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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 55 – 2015

AN ORDINANCE CONSENTING TO THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE PAVEMENT ALONG STATE ROUTE 8 WITHIN THE CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, BY THE STATE OF OHIO, USING MICROSURFACING TECHNOLOGY, AUTHORIZING FINANCIAL COOPERATION THEREOF, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio has identified the need for and proposes the improvement of a portion of the public highway, including necessary ancillary work, in the City of Cuyahoga Falls, said portion of highway within the municipal corporation limits being hereinafter referred to as the Improvement, and described as follows:

> The improvement of the pavement along State Route 8 within the corporation limits of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, including necessary ancillary work; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code §5521.01 specifies that the consent of this Council is required prior to the improvement of a state highway within the City's corporate limits,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDINED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, County of Summit and State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. This Council hereby consents to improvement of the pavement along State Route 8 within the City of Cuyahoga Falls, PID 84658, Sum-SR0008-4.30, using Microsurfacing Technology, including necessary ancillary work; and

<u>Section 2.</u> This Council's consent is granted with the following understandings:

- A. The City will agree to pay One Hundred Percent (100%) of the cost of those features requested by the City which are determined by the State and Federal Highway Administration to be unnecessary for the Project.
- B. The City agrees that all right-of-way required for the described Project will be acquired and/or made available in accordance with current state and federal regulations. The City also understands that right-of-way costs include eligible utility costs.
- C. Upon completion of the Project, and unless otherwise agreed, the City shall 1) provide adequate maintenance for the described Project in accordance with all applicable State and Federal law, including, but not limited to, 23 USC §116; 2) provide ample financial provisions, as necessary, for the maintenance of the described Project; 3) maintain the right-of-way, keeping it free of obstructions; and 4) hold said right-of-way inviolate for public highway purposes.
- D. The Director of Public Service or the Mayor of the City of Cuyahoga Falls are authorized on behalf of the City of Cuyahoga Falls to enter into contracts with the State of Ohio Department of Transportation necessary to complete the above described Project.

<u>Section 3.</u> The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to transmit to the Director of Transportation a certified copy of this Ordinance.

Section 4. 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 of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, to the extent applicable, including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

<u>Section 5.</u> This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Cuyahoga Falls and the inhabitants thereof, and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two thirds of the members elected or appointed to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: 7/21/2015

President of Council

Clerk of Council

Approved:

Mayor

7/13/15

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