RESOLUTION # 2021-3

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE RUSSELL TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND THE GEAUGA COUNTY ENGINEER FOR THE APPLICATION OF PAVEMENT MARKINGS TO VARIOUS TOWNSHIP ROADS, YEAR 2021

Russell Township, Geauga County, Ohio

WHEREAS, the public interest demands the improvement hereinafter described;

WHEREAS, approximately 5.35 miles of Township maintained roads are in need of improvement by application of pavement markings; and

WHEREAS, the Geauga County Engineer's Office, hereinafter called "ENGINEER", improves a portion of County-maintained highways by the application of pavement markings through its annual application of pavement marking project, hereinafter called the "PROJECT"; and

WHEREAS, the public interest is best served through the cooperation of the ENGINEER and the Russell Township Board of Trustees, hereinafter called "BOARD OF TRUSTEES", to improve the Township maintained roadways.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the BOARD OF TRUSTEES, Geauga County, Ohio, that:

SECTION I. The public interest demands the improvement and maintenance of the roads situated in the Township.

SECTION II. The ENGINEER has offered to be the lead agent to improve the various roads maintained by the Township.

SECTION III. The BOARD OF TRUSTEES wish to participate and the funds for the reimbursement shall come from funds available to the Township to improve and repair roads and related items.

SECTION IV. The BOARD OF TRUSTEES agrees to fund the total cost of the improvements performed on the approximately 5.35 miles of Township maintained roads in need of improvement in conjunction with the Project. The division of funds will be based upon the centerline straight line mileage of work performed. The not to exceed cost for the Township portion which includes the allowable ten percent (10%) in excess of the estimated cost in accordance with ORC 5575.03 is \$14,850.00. Final cost will be based upon bid unit prices and actual quantities installed. Project costs in excess of the not to exceed amount will require additional certification and approval by the BOARD OF TRUSTEES or a reduction in the amount of work performed. The funds shall be reimbursed to the ENGINEER upon the completion and acceptance of the work.

SECTION V. The ENGINEER is hereby empowered and directed on behalf of the BOARD OF TRUSTEES to enter into contracts and agreements with the lowest and most qualified bidder to complete the construction of the improvement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Fiscal Officer is hereby instructed to transmit both original signed copies of this resolution to the ENGINEER for acceptance. Upon acceptance by the ENGINEER, one original copy will be returned to the Township.

AGREED AND APPROVED BY:

James Mueller Township Trustee

Gary Gabram
Township Trustee

Kristina Port Township Trustee

ATTEST:

Karen Walder

Township Fiscal Officer

Date: 1/4/2021

GEAUGA COUNTY ENGINEER

The foregoing is accepted as a basis for proceeding with the improvements herein described:

AGREED AND ACCEPTED BY:

Joe Cattell, PE, PS Geauga County Engineer