AN ORDINANCE AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR THE 2023 ASPHALT WALKING AND BIKE PATH PROGRAM AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the direction of Council, the Public Works Department has prepared plans and specifications for the 2023 Asphalt Walking and Bike Path Program, which have been and are now on file in the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, further in accordance with the direction of Council, the Public Works Department has caused notice to be given as provided by law, inviting bids for construction of said improvements, bids having been received, opened, and tabulated as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, Council coming now to consider said bids has determined that the bid submitted by Geauga Highway Co. of Hiram, Ohio, is the lowest and best responsive bid, after advertising in accordance with law, and is acceptable to this Council.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

<u>Section No. 1:</u> That the bid by Geauga Highway Co. of Hiram, Ohio (hereafter referred to as "Contractor") for the 2023 Asphalt Walking and Bike Path Program for the City of Avon Lake, Ohio, in accordance with the plans and specifications, be and the same is hereby awarded to said Contractor in accordance with said plans and specifications and bid received. The total amount of said contract is in the sum of \$76,968.20.

Section No. 2: That the Contractor shall furnish his good and sufficient performance bond in the amount of \$76,968.20 to the satisfaction of the Mayor and approved as to form by the Director of Law, conditioned to insure faithful performance of the contract thereby awarded and completion of the work free and clear of all claims and encumbrances.

<u>Section No. 3:</u> That the Contractor shall deposit and keep in force and effect on file with said Director of Finance memoranda of policies of insurance in the amounts and under the conditions set forth in the specifications of the contract documents.

<u>Section No. 4:</u> That upon receipt by the Director of Finance of the certificate of the Public Works Director that the project has been completed to his full satisfaction and in accordance with the plans and specifications, then the Director of Finance shall

be authorized and directed to issue to Contractor the warrants of the City in payment of the amount due the Contractor as determined by the Public Works Director according to the terms of the contract.

Section No. 5: That the Mayor shall be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to sign and execute the contract hereby awarded.

Section No. 6: That it is 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 this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section No. 7: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the necessity of repaying the walking path in Resatar Park and the bike path at Westview Elementary before asphalt plants close for the season, thus for the public health, safety, and welfare. Therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

/s/ Martin E. O'Donnell PASSED: 9/25/2023

President of Council

POSTED: 9/29/2023 APPROVED: 9/26/2023

ATTEST: /s/ Valerie E. Rosmarin /s/ Gregory J. Zilka