

CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO

RESOLUTION No. R15-03 CMS

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT FEDERAL AID UNDER THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF GROVELAND STREET, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Lorain County Commissioners receive an annual allocation of Community Development Block Grant Program funds from the State of Ohio which can be used for eligible projects in non-entitlement areas within Lorain County; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oberlin, Ohio is located in a non-entitlement area of Lorain County and is eligible to apply for CDBG funding from the Lorain County Commissioners for community projects which benefit low to moderate income persons; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oberlin, Ohio is interested in improving a low to moderate income neighborhood (72.95% low to moderate income) in the City by resurfacing Groveland Street between South Main Street and South Park Street as well as completing other improvements such as curb and gutter replacement, handicapped sidewalk ramps, and new catch basins; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio, five-sevenths (5/7ths) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to immediately apply for funding in an amount up to \$100,000 to the Lorain County Commissioners to assist with the improvement of Groveland Street between South Main Street and South Park Street and to accept a grant if awarded.

SECTION 2. That the City of Oberlin, Ohio will commit CDBG Economic Development Revolving Loan Fund funds in an amount not to exceed \$66,646 and \$98,411 in City of Oberlin capital funds as matching funds.


SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of the City of Oberlin, or to provide for the usual daily operation of a municipal department to wit:

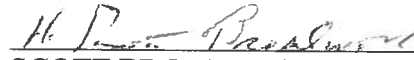
to approve the filing of an application for funding, which was submitted prior to the deadline of April 3, 2015, and shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED: 1st Reading: April 20, 2015 (E)
2nd Reading: _____
3rd Reading: _____

ATTEST:



BELINDA B. ANDERSON, MMC
CLERK OF COUNCIL



SCOTT BROADWELL
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 04/21/2015

EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/20/2015