

COMMISSIONERS JOURNAL NO. 64 - DELAWARE COUNTY
MINUTES FROM REGULAR MEETING HELD MARCH 10, 2016

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF DELAWARE COUNTY MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON THIS DATE WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

Present:
Barb Lewis, President
Jeff Benton, Vice President
Gary Merrell, Commissioner

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-232

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING THE ELECTRONIC RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS FROM REGULAR MEETING HELD MARCH 7, 2016:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the following:

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, Ohio (the "Board") met in regular session on March 7, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Clerk of the Board has certified, pursuant to section 305.12 of the Ohio Revised Code, that the entire record of the proceedings at that meeting is completely and accurately captured in the electronic record of those proceedings;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby approves the electronic record of proceedings at the previous meeting.

Vote on Motion Mr. Merrell Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Benton Aye

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PUBLIC COMMENT

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ELECTED OFFICIAL COMMENT

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-233

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING PURCHASE ORDERS, THEN AND NOW CERTIFICATES, AND PAYMENT OF WARRANTS IN BATCH NUMBERS CMAPR0309:

It was moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mr. Merrell to approve Then And Now Certificates, payment of warrants in batch numbers CMAPR0309 and Purchase Orders as listed below:

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Account</u>	<u>Amount</u>
PO' Increase			
Thatcher (add on)	ODOR Control Water Reclamation	66211907-5290	\$ 15,000.00
Thatcher	ODOR Control Water Reclamation	66211903-5290	\$ 157,000.00
Thatcher	ODOR Control Water Reclamation	66211904-5290	\$ 118,000.00
Thatcher	ODOR Control Water Reclamation	66211906-5290	\$ 32,000.00

<u>PR Number</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Account</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Line</u>
R1602606	PRO IMAGE CONSULTANTS GROUP LLC	KODAK 1-4600 SCANNER POST WARRANTY SERVICE	10011103 - 5325	\$1,937.00	0001
R1602606	PRO IMAGE CONSULTANTS GROUP LLC	KODAK I-4600 SCANNER FOR POST WARRANTY SERVICE	10011103 - 5325	\$1,937.00	0002
R1602606	PRO IMAGE CONSULTANTS GROUP LLC	KODAK PROSTAR II PROCESSOR POST WARRANTY SERVICE	10011103 - 5325	\$4,540.88	0003
R1602606	PRO IMAGE CONSULTANTS GROUP LLC	SERVICE 3 23 16-3 22 17	10011103 - 5325	\$4,861.84	0004

Vote on Motion Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Benton Aye Mr. Merrell Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-234

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING THE TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2016:

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It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to accept the Treasurer’s Report for the month of February 2016.

(Copy available for review at the Commissioners’ Office until no longer of administrative value.)

Vote on Motion Mr. Benton Aye Mr. Merrell Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-235**

IN THE MATTER OF SELLING PERSONAL PROPERTY NOT NEEDED FOR PUBLIC USE TO THE VILLAGE OF SUNBURY, DELAWARE COUNTY, OHIO:

It was moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mr. Merrell to approve the following:

WHEREAS, Delaware County currently owns certain personal property, specifically a 2005 Toyota Sienna, VIN number 5TDZA23CX45000936 (the "Property"), that is no longer needed for use by Delaware County; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 307.12(D) of the Revised Code, the Board of County Commissioners (the "Board") may sell or donate county personal property to any political subdivision of the state without advertisement or public notification, regardless of the property's value; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Sunbury has expressed a need for and can utilize the Property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, State of Ohio:

Section 1. The Board hereby approves the sale of the Property to the Village of Sunbury, Delaware County, Ohio for the amount of \$1,000.00.

Section 2. Pursuant to section 307.12(D) of the Revised Code, the Board makes no determination of the value of the Property, and the Property shall be sold upon the condition that the Property is accepted "as is."

Section 3. The President of the Board is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to complete the donation of the Property approved herein.

Section 4. The Clerk of the Board shall provide a certified copy of this Resolution to the Clerk-Treasurer for the Village of Sunbury, Delaware County, Ohio.

Vote on Motion Mr. Merrell Aye Mr. Benton Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-236**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF DELAWARE COUNTY; THE SHERIFF OF DELAWARE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF DELAWARE FOR USE OF LICENSE FOR THE JAIL TRACKER™ SOFTWARE:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the following:

Whereas, the Sheriff and Office Staff recommend approval of the Intergovernmental Agreement Between The Board Of Commissioners Of Delaware County; The Sheriff Of Delaware County And The City Of Delaware For Use Of License For The Jail Tracker™ Software;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Delaware County Board of Commissioners approve the Intergovernmental Agreement Between The Board Of Commissioners Of Delaware County; The Sheriff Of Delaware County And The City Of Delaware For Use Of License For The Jail Tracker™ Software:

**Intergovernmental Agreement:
Use of License for the Jail Tracker™ Software**

Section 1: Parties to the Agreement

This Agreement is made and entered into this 10th day of March, 2016 by and between the Delaware County Sheriff, 149 North Sandusky Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015 and the Delaware County Board of Commissioners, 101 North Sandusky Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015 (collectively, the "County"), and the City of Delaware, 1 South Sandusky Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015 (the "City"), (hereinafter referred to individually as "Party" or collectively as the "Parties").

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Section 2: Purpose

This Agreement is authorized by sections 9.482, 307.846, and 307.15, et seq., of the Revised Code. The City desires to enter into an agreement with the County that allows Delaware County Sheriff to lend a non-transferrable license of the software known as Jail Tracker to the City, and the County is willing and able to provide such services.

Section 3: Division of Responsibilities

The County will license to the City the software for logging in inmates in the Delaware County Jail, along with associated data. City agrees to install the software, and City is solely responsible for any training, troubleshooting, enhancements, and any and all costs that are related or incidental to its use of the license provided to it by County.

Section 4: Compensation

The County and City acknowledge and agree that the service being provided is a proactive cooperative law enforcement inoperative venture. As such Parties agree that in the spirit of mutual aid and furtherance of justice no fees shall be incurred.

Section 5: Records

5.1. County and City acknowledge and agree that City data received by County in the course of providing and as it relates to current or former inmates in the jail shall belong to the County.

5.2. County and City acknowledge and agree that this data is not a public record [as defined in R.C. Section 149.011(G)] of the City or any of its offices, agencies, etc., that City is not the keeper or person responsible for any record contained in such data or otherwise responsible for providing inspection or copies of the same and that any records contained within the same shall at all times be considered County records and not properly the subject of a public records request directed to the City under R.C. Section 149.43.

5.3. However, to assist County in meeting its responsibilities:

5.3.1. City will maintain full access by County to the County's data stored in its system.

5.3.2. If City receives a public records request for County records contained in such data, it will inform the requester that the information requested is not a public record of the City and that their request will be forwarded to the Sheriff as the individual responsible for County Jail records. City will then immediately forward the request to the Sheriff, along with circumstances of the request and its receipt.

5.3.3. City will provide technical assistance to the Sheriff, as requested, in compiling and delivering County data responsive to a public records request.

5.4. If the City should ever determine that it is legally compelled by any means (including public records request under R.C. 149.43, deposition, interrogatory, request for documents, subpoena, civil investigative demand, etc.) to disclose County data received or stored under this Agreement, it must make reasonable efforts to provide County with prompt notice of such legal requirement prior to disclosure so that County may seek a protective order or other appropriate remedy. If such protective order or other remedy is not obtained, City will: (i) furnish only that portion of the data that it is legally required to furnish; and (ii) cooperate with County in reviewing such material for appropriate redaction prior to disclosure.

5.5. Upon termination or expiration of this Agreement, City will return all County data and licenses to County and shall not retain copies of all or any portion of it within its system.

5.6. The Parties agree that each shall maintain their respective public records concerning the services provided under this Agreement, pursuant to the laws of the State of Ohio pertaining to public records.

Section 6: Term

This Agreement shall take immediate effect upon approval by all Parties hereto and shall continue in full force and effect for one (1) year, whereupon the Parties mutually agree to review this Agreement for consideration of renewal. This Agreement may only be amended in writing with the mutual consent and agreement of the Parties. Either party may terminate this Contract at any time and for any reason by giving at least thirty (30) days advance notice, in writing, to the other.

Section 7: Legal Contingencies

In the event a change in law, whether by statute, judicial determination, or administrative action, affects this Agreement or the ability of the Parties to enter into, or continue to operate pursuant to, this Agreement, the Parties mutually agree to immediately institute a review of this Agreement. The Parties agree to negotiate in good faith to address any necessary modifications to this Agreement, to the extent permitted by applicable law.

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Section 8: Personnel

The Parties each agree to maintain control over their respective personnel, and this Agreement shall not be construed to alter the employment relationship each Party has with its respective personnel. Each Party shall be responsible for the compensation, benefits, and liabilities of its respective personnel and hereby agrees to release the other Party from any responsibility therefor. In no event shall County's employees be considered employees of the City within the meaning or application of any federal, state or local laws or regulations and vice versa.

Section 9: Equipment and Facilities

Each Party to this Agreement shall be responsible for providing its own equipment and facilities. In no way shall this Agreement be construed to require the sale or donation of equipment under the ownership and control of either Party of this Agreement.

Section 10: Insurance and Liability

Each Party shall, for the life of this Agreement, maintain comprehensive general liability insurance coverage, with minimum limits in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 each occurrence or equivalent and \$2,000,000.00 in the aggregate, and shall cause the other Party to be named as an additional insured on any applicable insurance policies.

The City acknowledges that there is a risk of disruption of service to its IT equipment and service due to damage to the fiber optic cable and other equipment or system failures beyond the control of the County. As a condition of this Agreement, the City agrees to release the County from any liability or costs due to such disruption of service.

Section 11: Miscellaneous Terms & Conditions

11.1. Entire Agreement: This Agreement shall constitute the entire understanding and agreement between the Parties and shall supersede all prior understandings and agreements relating to the subject matter hereof. This Agreement shall not be assigned.

11.2. Governing Law and Disputes: This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. The Parties shall make good faith efforts to directly negotiate any disputes arising from this Agreement. If direct negotiations shall fail, the Parties agree to mediate the dispute with a mediator chosen by agreement between the Parties. If mediation shall fail, any and all legal disputes arising from this Agreement may only be filed in and heard before the courts of Delaware County, Ohio.

11.3. Headings: The subject headings of the Sections and Subsections in this Agreement are included for purposes of convenience only and shall not affect the construction or interpretation of any of its provisions. This Agreement shall be deemed to have been drafted by both Parties and no purposes of interpretation shall be made to the contrary.

11.4. Waivers: No waiver of breach of any provision of this Agreement shall in any way constitute a waiver of any prior, concurrent, subsequent, or future breach of this Agreement or any other provision hereof. No term or provision of this Agreement shall be deemed waived, and no breach excused, unless such a waiver or consent is expressly made in writing and signed by the party claimed to have waived or consented. Such waiver shall not constitute and shall not in any way be interpreted as a waiver of any other term or provision or future breach unless said waiver expressly states an intention to waive another specific term or provision or future breach.

11.5. Severability: If any item, condition, portion, or section of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person, premises, or circumstance shall to any extent, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder hereof and the application of such term, condition, provision, or section to persons, premises, or circumstances other than those as to whom it shall be held invalid or unenforceable shall not be affected thereby, and this Agreement and all the terms, conditions, provisions, or sections hereof shall, in all other respects, continue in full force and effect.

Vote on Motion Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Merrell Aye Mr. Benton Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-237

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS FOR SUMMERWOOD LAKES SECTION 3:

It was moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mr. Merrell to approve the following:

Whereas, the construction of new sanitary sewers at the Summerwood Lakes Section 3 have been completed to meet sewer district requirements; and

Whereas, the sewer district has received the necessary items required by the subdivider's agreement; and

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Whereas, the Director of Environmental Services recommends accepting sanitary sewers for ownership, operation, and maintenance by Delaware County as follows:

Summerwood Lakes Section 3	1417' of 8- inch sewer	\$111,332.94
	6 ea. - manhole	\$12,978.00

Therefore be it resolved, that the Board of Commissioners approve and accept the above sanitary sewers for ownership, operation, and maintenance by the Delaware County Sewer District.

Section 1. The Board hereby approves and accepts the above sanitary sewer improvements for ownership, operation, and maintenance by the Delaware County Sewer District.

Section 2. The Board hereby releases any Bond, certified check, irrevocable letter of credit, or other approved financial warranties executed to insure faithful performance for construction of the above sanitary sewer improvements, if applicable.

Section 3. The Board hereby accepts any Bond, certified check, irrevocable letter of credit, or other approved financial warranties executed per the requirements of the subdivider's agreement for the five-year maintenance period for the above sanitary sewer improvements.

Vote on Motion Mr. Benton Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Merrell Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-238**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES:

It was moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mr. Merrell to approve the following:

Supplemental Appropriations		
66711906-5410	OECC Motor Control Center Project/Building & Improvements	\$44,761.90

Vote on Motion Mr. Merrell Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Benton Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-239**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND HAZEN AND SAWYER P.C. FOR THE DELAWARE COUNTY SOLID WASTE TRANSFER STATION PUMP STATION UPGRADE:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the following:

Whereas, the Director of Environmental Services recommends approval of the following Agreement;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Delaware County Board of Commissioners approves the following Agreement with Hazen and Sawyer P.C. for the Delaware County Solid Waste Transfer Station Pump Station Upgrade.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT

Delaware County Solid Waste Transfer Station Pump Station Upgrade

Section 1 – Parties to the Agreement

This Agreement is made and entered into this 10th day of March, 2016, by and between Delaware County, Ohio, by and through the Delaware County Board of Commissioners, 101 North Sandusky Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015 (“County”), and Hazen and Sawyer P.C., 150 E. Campus View Blvd Suite 133, Columbus, Ohio (“Consultant”).

Section 2 – Contract Administrator

The Delaware County Board of Commissioners hereby designates the Delaware County Sanitary Engineer as Administrator and agent of the Board for Work performed in accordance with this Agreement. The Administrator shall have general supervision of the Work and authority to order commencement or suspension thereof.

Section 3 – Scope of Services (Work)

Consultant agrees to furnish, unto the County, professional services in accordance with the Scope of Services and Price Proposal dated 1/28/2016, by this reference hereby made part of this Agreement. Consultant further agrees to

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perform the Work promptly and in a skillful and competent manner under the direction of the Administrator and in accordance with accepted professional standards.

Section 4 – Compensation

The County will compensate Consultant for the work specified above as follows:

See Exhibit “A” – Scope of Service included herein

The fees specified above shall constitute full compensation for all direct labor, payroll burden, general and administrative overhead, profit, travel, equipment, and materials necessary to complete the tasks as set forth in the Scope of Services.

Section 5 – Payment

Compensation shall be paid periodically, but no more than once per month, and shall be based on the calculated percentage of work performed to date in accordance with the Consultant’s Price Proposal. Invoices shall be submitted to the Administrator by the Consultant on company letterhead clearly listing the word “Invoice” with a sequential invoice number provided. The County may request additional documentation to substantiate said invoices and the Consultant shall promptly submit documentation as needed to substantiate said invoices. The County shall pay invoices within thirty (30) days of receipt.

Section 6 – Authorization to Proceed, Completion of Work, Delays and Extensions

The Consultant shall commence Work upon written authorization of the Administrator and shall complete the work in a timely manner. In the event that unforeseen and unavoidable delays prevent the timely completion of this Agreement, the Consultant may make a written request for time extension, and the Administrator may grant such an extension provided that all other terms of the Agreement are adhered to.

Section 7 – Insurance

- 7.1 **General Liability Coverage:** Consultant shall maintain commercial general liability insurance of \$1,000,000 each occurrence with an annual aggregate of \$2,000,000. Identical coverage shall be required to be provided by all subconsultants and subcontractors, if any.
- 7.2 **Automobile Liability Coverage:** Consultant shall maintain automobile liability insurance of \$1,000,000 each accident. Such coverage shall include coverage for owned, hired and non-owned automobiles. Identical coverage shall be required to be provided by all subconsultants and subcontractors, if any.
- 7.3 **Workers’ Compensation Coverage:** Consultant shall maintain workers’ compensation coverage as required by the laws of the State of Ohio. Identical coverage shall be required to be provided by all subconsultants and subcontractors, if any.
- 7.4 **Professional Liability Insurance:** Consultant hereby agrees to maintain, and require its subconsultants to maintain, professional liability insurance for the duration of the services hereunder and for three (3) years following completion of the Preliminary Engineering services hereunder plus three (3) years following any additional services provided for Final Engineering, services during construction, or other professional services, providing such insurance is readily available at reasonable prices. Such insurance for negligent acts, errors, and omissions shall be provided through a company licensed to do business in the State of Ohio for coverage of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim and in the aggregate.
- 7.5 **Additional Insureds:** The County, its elected officials and employees, shall be named as additional insureds with respect to all activities under this Agreement in the policies required by Subsections 7.1 and 7.2. Consultant shall require all of its subconsultants and subcontractors to provide like endorsements.
- 7.6 **Proof of Insurance:** Prior to the commencement of any work under this Agreement, Consultant, and all of its subconsultants and subcontractors, shall furnish the County with properly executed certificates of insurance for all insurance required by this Agreement and properly executed endorsements listing the additional insured required by Subsection 7.5. Certificates of insurance shall provide that such insurance shall not be cancelled without thirty (30) days prior written notice to the County. Consultant will replace certificates for any insurance expiring prior to completion of work under this Agreement.

Section 8 – Indemnification

The Consultant shall indemnify and hold free and harmless the County and its employees from any and all damages, injury, costs, expenses, judgments or decrees, or any other liabilities that they may incur as a result of bodily injury, sickness, disease or death or injury to or destruction of tangible property including the loss of use resulting therefrom, to the proportionate extent caused by any negligent acts, errors or omissions of the Consultant, its employees, agents, subcontractors, and their employees and agents’ subcontractors and their employees or any other person for whose acts any of them may be liable.

Section 9 – Suspension or Termination of Agreement

The County may suspend or terminate this Agreement at any time for the convenience of the County, at which time the County shall provide written notice to the Consultant ordering termination of Work. The Consultant shall immediately suspend or terminate Work, as ordered by the County. In the case of Termination, the Consultant shall submit a final

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invoice within sixty (60) days of receiving Notice of Termination for Work completed up to the date of termination. The County is not liable for payment for work performed after the date of termination.

Section 10 – Change in Scope of Work

In the event that significant changes to the Scope of Services as defined in Section 3 are required during performance of the Work, the first party shall notify the second party in writing with a detailed explanation of the circumstances believed to have changed beyond those originally contemplated by this Agreement. Any subsequent modifications to this Agreement shall be approved by both parties.

Section 11 – Ownership of Engineering Documents

Upon completion or termination of the Agreement, the Consultant shall provide copies, if requested, to the County of all documents or electronic files produced under this Agreement. The County shall have ownership of said documents, which are considered, but not limited to, any completed or partially completed surveys, calculations, reports, schematics, drawings and any other tangible written or electronic work produced in accordance with the Agreement. This section does not require unauthorized duplication of copyrighted materials.

Section 12 – Change of Key Consultant Staff

The Consultant shall immediately notify the County, in writing, of any change to key Consultant staff or subconsultants assigned to the Work as contemplated at the time of executing this Agreement.

Section 13 – Miscellaneous Terms & Conditions

13.1 **Prohibited Interests:** Consultant agrees that no agent, officer, or employee of the County during his/her tenure or for one year thereafter shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in this Agreement or the proceeds thereof. Consultant further agrees that it will not employ in any manner a current County employee for a minimum period of one (1) year from the completion date of this Agreement, without the prior express written consent of County.

13.2 **Independent Contractor:** The Parties acknowledge and agree that Consultant is acting as an independent contractor and that no agency, partnership, joint venture, or employment relationship has been or will be created between the Parties. Consultant also agrees that, as an independent contractor, Consultant assumes all responsibility for any federal, state, municipal, or other tax liabilities along with workers compensation, unemployment compensation, and insurance premiums that may accrue as a result of compensation received for services or deliverables rendered hereunder.

Consultant, acting as an independent contractor, hereby certifies that it has five or more employees and that none of the employees are public employees for purposes of Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code.

13.3 **Entire Agreement:** This Agreement, and those documents incorporated by reference herein, shall constitute the entire understanding and agreement between the County and the Consultant, shall supersede all prior understandings and agreements relating to the subject matter hereof, and may only be amended in writing with the mutual consent and agreement of the parties.

13.4 **Governing Law:** This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Any and all legal disputes arising from this Agreement shall be filed in and heard before the courts of Delaware County, Ohio.

13.5 **Headings:** The subject headings of the Sections and Subsections in this Agreement are included for purposes of convenience only and shall not affect the construction or interpretation of any of its provisions. This Agreement shall be deemed to have been drafted by both parties and no purposes of interpretation shall be made to the contrary.

13.6 **Waivers:** No waiver of breach of any provision of this Agreement shall in any way constitute a waiver of any prior, concurrent, subsequent, or future breach of this Agreement or any other provision hereof. No term or provision of this Agreement shall be deemed waived, and no breach excused, unless such a waiver or consent is expressly made in writing and signed by the party claimed to have waived or consented. Such waiver shall not constitute and shall not in any way be interpreted as a waiver of any other term or provision or future breach unless said waiver expressly states an intention to waive another specific term or provision or future breach.

13.7 **Severability:** If any item, condition, portion, or section of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person, premises, or circumstance shall to any extent, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder hereof and the application of such term, condition, provision, or section to persons, premises, or circumstances other than those as to whom it shall be held invalid or unenforceable shall not be affected thereby, and this Agreement and all the terms, conditions, provisions, or sections hereof shall, in all other respects, continue to be effective and to be complied with.

13.8 **Findings for Recovery:** Consultant certifies that it has no outstanding findings for recovery pending or issued against it by the State of Ohio.

13.9 **Non-Discrimination/Equal Opportunity:** Consultant hereby certifies that, in the hiring of employees for the

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performance of work under this Agreement or any subcontract, that neither it nor any subcontractor, by reason of race, color, religion, sex, age, disability as defined in section 4112.01 of the Revised Code, national origin, or ancestry, shall discriminate against any citizen of this state in the employment of a person qualified and available to perform the work to which the Agreement relates.

Consultant further certifies that neither it nor any subcontractor, or person acting on behalf of it or any subcontractor, in any manner, shall discriminate against, intimidate, or retaliate against any employee hired for the performance of work under this Agreement on account of race, color, religion, sex, age, disability as defined in section 4112.01 of the Revised Code, national origin, or ancestry.

Consultant certifies that it has a written affirmative action program for employment and effectively utilizes economically disadvantaged persons, as referred to in division (E)(1) of section 122.71 of the Revised Code.

Consultant certifies that it complies with all applicable laws regarding Non-Discrimination / Equal Opportunity and will not discriminate.

13.10 Campaign Finance – Compliance with R.C. 3517.13: Ohio Revised Code Section 3517.13 I(3) and J(3) requires that no political subdivision shall award any contract for the purchase of goods with a cost aggregating more than ten thousand dollars in a calendar year or services with a cost aggregating more than ten thousand dollars in a calendar year to a corporation, business trust, individual, partnership or other unincorporated business, association, including, without limitation, a professional association organized under Chapter 1785 of the Revised Code, estate, or trust unless the political subdivision has received for that calendar year, or the contract includes, a certification that the individuals named in Revised Code Sections 3517.13(I)(1) and (J)(1) are in compliance with the aforementioned provisions. The Contractor/Provider, therefore, is required to complete the attached certificate/affidavit entitled “Certification/Affidavit in Compliance With O.R.C. Section 3517.13.” **Failure to complete and submit the required aforementioned certificate/affidavit with the Contract will prohibit the County from entering, proceeding, and/or performing the Contract.** Such certification is attached to this Contract and by this reference made a part thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement.

Furthermore, Be It Resolved that the Board of County Commissioners approve a purchase order with Hazen and Sawyer P.C. in the total amount of \$29,100.00 from org key 68011916-5301.

Vote on Motion Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Benton Aye Mr. Merrell Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-240

RESOLUTION OF NECESSITY FOR PURCHASE OR LEASE OF AUTOMOBILES FOR THE USE OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; ANY COUNTY DEPARTMENT, BOARD, COMMISSION, OFFICE OR AGENCY; OR ANY ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIAL OR HIS OR HER EMPLOYEES:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the following:

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Delaware County, Ohio (the “Board”) may find, by resolution of necessity, that it is necessary to expend county monies for the purchase or lease of a new automobile to be used by the Board, by any county department, board, commission, office or agency, or by any elected county official or his or her employees, and

WHEREAS, the Board has before it a request from the Division of Environmental Services to expend county monies for the purchase of two new vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Board participates in the State of Ohio’s cooperative purchasing program; and

WHEREAS, the vehicles are available for purchase via the State of Ohio’s cooperative purchasing program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY the Board of County Commissioners of Delaware County, State of Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. The Board hereby declares that a necessity exists to purchase two new vehicles for use by the Sewer District, being required to replace existing vehicles and accommodate new employees of the Sewer District.

Section 2. The Board hereby declares that the make and model of one vehicle is a 2016 GMC Sierra 15 4x4 Double Cab Short Bed and hereby approves a purchase order request for a total of \$27,277.50 from org key 66211903-5450 to Buick GMC of Beachwood in Beachwood, Ohio.

Section 3. The Board hereby declares that the make and model of one vehicle is a 2016 GMC Sierra 25 4x4 Double Cab Short Bed and hereby approves a purchase order request for a total of \$30,348.50 from org key 66211901-5450 to Buick GMC of Beachwood in Beachwood, Ohio.

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Section 4. The Board hereby declares that the purchase or lease of said vehicles will be in accordance with the State of Ohio’s cooperative purchasing program, pursuant to the contract and terms and conditions set forth in Contract # RS901216, which is, by this reference, fully incorporated herein and of which the purchase orders approved herein shall be made a part.

Section 5. This Resolution shall take immediate effect upon passage.

Vote on Motion Mr. Benton Aye Mr. Merrell Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-241

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING A PROJECT AGREEMENT WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO SOUTH OLD 3C HIGHWAY:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the following:

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners, by resolution #14-1108, declared necessity for Improvements to South Old 3C Highway; and,

WHEREAS, the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission (MORPC) has provided a commitment of federal Surface Transportation Program (STP) funding for eighty (80) percent of the construction cost of the Improvements; and,

WHEREAS, the County Engineer has prepared surveys, plans, specifications, and estimates for the Improvement; and,

WHEREAS, the County Engineer’s estimated construction cost of the Improvement is \$1,640,906.30; and,

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT), whom is charged with the responsibility for administering federally funded highway projects, requests approval of a Project Agreement outlining the responsibilities of ODOT and Delaware County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, Ohio that:

The following agreement is approved, and the County Engineer is authorized to act on behalf of the board to fulfill the obligations under this Agreement except for approval of contracts binding upon the County:

LPA FEDERAL LOCAL-LET PROJECT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made by and between the State of Ohio Department of Transportation, hereinafter referred to as ODOT, 1980 West Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43223 and the **Delaware County Board of Commissioners**, hereinafter referred to as the LPA, **101 North Sandusky Street, Delaware, OH 43015.**

1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 The National Transportation Act has made available certain Federal funding for use by local public agencies. The Federal Highway Administration (hereinafter referred to as FHWA) designated ODOT as the agency in Ohio to administer FHWA’s Federal funding programs.
- 1.2 Section 5501.03 (D) of the **Ohio Revised Code** (hereinafter referred to as ORC) provides that ODOT may coordinate its activities and enter into contracts with other appropriate public authorities to administer the design, qualification of bidders, competitive bid letting, construction, inspection, and acceptance of any projects administered by ODOT, provided the administration of such projects is performed in accordance with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations with oversight by ODOT.
- 1.3 DEL-CR24-2.93, PID Number 99811 (hereinafter referred to as the PROJECT) is a transportation activity eligible to receive Federal funding, and which is further defined in the PROJECT scope.
- 1.4 The purpose of this Agreement is to set forth requirements associated with the Federal funds available for the PROJECT and to establish the responsibilities for the local administration of the PROJECT.

2. LEGAL REFERENCES

- 2.1 This Agreement is authorized and/or governed by the following statutes and/or policies, which are incorporated, by reference, in their entirety:
 - a. Section 5501.03(D) of the ORC;
 - b. ODOT Locally Administered Transportation Projects, Manual of Procedures;
 - c. National Transportation Act, Title 23, U.S.C.; 23 CFR 635.105;

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- d. State of Ohio Department of Transportation Construction and Material Specifications Manual (applicable to dates of PROJECT);
 - e. 2 CFR Part 200; and
 - f. Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA)
- 2.2 The LPA shall comply with all applicable Federal and State laws, regulations, executive orders, and applicable ODOT manuals and guidelines. This obligation is in addition to compliance with any law, regulation, or executive order specifically referenced in this Agreement.
3. FUNDING
- 3.1 The total cost for the PROJECT is estimated to be **\$2,381,463.75** as set forth in Attachment 1. ODOT shall provide to the LPA **80% (eighty percent)** of the eligible costs, up to a **maximum of \$1,905,171 in Federal funds**. This maximum amount reflects the funding limit for the PROJECT set by the applicable Program Manager. Unless otherwise provided, funds through ODOT shall be applied only to the eligible costs associated with the actual construction of the transportation project improvements and construction engineering/inspection activities.
- 3.2 The LPA shall provide all other financial resources necessary to fully complete the PROJECT, including all 100 percent Locally-funded work, cost overruns and contractor claims.
4. PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND DESIGN
- 4.1 The LPA and ODOT agree that the LPA is qualified to administer this PROJECT and is in full compliance with all LPA participation requirements.
- 4.2 The LPA and ODOT agree that the LPA has received funding approval for the PROJECT from the applicable ODOT Program Manager having responsibility for monitoring such projects using the Federal funds involved.
- 4.3 The LPA shall design and construct the PROJECT in accordance with a recognized set of written design standards. The LPA shall make use of ODOT's Location and Design Manual (L&D), or the appropriate AASHTO publication. Even though the LPA may use its own standards, ODOT may require the LPA to use a design based on the L&D Manual for projects that contain a high crash rate or areas of crash concentrations. Where the LPA has adopted ODOT standards for the PROJECT, the LPA shall be responsible for ensuring that any ODOT standards used for the PROJECT are current and/or updated. The LPA shall be responsible for periodically contacting the ODOT District LPA Coordinator or through the following Internet website for any changes or updates: www.dot.state.oh.us/drrc/Pages/default.aspx
- 4.4 The LPA shall either designate an LPA employee, who is a registered professional engineer, to act as the PROJECT Design Engineer and serve as the LPA's principal representative for attending to PROJECT responsibilities, or engage the services of a pre-qualified ODOT consultant, who has been chosen using a Qualification-Based Selection (QBS) process, as required pursuant to ORC sections 153.65 through 153.71. The pre-qualified list is available on the ODOT website at: www.dot.state.oh.us/DIVISIONS/Engineering/CONSULTANT
- 4.5 If Federal funds are used for a phase of project development and the LPA executes an agreement with a consultant prior to the receipt of the "Authorization" notification from ODOT, ODOT may terminate this Agreement and cease all Federal funding commitments.
- 4.6 ODOT reserves the right to move this PROJECT into a future sale year if the LPA does not adhere to the established PROJECT schedule, regardless of any funding commitments.
5. ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES
- 5.1 In the administration of this PROJECT, the LPA shall be responsible for conducting any required public involvement events, for preparing all required documents, reports and other supporting materials needed for addressing applicable environmental assessment, for clearance responsibilities for the PROJECT pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act and related regulations, including the requirements of the National Historic Preservation Act; and for securing all necessary permits.
- 5.2 If the LPA does not have the qualified staff to perform any or all of the respective environmental responsibilities, the LPA shall hire an ODOT Pre-qualified Consultant through a QBS process. The pre-qualified list is available on the ODOT web page at www.dot.state.oh.us/CONTRACT. If the LPA hires a pre-qualified consultant, the LPA shall be responsible for monitoring the consultant's activities and ensuring that the consultant is following all Federal and State laws, regulations, policies, and guidelines.
- 5.3 ODOT shall be responsible for the review of all environmental documents and reports, and shall complete all needed coordination activities with State and Federal regulatory agencies toward securing environmental clearance.

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- 5.4 The LPA shall be responsible for assuring compliance with all commitments made as part of the PROJECT's environmental clearance and/or permit requirements during the construction of the project.
- 5.5 The LPA shall require its consultant, selected to prepare a final environmental document pursuant to the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act, to execute a copy of a disclosure statement specifying that the consultant has no financial or other interest in the outcome of the PROJECT.
- 5.6 The LPA shall provide a letter indicating the proposed Best Management Practices (BMPs) to be utilized for post construction storm water management in accordance with the Ohio EPA National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Construction General Permit. If no BMPs are proposed, a letter stating concurrence is required from the Ohio EPA.
6. RIGHT OF WAY/ UTILITIES/ RAILROAD COORDINATION
- 6.1 All right-of-way acquisition activities shall be performed by the LPA in accordance with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Act of 1970 (Public Law 91-646) as amended by 49 CFR Part 24 (hereinafter referred to as Uniform Act), any related Federal regulations issued by the FHWA, and State rules, policies and guidelines issued by ODOT.
- 6.2 If existing and newly-acquired right of way is required for this PROJECT, the LPA shall certify that the all right of way has been acquired in conformity with Federal and State laws, regulations, policies, and guidelines. Per ODOT's Office of Real Estate, any LPA staff who perform real estate functions shall be prequalified. If the LPA does not have the qualified staff to perform any or all of the respective right of way functions, the LPA shall hire an ODOT Pre-qualified Consultant through a QBS process. The LPA shall not hire the same consultant to perform both the appraisal and appraisal review functions. Appraisal review shall be performed by an independent staff or fee reviewer and shall be hired directly by the LPA. Likewise, a consultant hired to perform right of way acquisition work is not permitted to perform both the relocation and relocation review functions. Relocation review shall be performed by an independent staff or fee reviewer.
- 6.3 If the LPA hires a pre-qualified consultant, the LPA shall be responsible for monitoring the consultant's activities and ensuring that the consultant is following all Federal and State laws, regulations, policies, and guidelines.
- 6.4 All relocation assistance activities shall be performed by the LPA in conformity with Federal and State laws, including the Uniform Act, and any related Federal regulations issued by the FHWA, and State rules, policies and guidelines issued by ODOT. The LPA shall not hire a consultant to perform both the relocation and relocation review functions nor shall the LPA hire a sub-consultant for relocation and another sub-consultant for relocation review. Relocation review shall be performed by an independent staff person or independent fee reviewer and shall be hired directly by the LPA.
- 6.5 The LPA shall provide the ODOT District Office with its certification that all right of way property rights necessary for the PROJECT are under the LPA's control, that all right of way has been cleared of encroachments, and that utility facilities have been appropriately relocated or accounted for so as not to interfere with PROJECT construction activities. ODOT shall make use of the LPA's Right of Way Certification, as well as evaluate the LPA's and/or consultant's performance of the PROJECT real estate activities under Titles II and III of the Uniform Act, and, as appropriate, certify compliance to the FHWA. The LPA shall be liable to repay to ODOT all of the Federal funds disbursed to it under this Agreement if the certification of the LPA is found to be in error or otherwise invalid.
- 6.6 In the administration of this PROJECT, the LPA agrees to follow all procedures described in the ODOT Utilities Manual and 23 CFR Part 645. When applicable, the LPA shall enter into a utility relocation agreement with each utility prior to the letting of construction. No reimbursable construction costs shall be incurred by the LPA prior to the receipt of the "Authorization to Advertise" notification from ODOT. If such costs are incurred, ODOT may terminate this Agreement and cease all Federal funding commitments.
- 6.7 The LPA shall submit all subsequent modifications to the design of the PROJECT and/or any disposal of property rights acquired as part of the PROJECT to ODOT and FHWA for approval.
- 6.8 The LPA shall be responsible for any necessary railroad coordination and agreements. The LPA shall comply with the provisions of Title 23 of the Code of Federal Regulations and applicable chapters of the ORC regarding all activities relating to Railroad-Highway projects.
- 6.9 Consistent with sections 10.1 and 10.4 of this agreement, the LPA shall assure that, if any property acquired for this project is subsequently sold for less than fair market value, all Title VI requirements are included in the instrument which transfers the property. Consistent with sections 10.1 and 10.4 of this agreement, the LPA shall assure that if the LPA grants a permit or license for the property acquired for this project that the license or permit require the licensee or permit holder to adhere to all Title VI requirements.
7. ADVERTISING, SALE AND AWARD

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- 7.1 The LPA **shall not** advertise for bids prior to the receipt of the “Authorization to Advertise” notification from ODOT. Should advertising or work commence prior to the receipt of the “Authorization to Advertise” notification, ODOT shall immediately terminate this Agreement and cease all Federal funding commitments.
- 7.2 Any use of sole source or proprietary bid items must be approved by the applicable ODOT district. All sole source or proprietary bid items should be brought to the attention of the LPA Coordinator as soon as possible so as not to cause a delay in the plan package submission process. Bid items for traffic signal and highway lighting projects must be in conformance with ODOT’s Traffic Engineering Manual.
- 7.3 Once the LPA receives Federal authorization to advertise, the LPA may begin advertising activities. Whenever local advertisement requirements differ from Federal advertisement requirements, the Federal requirements shall prevail. The period between the first legal advertising date and the bid opening date shall be a minimum of twenty-one (21) calendar days. The LPA shall submit to ODOT any addendum to be issued during the advertisement period that changes estimates or materials. ODOT shall review and approve such addendum for project eligibility. All addenda shall be distributed to all potential bidders prior to opening bids and selling the contracts.
- 7.4 The LPA must incorporate ODOT’s LPA Bid Template in its bid documents. The template includes Form FHWA-1273, Required Contract Provisions, a set of contract provisions and proposal notices that are required by regulations promulgated by the FHWA and other Federal agencies, which must be included in all contracts as well as appropriate subcontracts and purchase orders.
- 7.5 The LPA shall require the contractor to be enrolled in, and maintain good standing in, the Ohio Bureau of Workers’ Compensation Drug-Free Safety Program (DFSP), or a similar program approved by the Bureau of Workers’ Compensation, and the LPA must require the same of any of its subcontractors.
- 7.6 Only pre-qualified contractors are eligible to submit bids for this PROJECT. Pre-qualification status must be in effect/current **at the time of award**. For work types that ODOT does not pre-qualify, the LPA must still select a qualified contractor. Subcontractors are not subject to the pre-qualification requirement. In accordance with FHWA Form 1273 Section VII and 23 CFR 635.116, the “prime” contractor must perform no less than 30 percent of the total original contract price. The 30-percent prime requirement does not apply to design-build contracts.
- 7.7 In accordance with ORC Section 153.54, et. seq., the LPA shall require that the selected contractor provide a performance and payment bond in an amount equal to at least 100 percent of its contract price as security for the faithful performance of its contract. ODOT shall be named an obligee on any bond. If the LPA has 100 percent locally-funded work product within this agreement, the LPA must allocate the correct percent of the performance and payment bond cost to the 100 percent locally-funded work product.
- 7.8 Before awarding a contract to the selected contractor, the LPA shall verify that the contractor is not subject to a finding for recovery under ORC Section 9.24, that the contractor has taken the appropriate remedial steps required under ORC Section 9.24, or that the contractor otherwise qualifies under the exceptions to this section. Findings for recovery can be viewed on the Auditor of State’s website at <https://ohioauditor.gov/findings.html>. If the LPA fails to so verify, ODOT may immediately terminate this Agreement and release all Federal funding commitments.
- 7.9 Before awarding a contract to the selected contractor, the LPA shall verify that the contractor is an active registrant on the Federal System for Award Management (SAM). Pursuant to 48 CFR 9.404, contractors that have an active exclusion on SAM are excluded from receiving Federal contracts, certain subcontracts, and certain Federal financial and nonfinancial assistance and benefits. If the LPA fails to so verify, ODOT may immediately terminate this Agreement and release all federal funding commitments.
- 7.10 The LPA is prohibited from imposing any geographical hiring preference on any bidder in the LPA’s bid documents or on any successful contractor in the LPA’s award or contract for the construction of the PROJECT.
- 7.11 After analyzing all bids for completeness, accuracy, and responsiveness, per ORC 153.12, the LPA shall approve the award of the contract in accordance with laws and policies governing the LPA within 60 days after bid opening. Within 45 days of that approval, the LPA shall submit to ODOT notification of the project award by submitting a bid tabulation, a copy of the ordinance or resolution, and direct payment information as required in Attachment 2 of this agreement, if applicable.
8. CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION
- 8.1 The LPA shall provide and maintain competent and adequate project management covering the supervision and inspection of the development and construction of the PROJECT. The LPA shall bear the responsibility of ensuring that construction conforms to the approved plans, surveys, profiles, cross sections and material specifications. If a consultant is used for engineering and/or inspection activities, the LPA must use a QBS process as required pursuant to ORC sections 153.65 through 153.71. Any construction contract

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administration or engineering costs incurred by the LPA or their consultant prior to the construction contract award date will not be eligible for reimbursement under this agreement.

- 8.2 The LPA must maintain a project daily diary that is up-to-date and contains the following information: all work performed, list of equipment utilized, project personnel and hours worked, pay quantities, daily weather conditions, special notes and instructions to the contractor, and any unusual events occurring on or adjacent to the project. Additionally, the LPA is responsible for documenting measurements, calculations, material quality, quantity, and basis for payment; change orders, claims, testing and results, traffic, inspections, plan changes, prevailing wage, EEO and DBE, if applicable. The LPA is responsible for ensuring all materials incorporated into the project comply with ODOT's Construction and Material Specifications and meet the requirements of Appendix J in the LATP Manual of Procedures.
- 8.3 The LPA shall certify both the quantity and quality of material used, the quality of the work performed, and the amount of construction engineering cost, when applicable, incurred by the LPA for the eligible work on the PROJECT, as well as at the completion of construction. The LPA shall certify that the construction is in accordance with the approved plans, surveys, profiles, cross sections and material specifications or approved amendments thereto.
- 8.4 The Federal-aid Highway Program operates on a reimbursement basis, which requires that costs actually be incurred and paid before a request is made for reimbursement. The LPA shall review and/or approve all invoices prior to payment and prior to requesting reimbursement from ODOT for work performed on the PROJECT. If the LPA is requests reimbursement, it must provide documentation of payment for the PROJECT costs requested. The LPA shall ensure the accuracy of any invoice in both amount and in relation to the progress made on the PROJECT. The LPA must submit to ODOT a written request for either current payment or reimbursement of the Federal/State share of the expenses involved, attaching copies of all source documentation associated with pending invoices or paid costs. To assure prompt payment, the measurement of quantities and the recording for payment should be performed on a daily basis as the items of work are completed and accepted.
- 8.5 ODOT shall pay, or reimburse, the LPA or, at the request of the LPA and with concurrence of ODOT, pay directly to the LPA's construction contractor ("Contractor"), the eligible items of expense in accordance with the cost-sharing provisions of this Agreement. If the LPA requests to have the Contractor paid directly, Attachment 2 to this Agreement shall be completed and submitted with the project bid tabulations, and the Contractor shall be required to establish Electronic Funds Transfer with the State of Ohio. ODOT shall pay the Contractor or reimburse the LPA within thirty (30) days of receipt of the approved Contractor's invoice from the LPA. When the LPA is requesting a direct payment to its Contractor, the LPA must provide documentation that the LPA has paid its share of the PROJECT costs.
- 8.6 The LPA shall notify ODOT of the filing of any mechanic's liens against the LPA's Contractor within three (3) business days of receipt of notice of lien. Failure to so notify ODOT or failure to process a mechanic's lien in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1311 of the ORC may result in the termination of this Agreement. Upon the receipt of notice of a mechanic's lien, ODOT reserves the right to (1) withhold an amount of money equal to the amount of the lien that may be due and owing to either the LPA or the Contractor; (2) terminate direct payment to the affected Contractor; or (3) take both actions, until such time as the lien is resolved.
- 8.7 Payment or reimbursement to the LPA shall be submitted to:
- Chris Bauserman, P.E., P.S.
Delaware County Engineer
50 Channing Street
Delaware, OH 43015
740-833-2400**
- 8.8 If, for any reason, the LPA contemplates suspending or terminating the contract of the Contractor, it shall first seek ODOT's written approval. Failure to timely notify ODOT of any contemplated suspension or termination, or failure to obtain written approval from ODOT prior to suspension or termination, may result in ODOT terminating this Agreement and ceasing all Federal funding commitments.
- 8.9 If ODOT approves any suspension or termination of the contract, ODOT reserves the right to amend its funding commitment in paragraph 3.1 and, if necessary, unilaterally modify any other term of this Agreement in order to preserve its Federal mandate. Upon request, the LPA agrees to assign all rights, title, and interests in its contract with the Contractor to ODOT to allow ODOT to direct additional or corrective work, recover damages due to errors or omissions, and to exercise all other contractual rights and remedies afforded by law or equity.
- 8.10 Any LPA right, claim, interest, and/or right of action, whether contingent or vested, arising out of, or related to any contract entered into by the LPA for the work to be performed by the Contractor on this PROJECT (the Claim), may be subrogated to ODOT, and ODOT shall have all of the LPA's rights in/to the Claim and against any other person(s) or entity(ies) against which such subrogation rights may be enforced. The LPA

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shall immediately notify ODOT in writing of any Claim. The LPA further authorizes ODOT to sue, compromise, or settle any such Claim. It is the intent of the parties that ODOT be fully substituted for the LPA and subrogated to all of the LPA's rights to recover under such Claim(s). The LPA agrees to cooperate with reasonable requests from ODOT for assistance in pursuing any action on the subrogated Claim including requests for information and/or documents and/or to testify.

8.11 After completion of the PROJECT, and in accordance with Title 23 United States Code 116 and applicable provisions of the ORC, the LPA shall maintain the PROJECT to design standards and provide adequate maintenance activities for the PROJECT, unless otherwise agreed to by ODOT. The PROJECT must remain under public ownership and authority for 20 years unless otherwise agreed to by ODOT. If the PROJECT is not being adequately maintained, ODOT shall notify the LPA of any deficiencies, and if the maintenance deficiencies are not corrected within a reasonable amount of time, ODOT may determine that the LPA is no longer eligible for future participation in any Federally-funded programs.

8.12 The LPA must provide the final invoices, and final report (Appendix P) along with all necessary closeout documentation within 6 months of the physical completion date of the project. All costs must be submitted within 6 months of the established completion date. Failure to submit final invoices along with the necessary closeout documentation within the 6 month period may result in closeout of the project and loss of eligibility of any remaining Federal and or State funds.

9. CERTIFICATION AND RECAPTURE OF FUNDS

9.1 This Agreement is subject to the determination by ODOT that sufficient funds have been appropriated by the Ohio General Assembly to the State for the purpose of this Agreement and to the certification of funds by the Office of Budget and Management, as required by ORC section 126.07. If ODOT determines that sufficient funds have not been appropriated for the purpose of this Agreement or if the Office of Budget and Management fails to certify the availability of funds, this Agreement or any renewal thereof will terminate on the date funding expires.

9.2 Unless otherwise directed by ODOT, if for any reason the PROJECT is not completed in its entirety or to a degree acceptable to ODOT and FHWA, the LPA shall repay to ODOT an amount equal to the total funds ODOT disbursed on behalf of the PROJECT. In turn, ODOT shall reimburse FHWA an amount equal to the total sum of Federal dollars it has received for the PROJECT. If the LPA has not repaid ODOT in full an amount equal to the total funds ODOT disbursed on behalf of the project, any funds recovered from the performance and payment bond as required under section 7.7 shall be used to offset the Federal dollars reimbursed to FHWA.

10. NONDISCRIMINATION

10.1 In carrying out this Agreement, the LPA shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, disability as that term is defined in the American with Disabilities Act, military status (past, present, or future), or genetic information. The LPA shall ensure that applicants are hired and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, religion, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, disability, military status, or genetic information. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

10.2 The LPA agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause, and in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by it, state that all qualified applicants shall receive consideration for employment without regard to race, religion, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, disability, military status, or genetic information. The LPA shall incorporate this nondiscrimination requirement within all of its contracts for any of the work on the PROJECT (other than subcontracts for standard commercial supplies or raw materials) and shall require all of its contractors to incorporate such requirements in all subcontracts for any part of such PROJECT work.

10.3 For any project in which the Engineer's Estimate exceeds \$500,000, the LPA shall ensure that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs), as defined in 49 CFR Part 26, will have an equal opportunity to participate in the performance of contracts and subcontracts financed in whole or in part with Federal funds provided in conjunction with this Agreement. To meet this requirement, subcontractors who claim to be DBEs must be certified by ODOT. The LPA shall require that all contracts and other agreements it enters into for the performance of the PROJECT contain the following specific language:

Disadvantaged Business (DBE) Requirement. DBE participation goals (subcontracts, materials, supplies) have been set on this project for those certified as DBEs pursuant to Title 23, U.S.C. section 140(c) and 49 CFR, Part 26, and where applicable qualified to bid with ODOT under Chapter 5525 of the ORC.

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WAIVER PROCESS FOR DBE GOALS

In the event the Contractor is unable to meet the DBE Goal placed on this project, a request for waiver of all or part of the goal may be made to ODOT through the LPA. The Contractor must document the progress and efforts being made in securing the services of DBE subcontractors. In the event the Contractor is unable to meet the DBE Goal placed on this Local Let project, a request for a waiver of all or part of the goal may be made. The written request must indicate a good faith effort was made to meet the goal and be sent to the LPA contracting authority. The LPA forwards the request with recommended action to the ODOT District. The ODOT District then makes recommendation and forwards the request to Office of Contracts, 1980 West Broad Street, Mail Code 4110 Columbus, Ohio, 43223. There will be no extension of time for the project granted if the Contractor wishes to avail himself of this process. If an item of work subcontracted to a DBE firm is non-performed by LPA or the subject of an approved VECP, the Contractor may request a waiver for the portion of work excluded.

ODOT shall supply the percentage goal to the LPA upon review of the Engineer's Estimate. Prior to executing the contract with the contractor, the LPA must obtain written, signed documentation from the contractor that the DBE goal will be satisfied. The LPA, in turn, must provide such documentation to ODOT in order for ODOT to encumber the Federal/State funds.

10.4 During the performance of this contract, the LPA, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest, agrees as follows:

(1) **Compliance with Regulations:** The LPA will comply with the regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the United States Department of Transportation (hereinafter "U.S. DOT") Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the "Regulations"), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.

In addition, the LPA will comply with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, FHWA Guidance, and any other Federal, State, and/or local laws, rules and/or regulations (hereinafter referred to as "ADA/504").

(2) **Nondiscrimination:** The LPA, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, will not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability, in the selection and retention of contractors or subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The LPA will not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations, as well as the ADA/504 regulations.

(3) **Solicitations for Contractors or Subcontractors, including Procurement of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the LPA for work to be performed under a contract or subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential contractor, subcontractor, or supplier will be notified by the LPA of the LPA's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

(4) **Information and Reports:** The LPA will provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and will permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the STATE or FHWA to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of the LPA is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information, the LPA will so certify to the STATE or FHWA, as appropriate, and will set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.

(5) **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of the LPA's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the STATE will impose such contract sanctions as it or FHWA may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:

- (a) withholding of payments to the LPA under the contract until the LPA complies, and/or
- (b) cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.

(6) **Incorporation of Provisions:** The LPA will include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (5) above in every contract or subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The LPA will take such action with respect to any contractor or subcontractor procurement as the STATE or FHWA may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance; provided, however, that, in the event the LPA becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a contractor, subcontractor, or supplier as a result of such direction, the LPA may request the STATE to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the

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STATE, and, in addition, the LPA may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

11. DATA, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS - PUBLIC USE

11.1 The LPA shall ensure that any designs, specifications, processes, devices or other intellectual properties specifically devised for the PROJECT by its consultants or contractors performing work become the property of the LPA, and that when requested, such designs, specifications, processes, devices or other intellectual properties shall become available to ODOT and FHWA with an unrestricted right to reproduce, distribute, modify, maintain, and use. The LPA's consultants and contractors shall not seek or obtain copyrights, patents, or other forms of proprietary protection for such designs, specifications, processes, devices or other intellectual properties, and in providing them to the PROJECT, shall relinquish any such protections should they exist.

11.2 The LPA shall not allow its consultants or contractors to utilize within the development of the PROJECT any copyrighted, patented or similarly protected design, specification, process, device or other intellectual property unless the consultant or contractor has provided for such use by suitable legal agreement with the owner of such copyright, patent or similar protection. A consultant or contractor making use of such protected items for the PROJECT shall indemnify and save harmless the LPA and any affected third party from any and all claims of infringement on such protections, including any costs, expenses, and damages which it may be obliged to pay by reason of infringement, at any time during the prosecution or after the completion of work on the PROJECT.

11.3 In the case of patented pavements or wearing courses where royalties, licensing and proprietary service charges, exacted or to be exacted by the patentees, are published and certified agreements are filed with the LPA, guaranteeing to prospective bidders free unrestricted use of all such proprietary rights and trademarked goods upon payment of such published charges, such patented pavements or wearing courses may be specifically designated in the proposal and competition secured upon the item exclusive of the patent or proprietary charges.

12. TERMINATION; DEFAULT AND BREACH OF CONTRACT

12.1 Neglect or failure of the LPA to comply with any of the terms, conditions, or provisions of this Agreement, including misrepresentation of fact, may be an event of default, unless such failure or neglect are the result of natural disasters, strikes, lockouts, acts of public enemies, insurrections, riots, epidemics, civil disturbances, explosions, orders of any kind of governments of the United States or State of Ohio or any of their departments or political subdivisions, or any other cause not reasonably within the LPA's control. If a default has occurred, ODOT may terminate this agreement with thirty (30) days written notice, except that if ODOT determines that the default can be remedied, then ODOT and the LPA shall proceed in accordance with sections 12.2 through 12.4 of this Agreement.

12.2 If notified by ODOT in writing that it is in violation of any of the terms, conditions, or provisions of this Agreement, and a default has occurred, the LPA shall have thirty (30) days from the date of such notification to remedy the default or, if the remedy will take in excess of thirty (30) days to complete, the LPA shall have thirty (30) days to satisfactorily commence a remedy of the causes preventing its compliance and curing the default situation. Expiration of the thirty (30) days and failure by the LPA to remedy, or to satisfactorily commence the remedy of, the default whether payment of funds has been fully or partially made, shall result in ODOT, at its discretion, declining to make any further payments to the LPA, or in the termination of this Agreement by ODOT. If this Agreement is terminated, the LPA may be liable to repay to ODOT all of the Federal funds disbursed to it under this Agreement.

12.3 The LPA, upon receiving a notice of termination from ODOT for default, shall cease work on the terminated activities covered under this Agreement. If so requested by ODOT, the LPA shall assign to ODOT all its rights, title, and interest to any contracts it has with any consultants or contractors. Otherwise, the LPA shall terminate all contracts and other agreements it has entered into relating to such covered activities, take all necessary and appropriate steps to limit disbursements and minimize any remaining costs. At the request of ODOT, the LPA may be required to furnish a report describing the status of PROJECT activities as of the date of its receipt of notice of termination, including results accomplished and other matters as ODOT may require.

12.4 No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved by ODOT is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given under this Agreement or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity. No delay or omission to exercise any right or option accruing to ODOT upon any default by the LPA shall impair any such right or option or shall be construed to be a waiver thereof, but any such right or option may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient by ODOT.

13. THIRD PARTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR CLAIMS

13.1 Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as conferring any legal rights, privileges, or immunities, or

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imposing any legal duties or obligations, on any person or persons other than the parties named in this Agreement, whether such rights, privileges, immunities, duties, or obligations be regarded as contractual, equitable, or beneficial in nature as to such other person or persons. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating any legal relations between the Director and any person performing services or supplying any equipment, materials, goods, or supplies for the PROJECT sufficient to impose upon the Director any of the obligations specified in section 126.30 of the ORC.

13.2 The LPA hereby agrees to accept responsibility for any and all damages or claims for which it is legally liable arising from the actionable negligence of its officers, employees or agents in the performance of the LPA's obligations made or agreed to herein.

14. NOTICE

14.1 Notice under this Agreement shall be directed as follows:

If to the LPA:

**Chris Bauserman, P.E., P.S.
 Delaware County Engineer
 50 Channing Street
 Delaware, OH 43015**

If to ODOT:

**Ferzan Ahmed, P.E., Deputy Director
 Attention: Tracy L. Allen
 ODOT, District Six
 400 East William Street
 Delaware, OH 43015**

15. GENERAL PROVISIONS

15.1 Recovery of Direct Labor, Overhead, and/or Fringe Costs:

To be eligible to recover any costs associated with the LPA's internal labor forces used on this project, the LPA shall make an appropriate selection below:¹

- 1. Direct Labor only (no indirect cost recovery for fringe benefit or overhead costs)
- 2. Direct Labor plus indirect costs determined using the Federal De Minimis Indirect Cost Rate²
- 3. Direct Labor plus Approved Fringe Benefit Costs (fringe benefits only)³
- 4. Direct Labor plus indirect costs determined using the approved applicable Cost Allocation Plan rate⁴
- 5. No cost recovery of any LPA direct labor, fringe benefits, or overhead costs.

For any labor costs to be eligible for reimbursement with Federal and State funds, the LPA shall meet all timekeeping requirements outlined in 2 CFR Part 200 and the ODOT LPA Cost Recovery Guidance, including ODOT Questions and Answers⁵ and related supplementary guidance, as applicable. Additionally, if the LPA elects to recover fringe and/or indirect costs, the LPA shall follow 2 CFR Part 200 and the LATP Manual of Procedures.

15.2 Financial Reporting and Audit Requirements: The LPA shall comply with the financial reporting and audit requirements of 2 CFR Part 200.

The LPA must submit performance reports at the interval required by the Federal awarding agency and pass-through entity. Annual reports must be due 90 calendar days after the reporting period; quarterly and semi-annual reports must be due 30 calendar days after the reporting period. Alternatively, ODOT may require annual reports before the anniversary dates of multiple year Federal awards.⁶

LPA's that expend \$750,000 or more in the LPA's fiscal year in Federal awards must have a Single Audit, or

¹ **Note:** If a timely election is not made at the time of contract execution, the cost recovery method will default to Option 5: No cost recovery of any LPA direct labor, fringe benefits, or overhead costs.

² The De Minimis Indirect Cost Rate is 10 percent of modified total direct costs (MTDC) per 2 CFR §200.414. Regardless of whether the LPA prepares a CAP or uses the 10-percent de minimis rate, LPA's are required to maintain Federally-compliant time-tracking systems. Accordingly, LPA's are permitted to bill for labor costs and associated indirect costs only if such costs are accumulated, tracked, and allocated in accordance with such systems. Before an LPA is eligible to elect the de minimis rate on any project, the LPA's time-tracking system and methods for tracking other project costs must be reviewed and approved by the ODOT Office of External Audits. To obtain this approval, LPA's will be required to complete an Internal Control Questionnaire (ICQ), and LPA's with compliant time-tracking systems will be granted approval (be prequalified) to apply the de minimis rate.

³ Annually, the LPA shall submit an updated rate for review and approval by the ODOT Office of External Audits.

⁴ Annually, the LPA shall submit an updated rate for review and approval by the ODOT Office of External Audits.

⁵ Question and Answer guidance can be found at the following web address:
[http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/Planning/LocalPrograms/Locallet%20Manual/LPA%20Questions%20and%20Answers%20Re%202%20CFR%20200%20\(latest\)%20\(2\).pdf](http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/Planning/LocalPrograms/Locallet%20Manual/LPA%20Questions%20and%20Answers%20Re%202%20CFR%20200%20(latest)%20(2).pdf)

⁶ See 2 CFR §200.328.

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program-specific audit, conducted for that year in accordance with 2 CFR §200.501.

Federal and State funds expended to or on behalf of a subrecipient must be recorded by the subrecipient (LPA). The LPA is responsible for tracking these payments throughout the life of the project in order to ensure an accurate Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Award (hereinafter referred to as *Schedule*) is provided for 20.205 funding. The LPA must identify each ODOT PID and/or Project and the corresponding expenditures on its Schedule separately. LPAS are responsible for ensuring funds related to this PROJECT are reported when the activity related to the Federal award occurs.⁷ The LPA is required to report its own expenditures, in addition to any expenditures made by ODOT for the project in the applicable Schedule when the expenditure was made. When a Schedule is not accurately reported for the project, the LPA will be required to make corrections to past, current, and possibly future Schedules and Audit Reports to ensure Federal funds are accurately reported in the correct fiscal year matching the project expenditure. The LPA is required to report all Federal funds received, or expended on its behalf, regardless to differences in the LPA expenditure date and ODOT reimbursement date.

- 15.3 *Record Retention:* The LPA, when requested at reasonable times and in a reasonable manner, shall make available to the agents, officers, and auditors of ODOT and the United States government, its records and financial statements as necessary relating to the LPA’s obligations under this Agreement. All such books, documents, and records shall be kept for a period of at least three years after FHWA approves the LPA’s final Federal voucher for reimbursement of PROJECT expenses. In the event that an audit-related dispute should arise during this retention period, any such books, documents, and records that are related to the disputed matter shall be preserved for the term of that dispute. The LPA shall require that all contracts and other agreements it enters into for the performance of the PROJECT contain the following specific language:

As the LPA, ODOT or the United States government may legitimately request from time to time, the contractor agrees to make available for inspection and/or reproduction by the LPA, ODOT or United States government, all records, books, and documents of every kind and description that relate to this contract.

Nothing contained in this Agreement shall in any way modify the LPA’s legal duties and obligations to maintain and/or retain its records under Ohio public records laws.

- 15.4 *Ohio Ethics Laws:* LPA agrees that it they are currently in compliance and will continue to adhere to the requirements of Ohio Ethics law as provided by Section 102.03 and 102.04 of the ORC.
- 15.5 *State Property Drug-Free Workplace Compliance:* In accordance with applicable State and Federal laws, rules, and policy, the LPA shall make a good faith effort to ensure that its employees and its contractors will not purchase, transfer, use, or possess alcohol or a controlled substance while working on State property.
- 15.6 *Governing Law:* This Agreement and any claims arising out of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Ohio. Any provision of this Agreement prohibited by the laws of Ohio shall be deemed void and of no effect. Any litigation arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the performance thereunder shall be brought only in the courts of Ohio, and the LPA hereby irrevocably consents to such jurisdiction. To the extent that ODOT is a party to any litigation arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the performance thereunder, such an action shall be brought only in a court of competent jurisdiction in Franklin County, Ohio.
- 15.7 *Assignment:* Neither this Agreement nor any rights, duties, or obligations described herein shall be assigned by either party hereto without the prior express written consent of the other party.
- 15.8 *Merger and Modification:* This Agreement and its attachments constitute the entire Agreement between the parties. All prior discussions and understandings between the parties are superseded by this Agreement. Unless otherwise noted herein, this Agreement shall not be altered, modified, or amended except by a written agreement signed by both parties hereto.
- 15.9 *Severability:* If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the validity or the ability to enforce the remainder of this Agreement. All provisions of this Agreement shall be deemed severable.
- 15.10 *Signatures:* Any person executing this Agreement in a representative capacity hereby represents that he/she has been duly authorized by his/her principal to execute this Agreement on such principal’s behalf.

Vote on Motion Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Benton Aye Mr. Merrell Aye

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ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS
Dawn Huston, Director of Administrative Services/Acting County Administrator

⁷ Per 2 CFR §200.502

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-No reports

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COMMISSIONERS' COMMITTEES REPORTS

Commissioner Benton

- Went on a tour of the County Jail yesterday with Commissioner Merrell
- Attended the Finance Authority meeting on Tuesday evening. A lot of activity going on there.
- Will be attending a MORPC meeting this afternoon.

Commissioner Merrell

-No reports

Commissioner Lewis

- Attended a Stepping Up Initiative meeting. Will be having a conference in June.
- Attended a Family and Children First Council meeting yesterday. A reminder that a renewal measure is on the ballot for next week for Delaware County Board of Developmental Disabilities.

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RESOLUTION NO. 16-242

IN THE MATTER OF ADJOURNING INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT; COMPENSATION OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE OR PUBLIC OFFICIAL:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to adjourn into Executive Session at 9:50 AM.

Vote on Motion Mr. Merrell Aye Mr. Benton Aye Mrs. Lewis Aye

RESOLUTION NO. 16-243

IN THE MATTER OF ADJOURNING OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION:

It was moved by Mr. Merrell, seconded by Mr. Benton to adjourn out of Executive Session at 12:33 PM.

Vote on Motion Mrs. Lewis Aye Mr. Merrell Aye Mr. Benton Aye

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Gary Merrell

Barb Lewis

Jeff Benton

Jennifer Walraven, Clerk to the Commissioners