

Ordinance No. 7710

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO CONTRACT WITH GERKEN PAVING, INC. FOR STREET IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, The City Engineer employed objective rating criteria to identify the streets to be resurfaced in the administration of the annual pavement maintenance program; and,

WHEREAS, Gerken Paving, Inc., submitted the only responsive and responsible bid to perform the work;

Now therefore, be it enacted by the Council of the Municipality of Defiance, Ohio, that:

Section 1: The City Administrator is authorized to award a contract to Gerken Paving, Inc., in the amount of \$699,163.65 to repair and resurface all pavement sections identified by the bid solicitation in substantial conformity with the designs and material specifications therein recited, at the unit prices and on the contractual terms and conditions established by the bid received and accepted on April 7, 2015.

Section 2: The Finance Director is authorized to pay all costs incurred in accordance with the authorized contract from Line 403-901-5-2-980-874 of the 2015 annual budget.

Section 3: It is found and determined that all legislative actions pertaining to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in Public Session and that all deliberations that affected or influenced any such legislative act, including all deliberations in Committee, were conducted in Public Session duly convened in accordance with law.

Section 4: This Ordinance shall be effective on the earliest date permitted by law.

Passed: April 14 _____, 2015

Mike McCann _____
President of Council

Attest: Lisa Elders _____, Clerk

Approved: April 14 _____, 2015

Bob Armstrong _____
Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 7711

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH THE OHIO DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY PERTAINING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF FEDERAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City has utilized federal Community Development Block Grants administered by the Ohio Development Services Agency, Office of Community Development, to establish and maintain a Revolving Loan fund that has been successfully employed to stabilize the City's economic base and encourage the creation of employment opportunities for persons of low and moderate income; and,

WHEREAS, Council finds that there is a continuing need for gap financing provided by the Revolving Loan Fund and that maintenance of the revolving loan program is critical to the success of the municipality's economic development efforts; and,

WHEREAS, the contract between the City of Defiance and Ohio Development Services Agency pertaining to administration of Community Development Block Grant funds awarded by the Office of Community Development expired on December 31, 2014, and must be renewed for the period January 1, 2015, to December 31, 2017, to prevent suspension of the City's access to Community Development Block Grant funds;

Now Therefore, be it enacted by the Council of the Municipality of Defiance, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1: The City Administrator is authorized to execute and deliver the proposed contract between the City of Defiance and Ohio Development Services Agency pertaining to the administration of federal Community Development Block Grant funds awarded by the Office of Community Development for Revolving Loan Fund purposes during the period January 1, 2015, through December 31, 2017, now on file in the office of the City Law Director.

SECTION 2: It is found and determined that all legislative actions pertaining to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in Public Session and that all deliberations that affected or influenced any such legislative act, including all deliberations in Committee, were conducted in Public Session duly convened in accordance with the law.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance is declared to be an Emergency Measure necessary to the health, safety and welfare of the community for the reason that the authorized contract must be promptly executed and delivered to the Ohio Development Services Agency to renew and extend contractual arrangements of similar import that expired on December 31, 2014, and assure the municipality's continuing access to federal financial assistance. As such, this Ordinance shall take effect upon passage by the requisite majority of Council and approval of the Mayor.

Passed: April 14 _____, 2015

Mike McCann

President of Council

Attest: Lisa Elders _____, Clerk

Votes in Favor of Adoption: 7 _____

Votes Opposed to Adoption: 0 _____

Approved: April 14 _____, 2015

Bob Armstrong

Mayor