

SPONSOR: Bopp / Newkirk

**RESOLUTION NO. 21-23**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF JACKSON TO FILE AN APPLICATION WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE SMALL CITIES GRANT PROGRAM FOR PAVEMENT REHABILITATION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Transportation administers financial assistance of 80-95% of eligible costs for public projects for cities with a population of 5,000 through 24,999 through the Small Cities Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the City is in need of repairing and re-paving streets within the City; and

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes an emergency as there is an application deadline of June 15, 2023 and an award of funds is needed to maintain the streets within the City, thereby benefiting the health, safety and welfare of the City of Jackson and its citizens; and, therefore:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved as follows:

1. The legislative authority of the City of Jackson authorizes the filing of an application for financial assistance through the Small Cities Grant Program;
2. The Mayor or his Service Safety Director are hereby authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Transportation and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for funding assistance;
3. That this matter is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the reasons set forth above. Following appropriate legislative action, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval, otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.
4. 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.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberation of this Council that resulted in such formal actions were in a meeting open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on  
this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023.

David L. Fuler  
President of Council

ATTEST:

Cindi Kuhn  
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023.

Ron Parsons  
Mayor