

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2024-091

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3 SPONSOR Executive Shapiro

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5 DATE April 1, 2024

COMMITTEE Public Works

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7 **A Resolution confirming the award by the Board of Control of a construction contract with**  
8 **BECDIR Construction Company, Inc., to repair the bridge on East Steels Corners Road**  
9 **over Mud Brook, located in the Cities of Stow and Cuyahoga Falls, in Council District 3, in**  
10 **an amount not to exceed \$1,049,492.25, for the Engineer, and declaring an emergency.**

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12 WHEREAS, the Steels Corner Bridge over Mud Brook is Summit County’s longest  
13 bridge, stretching over 1,000 feet. The bridge is located on Steels Corners Road near the State  
14 Route 8 interchange on the border of the Cities of Stow and Cuyahoga Falls, in Council District  
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17 WHEREAS, in order to keep the 15-span bridge in good working order, the Engineer  
18 wishes to replace the bridge expansion joints, overlay the bridge deck with concrete, replace  
19 approach guardrail, and complete other miscellaneous repairs (the “Project”); and

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21 WHEREAS, this Council previously adopted Resolution No. 2024-009, which authorized  
22 the Executive to advertise, as needed, for bridge engineering and construction projects, and  
23 pavement maintenance projects, for the Engineer’s 2024 Capital Improvements Program, and  
24 federal and state funded projects, for an estimated total cost not to exceed \$10,720,000.00; and

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26 WHEREAS, said projects were approved as part of the Capital Improvements Program  
27 for 2024-2029 by Resolution No. 2024-028; and

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29 WHEREAS, \$1,000,000.00 has been awarded for the Project through Local Major Bridge  
30 Program Funds; and

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32 WHEREAS, the Engineer sent out five bid packages for the Project and three bids were  
33 received and the Executive selected BECDIR Construction Company, Inc., as the lowest  
34 responsive and responsible bidder; and

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36 WHEREAS, the Board of Control, at its meeting held March 27, 2024, awarded a  
37 construction contract with BECDIR Construction Company, Inc., as the lowest responsive and  
38 responsible bidder, to repair the bridge on East Steels Corners Road over Mud Brook, located in  
39 the Cities of Stow and Cuyahoga Falls, in Council District 3, in an amount not to exceed  
40 \$1,049,492.25, subject to confirmation by this Council; and

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42 WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information,  
43 that the aforementioned construction contract with BECDIR Construction Company, Inc., is  
44 necessary and in the best interest of the County of Summit;

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46 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Summit, State  
47 of Ohio, that:

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4 SECTION 1

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6 The award by the Board of Control of a construction contract with BECDIR Construction  
7 Company, Inc., to repair the bridge on East Steels Corners Road over Mud Brook (the "Project"),  
8 located in the Cities of Stow and Cuyahoga Falls, in Council District 3, in an amount not to  
9 exceed \$1,049,492.25, is hereby confirmed and the Executive is hereby authorized to execute  
10 said construction contract and any other necessary related documents.

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12 SECTION 2

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14 This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency in the interest of the health, safety and  
15 welfare of the residents of the County of Summit, and for the further reason of immediately  
16 providing necessary bridge repair services so that the Project may proceed in a timely fashion.

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18 SECTION 3

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20 Provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members, it shall take  
21 effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Executive; otherwise, it shall take  
22 effect and be in force at the earliest time provided by law.

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24 SECTION 4

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26 It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating  
27 to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all  
28 deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action,  
29 were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section  
30 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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33 INTRODUCED April 1, 2024


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35 ADOPTED April 15, 2024

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39 CLERK OF COUNCIL

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39 PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

41 APPROVED April 15, 2024

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45 EXECUTIVE

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Voice Vote – YES: 9 – 0: Darrow,  
Dickinson, Donofrio, Ford, McKenney,  
Schmidt, Walters, Wiedie Higham, Wilhite  
Absent: DeVitis, Rodgers

47 ENACTED EFFECTIVE April 16, 2024