SPONSOR: Heath/EBrown

RESOLUTION NO. 01-06

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OR HIS DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE, TO FILE A LETTER OF INTEREST AND AN APPLICATION, AND EXECUTE ANY AND ALL AGREEMENTS OR DOCUMENTS WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION – TRANSPORTATION PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION FOR FUNDING FOR FY 2009 FOR A BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN PATH CONNECTING WESTVIEW SCHOOL TO VARIOUS CITY PARKS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City in is the process of exploring the creation of bicycle/pedestrian pathways within the City; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to file a letter of interest and an application with the Ohio Department of Transportation – Transportation Enhancement Program for the possibility of receiving funding for FY 2009 for the project; and

WHERAS, the City now desires to proceed with this process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, STATE OF OHIO, as follows:

Section 1. The Mayor, or his designated representative, is hereby authorized to file a letter of interest and an application, to execute any and all documents, and enter into any and all necessary agreements with the Ohio Department of Transportation — Transportation Enhancement Program, to pursue possible funding for FY 2009 for a grant to assist the City in the creation of bicycle/pedestrian pathways in the City.

Section 2. This Resolution is hereby is hereby declared to be an emergency Resolution necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety

of the City of Jackson, and for the further reason that this project is of great benefit to the citizens of the community and it is necessary to authorize the Mayor to take necessary actions in the submission of the letter of interest and any application and funding process as soon as possible. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

<u>Section 3.</u> In the event this Resolution receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Resolution shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

Section 4. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, all in compliance with the law.

Date: 01/13/06

PRESIDENT OF

CLERK OF COUNCIL

Approved:

Date: 1-23-06

MAYOR

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MEMO

Date: 01/12/2006

To: Jack Detty, Law Director

From: Wendy Sexton, Deputy Auditor

RE: Resolution Authorizing Funding Application

Please prepare a Resolution for the next City Council meeting that authorizes the Mayor of Jackson, or his designated representative, to file a letter of interest and an application if invited with the Ohio Department of Transportation - Transportation Enhancement Program funding FY 2009. This money will be for a bicycle / pedestrian path that connects Westview School to various park sites in town. This federal-aid reimbursement program provides up to 80% of eligible costs associated with the project.