ORDINANCE NO. 2-18

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF SAFETY AND SERVICE TO ISSUE REQUESTS FOR QUALIFICATIONS, NEGOTIATE AND ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR DESIGN ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE JEFFERSON STREET ODOT SMALL CITIES GRANT PROJECT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Whereas, the City of Port Clinton's Jefferson Street Reconstruction Project (the "Project") has been selected for funding through the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) Small Cities Program, and

Whereas, the City must issue requests for qualifications for design services from engineering companies for the design specifications for the Project, and

Whereas, to move this Project forward for construction purposes this Council finds and determines that the Director of Safety and Service should immediately issue requests for qualifications from engineering companies, review the qualifications, and negotiate a contract for design services for the Project.

Now, therefore, be it Ordained by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, Ottawa County, Ohio:

Section 1. The Director of Safety and Service is hereby authorized and directed to issue requests for qualifications from various engineering companies for design services for the Project, and after reviewing the qualifications to negotiate and to enter into an agreement with the design engineering service company he determines is in the best interest of the City for proceeding with the ODOT Small Cities Program Jefferson Street Project.

Section 2. The funds necessary to enter into the Design Services Agreement are hereby appropriated from the Jefferson Street Reconstruction Fund.

Section 3. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and any of its Committees concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council or Committees, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law

Section 4. This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City and for the further reason that his ordinance is required to be immediately effective so that the City may timely move forward with the design of the Jefferson Street ODOT Small Cities Project to meet the

time-lines of the Ohio Department of Transportation, and so that the construction design of the Project may be submitted to ODOT this year for review and approval, Wherefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: _____, 2018

President of Council

Attest: _____

Approved_____20

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Mayor