

CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 2635-25

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE NORTHEAST OHIO AREA WIDE COORDINATING AGENCY (“NOACA”) FOR TRANSPORTATION FOR LIVABLE COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE (“TLCI”) AND TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS AS REQUIRED AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, The City of Bedford is submitting an application to the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency (NOACA) for funding through the Transportation for Livable Communities Initiative (TLCI); and

WHEREAS, the TLCI Program provides federal funds for projects that integrate transportation and land use planning, increase transportation options, promote livability, and advance the goals of NOACA’s Strategic Plan for northeast Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the TLCI program is paid on a reimbursement basis, requiring the applicant to first expend funds (if matched) and then request reimbursement from NOACA; and

WHEREAS, The City of Bedford agrees to abide by all federal requirements as a sub-recipient of federal transportation funds, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Americans with Disabilities Act, and including all applicable federal procurement requirements; and

WHEREAS, The City of Bedford agrees to be responsible for managing any and all sub-contracting agencies, organizations, or consultants; and

WHEREAS, The City of Bedford agrees to complete the agreed upon scope of services or will forfeit current and future TLCI awards; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bedford is authorized to execute a contract with the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) and NOACA if selected for the TLCI Program.

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

Section 1. Council authorizes the City Manager to submit this application to NOACA, acting as designated recipient of USDOT funds, for the TLCI Program and to execute a contract with NOACA if selected for funding.

Section 2. The 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.

Section 3. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the peace, health, safety and welfare of the City of Bedford and to timely apply for the grant.

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

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: _____

FAILED: _____