

RESOLUTION NO. R-23-21

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE SUBMISSION OF AN OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION STATE ISSUE ONE FUNDING APPLICATION FOR THE JUST IMAGINE DRIVE RESURFACING PROJECT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the State Capital Improvement Program and the Local Transportation Improvement Program both provide financial assistance to political subdivisions for capital improvements related to public infrastructure via the Ohio Public Works Commission (OPWC) State Issue One public infrastructure funding program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Avon has observed deterioration of the concrete roadway surface along Just Imagine Drive beginning approximately 900 feet east of the Nagel Road intersection and then proceeding approximately 4,000 feet to an ending point that is approximately 150 feet east of the eastern ShurTech driveway and recognizes that roadway resurfacing improvements are needed to maintain safe travel conditions for its residents and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, the City Engineer has identified a Just Imagine Drive Resurfacing Project which includes the planing of the concrete surface course, performance of needed base repairs, placement of a chip seal layer, upgrades to deficient curb ramps, placement of a new asphalt pavement surface, replacement of pavement markings and upgrades to other designated appurtenances throughout the project area. See Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, for a depiction of the project extents; and

WHEREAS, Council finds that these proposed improvements will significantly further the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Avon and the community by providing needed financial assistance to facilitate an improved asphalt pavement driving surface throughout the project extents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, COUNTY OF LORAIN AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1 - That the Mayor is hereby authorized to submit an application and execute contracts seeking grant and loan funding from the OPWC State Issue One (1) program for the year 2021, Round 36, to obtain much needed financial assistance for the public improvements within the City of Avon, to wit: improvements to be known as the Just Imagine Drive Resurfacing Project along with all appurtenances thereto.

Section 2 - That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council of the City of Avon concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council of the City of Avon and that all deliberations of this City's Council and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3 - That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon, the immediate emergency being the necessity to support an application for OPWC State Issue One (1) funds for the year 2021, Round 36 prior to its predetermined deadlines;

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therefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: _____ DATE SIGNED: _____

By: _____
Brian Fischer, Council President

DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: _____

Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

John A. Gasior, Law Director

ATTEST:

Barbara Brooks
Clerk of Council

Posted: _____
In Five Places, as
Provided by Council

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