## CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, OHIO

By: Mayor Perciak and All Members of Council

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY ENGINEER TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR STATE OF OHIO ISSUE 1 FUNDING FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SR 237 (PROSPECT ROAD) AND ALBION ROAD INTERSECTION, IN THE CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, this Council is desirous of making application for State of Ohio Issue 1 funding, including both a grant and loan (at zero percent interest), for improvements to Prospect Road and Albion Road in connection with the SR 237 (Prospect Road) and Albion Road Intersection Improvements Project, consisting of widening and full reconstruction of the existing two-lane roadway for the addition of dedicated EB and WB left turn lanes and dedicated NB right turn lane on Albion Road, extension of the NB and SB left turn lanes and dedicated EB right turn lane on Prospect Road, with a total overall estimated cost of \$3,197,466.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO:

**Section 1.** That the Mayor and City Engineer be and are hereby authorized and directed to prepare and submit an application to the Ohio Public Works Commission for some \$2,400,000.00 in Issue 1 funding, including both a grant and loan, for improvements to Prospect Road and Albion Road in connection with the SR 237 (Prospect Road) and Albion Road Intersection Improvements Project; and to execute all documents and do all things necessary in furtherance thereof.

- **Section 2.** That, if such application is approved, it is the intent of this Council to pay for the City's portion of the costs in connection with such project, estimated to be some \$797,466.00, from the General Capital Improvement Fund, Prospect/Albion TIF Fund, and such other local and/or state funds which may become available for such project.
- **Section 3.** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance 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.
- **Section 4.** That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City, and for the further reason that the preparation and submission of the application is immediately necessary in order to meet the application deadline date, to provide for improved traffic flow and level of service, improved safety, and safe roads within the municipality, and to conserve public funds. Therefore, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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