

ORDINANCE 2016-04

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS IN THE GENERAL FUND (1000) BY \$40,000 AND AUTHORIZING AN ADVANCE OF \$40,000 TO THE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (4203) HIRAM HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Village of Hiram has requested and has been approved by the Ohio Department of Transportation for financial assistance in the form of a grant for the project entitled Hiram Hike and Bike Trail; and

WHEREAS, the Hiram Hike and Bike Trail grant is an 80/20 reimbursing grant so money will have to be advanced from the General Fund to the Hiram Hike and Bike Trail Fund (4203) in order to cover the 20 percent match for engineering costs and other necessary costs incurred; and

WHEREAS, the Village Administrator has indicated to the Fiscal Officer the need for additional appropriations and funds from the General Fund to cover expenses incurred for preparation of the site including; a map update, staking the trail centerline, clearing of the property and possible easement costs.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Hiram, Portage County, Ohio, two thirds or more of the members thereto concurring that:

Section 1: The current appropriations in the General Fund are \$1,152,294.76. The appropriations need increased by \$40,000 in the other financing uses section, other operations. The new total appropriations in the General Fund will be \$1,192,294.76.

Section 2: The current appropriations in the Special Revenue Fund (4203) are \$0. The appropriations need increased by \$40,000. The new total appropriations in the Special Revenue Fund will be \$40,000.

Section 3: The transfers set forth in the Ordinance are advances only, and the Council acknowledges that that advances will be returned to the General Fund once reimbursement is received from grant funds.

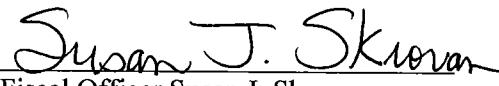
Section 3: This Ordinance is declared an emergency measure becoming effective immediately upon its passage by Council and approval by the Mayor to allow the Fiscal Officer to begin using the funds to pay expenses incurred for preparation of the site including; a map update, staking the trail centerline, clearing of the property and possible easement costs in 2016, all to provide for the health and safety of the residents of the Village of Hiram.

Section 4: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of the Council and any committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code of the State of Ohio.


Passed in Council as an emergency: February 9, 2016


Mayor Lou Bertrand

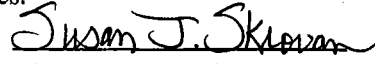
ATTEST:


Fiscal Officer Susan J. Skrovan

Approved as to Form:


Village Solicitor Thomas Reitz

I, SUSAN SKROVAN Fiscal Officer of the Village of Hiram, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution of Ordinance No. 2016-04 has been duly posted in the required 5 places.

2-12-2016 
Date Fiscal Officer, Village of Hiram