

TITLE

A RESOLUTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF WARREN, OHIO TO APPLY FOR A PADDLING ENHANCEMENT GRANT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (ODNR) DIVISION OF PARKS AND WATERCRAFT FOR THE PACKARD PARK SMALL BOAT ACCESS PROJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

RESOLUTION NO. 12921/2020

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft administers financial assistance for improvement of public recreational purposes for increased recreational boating safety on navigable waters of the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, there are potential safety and accessibility issues of accessing the Mahoning River in Warren, Ohio with hand-powdered watercraft; and

WHEREAS, the City of Warren desires financial assistance through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft Paddling Enhancement Grant for the Packard Park Small Boat Access Ramp Project Improvements Project; NOW THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Warren, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the Council of the City of Warren, Ohio approves filing an application for financial assistance through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft Paddling Enhancement Grant for the Packard Park Small Boat Access Ramp Improvements Project.

Section 2: That the Director of Public Service and Safety be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft Paddling Enhancement Grant and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance for said project.

Section 3: That the Auditor of the City of Warren agrees to obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the proposed project and to become eligible for reimbursement under the terms and conditions of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft Paddling Enhancement Grant.

Section 4: That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, welfare and safety, and for the further reason that the City of Warren may timely comply with funding and programming deadlines established by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Parks and Watercraft. WHEREFORE, this Resolution shall go into immediate effect.

Passed in Council this 12TH day of February, 2020.

SIGNED: John R. Brown

ATTEST: Brenda Smith

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL - PRO-TEM CLERK

FILED WITH THE MAYOR: February 12, 2020

DATE APPROVED: February 12, 2020

James Graham
MAYOR, CITY OF WARREN, OHIO, -ACTING MAYOR