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## CITY OF PATASKALA

### RESOLUTION 2022-083

#### **A RESOLUTION CONSENTING TO THE 2023 ODOT MUNICIPAL BRIDGE INSPECTION PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE ALL CONTRACTS TO COMPLETE THE SAME**

***WHEREAS***, the City of Pataskala, Ohio, Licking County, hereinafter referred to as the Local Public Agency (LPA) has determined the need for the described project

Bridge Inspection Program Services, including, but not limited to routine inspections, element level inspections, critical-findings reports, fracture critical member inspections, load rating calculations and reports, weight limits posting sign recommendations, scour assessments, scour plan of actions, development of fracture critical plans, and underwater dive inspection reports if needed

#### **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PATASKALA, COUNTY OF LICKING, STATE OF OHIO, A MAJORITY OF MEMBERS PRESENT CONCURRING THAT:**

**Section 1:** Being in the public interest, the LPA gives consent to the Director of Transportation to complete the above-described project.

**Section 2:** The LPA shall cooperate with the Director of Transportation in the above-described project as follows:

- a. The State shall assume and bear 100% of all of the cost for Bridge Inspection Program Services requested by the City and agreed to by the State. Eligible Bridge Inspection Services are described in the Consultant's Scope of Services Task Order Contract (Exhibit A); and
- b. The LPA agrees to pay 100% of the cost of those features which are not included in Exhibit A. Those features may include, but are not limited to, the purchasing and erecting the recommended weight limits postings signs, the implementation of critical findings reports such as partial, or total, bridge closures, and the implementation of

scour plan of actions. When recommendations affect public safety, ODOT expects full implementation by the LPA. Starting in October 2019, FHWA requires installing weight limits posting signs within 30 days from the official date of the approved recommendations. Timely implementation is essential to the success of this program; and

Section 3: The LPA agrees that all right-of-way required for the described project will be made available in accordance with current State and Federal regulations.

Section 4: The Project is based on the available funds provided by ODOT aimed at assisting the LPA in reaching compliance with State and Federal laws and policies for bridge inspection. The Project specifics (program duration, PID number, and consultant scope of services (Exhibit A)) shall be provided to the designated LPA Contractual Agent via email sent by ODOT Office of Structural Engineering (OSE).

Section 5: ODOT will seek additional funds to renew the project in future years. If such funds are allocated, ODOT will send an email with the Project specifics to the designated LPA Contractual Agent seeking approval for the new Project. ODOT will not proceed with any Project that does not have written authorization via email from the designated LPA Contractual Agent.

Section 6: The City Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts, on behalf of the City of Pataskala, with the Ohio Department of Transportation which are necessary to complete the above-described project.

Section 7: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of Council and that all deliberations of the Council and any of the decision-making bodies of the City of Pataskala which resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of the State of Ohio.

Section 8: This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest time allowed by the Charter of the City of Pataskala.

ATTEST:

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Kathy M. Hoskinson, Clerk of Council

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Michael W. Compton, Mayor

Approved as to form:

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Brian M. Zets, Law Director