## ORDINANCE NO. 25 - 21

## AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF SAFETY AND SERVICE TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION (OPWC) STATE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND/OR LOCAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM(S) AND TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS AS REQUIRED 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 Port Clinton is planning to make capital improvements to Fourth Street from Harrison Street to Fulton Street in the City of Port Clinton, forroad reconstruction activities, including, but not limited to, pavements, curbs, pedestrian curb ramps, and drive approach replacements, and

WHEREAS, the infrastructure improvements herein above described as the Fourth Street Reconstruction Project are considered to be a priority need for the community and are qualified project activities under the OPWC programs, and

WHEREAS, the Director of Safety and Service will need to prepare and submit applications to apply to the OPWC for funds for the Fourth Street Reconstruction Project for road reconstruction activities for the project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, County of Ottawa, State of Ohio:

**Section 1.** The Director of Safety and Service is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and submit applications to apply to the OPWC for funds for the Fourth Street Reconstruction Project for the road reconstruction activities for the project.

**Section 2.** The Director of Safety and Service, the Auditor, the Treasurer, the Clerk of Council, the Law Director, and other City officials as appropriate are further authorized and directed to enter into any agreements and to sign such other documents and instruments and to take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate for obtaining the financial assistance requested by this Ordinance.

**Section 3.** The local funds needed for this project are hereby appropriated from the Infrastructure Improvement Fund as determined by the City Auditor, after consultation with, and receiving input from, the Director of Safety and Service.

**Section 4.** This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

**Section 5** This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of the City and for the further reason that this Ordinance is required to be immediately effective in

order for the City to be able to submit an application for the OWPC funding for the project in its current round of funding and to meet the deadline for filing the funding application; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2021

President of Council

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of Council

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

Mayor