

North Canton City Council
Street and Alley Committee

Ordinance No. 20 - 2020

An ordinance authorizing the Director of Administration of the City of North Canton to advertise and receive bids, and authorizing the Mayor, upon Board of Control approval, to enter into a contract for the enhancement of East Maple Street ("East Maple Street Enhancement Project"), from the intersection of Marquardt Avenue, east to the Hoover Trail connection at Washington Square, which shall include installation of approximately 4,700 linear feet of 8-foot wide, decorative multi-use sidewalk, 36 decorative street lights, decorative stamped concrete crosswalks, decorative roadway concrete pavement, treatments at both the Marquardt Avenue intersection and Washington Square/Walsh East Gate signaled intersections, pedestrian bridge railing enhancements, rehabilitation of Stark County Engineer's roadway bridge, and retaining wall replacement, and declaring the same to be an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City has received federal funding as administered by Ohio's Department of Transportation in the amount of \$1,524,000.00, for the East Maple Street Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, the City has also applied for a 2020 municipal road funding estimated at \$75,000.00, and

WHEREAS, the Stark County Engineer's Office will reimburse the City for any roadway bridge costs that are City paid outside of the respective grants;

WHEREAS, the City wishes to take advantage of the grant offerings to improve the overall appearance of East Maple Street, which is one of its main arteries into the City, and to begin construction during the brief, weather-permitting conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, AND STATE OF OHIO:

- Section 1. That the Director of Administration of the City of North Canton, be, and is hereby authorized to advertise and receive bids for the East Maple Street Enhancement Project including enhancement from the intersection of Marquardt Avenue, east to the Hoover Trail connection at Washington Square, which shall include installation of approximately 4,700 linear feet of 8-foot wide, decorative multi-use sidewalk, 36 decorative street lights, decorative stamped concrete crosswalks, decorative roadway concrete pavement, treatments at both the Marquardt Avenue intersection and Washington Square/Walsh East Gate signaled intersections, pedestrian bridge railing enhancements, rehabilitation of Stark County Engineer's roadway bridge, and retaining wall replacement.
- Section 2. That the Mayor, upon Board of Control approval, be, and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the East Maple Street Enhancement Project, at a total cost not to exceed \$2,049,000.00.

Section 3. That the Director of Finance of the City of North Canton, be, and is hereby authorized to draw funds necessary for the payment of the above-specified contract from the following appropriations:

332.542.5229	\$1,524,000.00
330.546.5229	450,000.00
211.543.5229	<u>75,000.00</u>
	\$2,049,000.00

upon receipt of vouchers duly approved by the proper departmental authority.

Section 4. That if a provision of this ordinance is or becomes illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, that shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this ordinance.

Section 5. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the health, safety and peace of the City of North Canton and further necessary to advertise, receive, and evaluate bids, determine the lowest and best bidder, and complete the Easthill Street SE Reconstruction Project during a brief, weather-permitting window; wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of six or more members of Council elected thereto, this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed in Council this 13th day of April, 2020


Stephan B. Wilder, Mayor

Signed: 04/13, 2020

Attest:


Benjamin R. Young, Clerk of Council