

BEREA CITY COUNCIL

City of Berea, Ohio

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43

By: Councilman Rick Skoczen Sponsor: Mayor Cyril M. Kleem

AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO APPLY FOR AND, IF AWARDED, EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY CONTRACTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION STATE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND/OR LOCAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM(S), 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 to public infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the City of Berea is planning to make capital improvements for the Adrian, Anne, Pattie, and Girard Improvement Project, as described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the infrastructure improvement herein above described is considered to be a priority need for the community and is a qualified project under the OPWC programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Berea, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to apply to the OPWC for funds for the project described in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

SECTION 2. That the Director of Public Service is authorized to enter into any agreements as may be necessary and appropriate for obtaining financial assistance for the project identified in Exhibit A, from OPWC.

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 of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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SECTION 4. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare, or providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, and for the further reason that the deadline to make application for grant funds is September 15, 2022. 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.

PASSED: September 6, 2022

ATTEST: M. G.
Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

John O.
Director of Law

John O.
President of Council

APPROVED: September 7, 2022
John O.
Mayor

Exhibit "f"

City of Berea – Adrian, Anne, Pattie, & Girard Improvement Project

Project Description

This project will accomplish infrastructure improvements to Adrian Drive, Anne Drive, Pattie Drive, Girard Drive, and Race Street (from Beeler to Edgewood) within the City of Berea. The project will include the replacement of the existing antiquated and undersized waterlines, including hydrants, valves, and service connections; rehabilitation or reconstruction of the pavements with asphalt pavement and concrete curbs; rehabilitation of the existing sanitary sewer and existing storm sewer systems as needed; and replacement of the existing sidewalks, aprons, and ADA curb ramps as needed. The project will also include the removal and replacement of the existing trees where necessary for the construction of the project. The City will apply for Ohio Public Works Commission (OPWC) Round 2022-2023 grant and loan funding. If the OPWC funding is approved, the anticipated schedule would include surveying and engineering to be performed in 2023 and 2024 and construction to be in 2024 and 2025.