

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-074

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR, AND/OR CITY ENGINEER OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDS AND ENTER INTO GRANT AGREEMENTS OR RELATED DOCUMENTS WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN ORDER TO RECEIVE FUNDS FOR THE MUNICIPAL BRIDGE PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Findlay, Ohio is desirous to apply for the Municipal Building Inspection Program grant to secure funding for the rehabilitation of existing bridge structures (i.e. deck and structural repairs to the existing bridge on Blanchard street that crosses the Blanchard River), and;

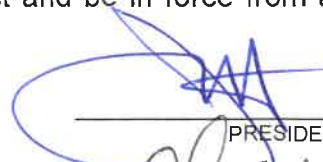
WHEREAS, said grant will provide funding for project design and project construction with two (2) different funding model: (1) project design will be funded with Federal funds at eighty percent (80%) and City of Findlay match of twenty percent (20%); (2) project construction will be funded with Federal Funds at ninety-five percent (95%) and City of Findlay match of five percent (5%). Said grant awarded funds will be available for the 2025 to 2027 construction season.

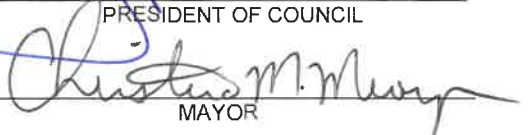
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Findlay, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor, Service-Safety Director, and/or City Engineer of the City of Findlay, Ohio be and they are hereby authorized to apply for grant funds, and if awarded, accept and enter into grant agreements or related documents for the Municipal Bridge Program.

SECTION 2: This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Findlay, Ohio, and for the further reason it is immediately necessary to authorize the applying for grant funds, and if awarded, the accepting and entering into grant agreements or related documents with the Ohio Department of Transportation so that funds may be utilized for the Municipal Bridge Program.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.



PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL


MAYOR

PASSED June 4, 2024

ATTEST Debra DeRose
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED June 4, 2024