CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 2591-22

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SEEK FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION (OPWC) STATE PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAM TO FUND A CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VIII, Section 2K of the Ohio Constitution, the State of Ohio is authorized to issue bonds and other obligations of the State for the purpose of financing public infrastructure capital improvements of political subdivisions as designated by law, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 164.06 of the Ohio Revised Code, the District One Public Works Integrating Committee (DOPWIC) has been created to accept, evaluate and recommend applications for the State financing of capital infrastructure improvement projects of political subdivisions in Cuyahoga County, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 164.05 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Ohio Public Works Commission (OPWC) has been created to accept and approve applications for state financing of capital infrastructure improvement projects of political subdivisions in Cuyahoga County, and

WHEREAS, the City has conducted a capital inventory and needs assessment and has determined that it is necessary to submit applications for financial assistance for capital infrastructure improvement projects.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Bedford, County of Cuyahoga, and the State of Ohio:

<u>Section 1.</u> The City Manager is hereby authorized to apply to the District One Public Works Integrating Committee and the OPWC for financial assistance for the following infrastructure improvement project:

BROADWAY AVENUE RESURFACING – PID 110609

Section 2. The City Manager is further authorized to enter into any agreements as may be necessary and appropriate for obtaining this financial assistance in conjunction with the recommendations of the City Engineer, and approved as to form by the City Law Director, in accordance with all authority granted to and limitations upon by the City Director of Finance.

Section 3. That actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this legislation 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 including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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<u>Section 4.</u> This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare, and for the further reason it is necessary to certify this document at the earliest time.

WHEREFORE, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

Stanley C. Koci, Mayor-President of Council

Tracy M. Simons, Clerk of Council

Prepared and approved as to legal content by: _____

John J. Montello, Law Director

Passed: September 19, 2022