

CITY OF STRUTHERS
Resolution

NO. 22-053

***A RESOLUTION FOR THE CITY OF STRUTHERS (LPA) TO
COOPERATE WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION (ODOT) AND FOR ODOT TO PROVIDE BRIDGE
INSPECTION PROGRAM SERVICES FOR THE CITY'S DESIGNATED
BRIDGES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.***

WHEREAS, The City of Struthers has determined the need for the described project:

Bridge Inspection Program Services, including, but not limited to routine inspections, element level inspections, critical-findings reports, fracture critical member inspections, load rating calculations and reports, weight limits posting sign recommendations, scour assessments, scour plan of actions, development of fracture critical plans, and underwater dive inspection reports, if needed; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Struthers requests the Bridge Inspection Program Services to be completed by ODOT on the following City bridges:

- a. MAH WETMR 01430, Structural File Number 5000000 (Wetmore Avenue Bridge).
- b. MAH 00289 06530, Structural File Number 5005043 (SR289 Culvert at Godward Run).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Struthers, Ohio, $\frac{3}{4}$'s of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: Being in the public interest, the City of Struthers gives consent to the Director of Transportation to complete the above describe bridge inspections.

SECTION 2: That the City of Struthers shall cooperate with the Director of Transportation in the above described bridge inspections as follows:

- a. The State shall assume and bear 100% of all of the cost for Bridge Inspection Program Services requested by the City and agreed to by the State. Eligible Bridge Inspection Services are described in the Consultant's Scope of Services Task Order Contract (Exhibit A to this resolution).
- b. The City of Struthers agrees to pay 100% of the cost of those features which are not included in Exhibit A. Those features may include but not limited to the purchasing and erecting the recommended weight limits postings signs, the implementation of critical findings reports such as partial or total bridge closures, the implementation of the scour plan of actions. When recommendation affects public safety, ODOT expects full implementation by the City. Starting in October 2019, FHWA requires installing weight limits posting signs within 30 days from the official date of the approved recommendations. Timely implementation is essential to the success of this program.
- c. The City of Struthers agrees that all right-of-way required for the described project will be made available in accordance with current State and Federal regulations.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of public peace and the health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Struthers, Ohio. Said emergency exists to expedite the project and to promote bridge and highway safety. This resolution 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.

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PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 12th DAY OF October, 2022.

Megan R. Shorthouse
CLERK OF COUNCIL

Michael S. Patrick
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH THE MAYOR THIS 12th DAY OF October, 2022.

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APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 12th DAY OF October, 2022.

Catherine Cercone Miller
MAYOR

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Megan R. Shorthouse
CLERK OF COUNCIL