

ORDINANCE NO. 23-2016

Amending Ordinance No. 44-2015 (As Amended) to Adjust the Annual Budget by Providing for an Appropriation from the Capital Improvements Fund Unappropriated Balance to Pay the Additional City Share of Costs for the SR-161 Pavement Surface Improvements, (ODOT Project R-161-8.67, PID 96305) and all Related Expenses and Declaring an Emergency. (Project No. 617-15)

WHEREAS, on January 19, 2016 City Council passed Ordinance No. 02-2016 providing for an appropriation from the Capital Improvement Fund in the amount of \$127,000 to pay the City's share of costs for the State Route 161 Pavement Surface Improvement project and all related expenses, for the resurfacing of State Route 161 from Olentangy River Road to the City's eastern corporation line (the "Project"); and,

WHEREAS, the apparent low bid received through the ODOT bidding process reflects an additional amount due for the City's match in an amount of \$29,428.00; and,

WHEREAS, the City is responsible for one hundred percent (100%) of the total cost of features requested by the City which are not necessary for the improvement as determined by the State and Federal Highway Administration, and the City is requesting additional crosswalk marking enhancements (Alternate #1), which is an additional amount due of \$22,274.72 to fund and approve Alternate #1; and,

WHEREAS, due to ODOT bidding requirements, a notification of the City's ability to pay the additional amounts due must be made expeditiously, thereby necessitating an appropriation of funds by emergency measure; and

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio, provides that City Council may at any time amend or revise the Budget by Ordinance, providing that such amendment does not authorize the expenditure of more revenue than will be available;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, County of Franklin, State of Ohio, six-sevenths of the members elected thereto herein concurring:

SECTION 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated from the Capital Improvements Fund Unappropriated Balance to Account No. 308.8150.533345 the sum of Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000.00) to pay for additional City Share of Costs for the SR-161 Pavement Surface Improvements, (ODOT Project R-161-8.67, PID 96305), including Alternate #1, a contingency allowance of ten percent (10%) of the total project and all related expenses (Project No. 617-15).

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SECTION 2. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare, and notice of passage of this Ordinance shall be posted in the Municipal Administration Building, the Worthington Library, the Griswold Center and the Worthington Community Center and shall set forth the title and effective date of the Ordinance and a statement that the Ordinance is on file in the office of the Clerk of Council. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and by the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio.

Passed June 20, 2016

/s/ Bonnie D. Michael
President of Council

Attest:

/s/ D. Kay Thress
Clerk of Council

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P.H. June 20, 2016
Effective June 23, 2016