

O-20-15

JULY 20, 2015

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH FOUST CONSTRUCTION INC. FOR THE NORTH HIGH STEET PEDESTRIAN ENHANCEMENT PROJECT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**WHEREAS,** the City has identified the need to perform sidewalk replacement and reconstruction on North High Street; and,

**WHEREAS,** the City of Cortland has applied and received a grant from the Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) for up to 80% of the construction and inspection costs with the City providing a minimum 20% cash contribution; and,

**WHEREAS,** it is necessary that the project follow the Ohio Department of Transportation Local Participating Agency (LPA) procedures and guidelines; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Clerk of Council has advertised for bids in accordance with said authorization; and,

**WHEREAS,** on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015, bids were opened and Foust Construction Inc. was lowest and best bidder in an amount of \$183,310.45.

**NOW, THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORTLAND, OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That the Council of the City of Cortland does hereby recognize the need for the North High Street Pedestrian Enhancement Project.

**Section 2.** The Mayor is authorized to enter into a contract with Foust Construction Inc., 1700 Wilson Ave. Girard, OH 44420.

**Section 3.** The total local cost of the project is \$36,662.09 being paid from Fund 10-J-234 – General – Service Operating – Professional Services with the balance of \$146,648.36 being paid directly through TAP.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance having the procedural rules suspended shall take effect immediately as being in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Cortland, Ohio.

**PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 20<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JULY, 2015.**

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED W/ MAYOR \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR

DATE APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

**ROLL CALL**  
**EMERGENCY**  
Edwards, aye  
Linville, aye  
Petrosky, aye  
Piros, aye  
Rowley, aye  
Tackett, aye  
Woofter, aye

**ORDINANCE**  
Edwards, aye  
Linville, aye  
Petrosky, aye  
Piros, aye  
Rowley, aye  
Tackett, aye  
Woofter, aye

**OFFICIAL SEAL**