACEMENT PROJECT; APPROVING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE OF COST THEREOF; AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADVERTISE FOR AND RECEIVE BIDS IN RELATION THERETO; AND DECLARING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL TAKE IMMEDIATE EFFECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 14 OF THE CITY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, from 2016-2019 and 2022, the City completed five (5) sidewalk repair and replacement projects, removing and installation roughly 72,237 square feet of sidewalk and 1,007 linear feet of curb throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, in 2020 and 2021, the planned sidewalk projects were halted due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which placed a freeze on Capital spending; and

WHEREAS, the proposed 2023 Sidewalk Repair & Replacement Project consists of over 8,184 square feet of sidewalk repairs and a portion of walk along North Depot Street receiving storm drainage tie-in within the walkway as there is heavy ponding from the roadway; and

WHEREAS, this project will also include concrete work necessary at Fire Station #7 and additional walkway within Shoreline Park; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the project is \$189,235.75 of which \$99,896.67 will be paid with Capital Projects Funds (Issue 8 Infrastructure) \$29,487.00 will be paid with American Rescue Act Funds and the remaining balance of \$59,852.08 will be paid with Capital Improvement Funds; 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 to immediately bid the project as most competitive prices are typically received at the onset of the construction season and to complete the safety improvements this construction; 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 Public Works, 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 upon its adoption; and NOW, THEREFORE

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

Section 1. The specifications and estimates of cost as prepared by the Director of Public Works and submitted to this City Commission, and which are now on file in the offices of the Director of Public Works and the Clerk of the City Commission, for the proposed 2023 Sidewalk Repair & Replacement Project be

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and the same hereby are approved by this City Commission.

Section 2. This City Commission hereby declares it necessary to proceed with the proposed 2023 Sidewalk Repair & Replacement Project at the earliest possible time.

Section 3. The City Manager is authorized and directed to advertise for and to receive bids in relation to the proposed 2023 Sidewalk Repair & Replacement Project as required by law.

Section 4. 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 5. 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 6. 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.



RICHARD R. BRADY
PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COMMISSION



ATTEST: _____
CATHLEEN A. MYERS
CLERK OF THE CITY COMMISSION

Passed: April 10, 2023