CITY OF SOUTH LEBANON, OHIO RESOLUTION NO. 2023-04

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND FISCAL OFFICER TO APPLY FOR AN OHIO ENVIROMENTAL AGENCY EQUIPMENT GRANT APPLICATION AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO PROCESS THE APPLICATION WITHOUT DELAY TO THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the deadline for applying for the Ohio Environmental Equipment Grant is January 25, 2023; and,

WHEREAS, the maximum amount for this grant is \$10,000 and there is no matching funding required,

WHEREAS, City Staff has determined that a water valve exercising trailer will help make sure our water department stays in compliance with the Environmental Protection Agency and keep our water valves in working order; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the equipment and training is as follows:

Wheeler Rex Valve Exerciser	\$9,500.00
Training for this equipment	\$500.00

WHEREAS, immediate action is required for the City to timely submit this grant application which is due no later than Wednesday, January 25, 2023, and such action is necessary in order to preserve the public peace, health, safety or welfare of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of South Lebanon, Ohio, at least two-thirds of all members elected thereto concurring:

<u>Section 1</u>. That the Council approves and authorizes the Mayor and Fiscal Officer to apply for the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Equipment Grant, a copy of which is attached hereto.

<u>Section 2.</u> That the City Administrator shall process the executed Application to the Ohio Environmental Agency without further delay.

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<u>Section 3.</u> That the recitals contained within the Whereas Clauses set forth above are incorporated by reference herein.

<u>Section 4</u>. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code § 731.30 for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare; and, this Resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its passage.

<u>Section 5.</u> That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of Council in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Adopted this 19th day of January, 2023. Attest: Petrina D. Williams, Fiscal Officer/	Clerk James D. Smith, Mayor	
Rules Suspended: \ / \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ 2023 (if applicable	e) Effective Date – 1 / 1 9 /2023	
Vote - <u>Q</u> Yeas — Nays		
First Reading – / /2023 Second Reading – / /2023 Third Reading – / /2023	Effective Date – / /2023	
Vote Yeas Nays		
	CERTIFICATE OF POSTING	
Prepared by and approved as to form:	I, Tina Williams, CPA, Fiscal Officer of the City of South Lebanon, Ohio do hereby certify I posted a true and accurate copy of this ordinance or resolution, summary of ordinance or resolution, or statement, order, proclamation, notice or report, at five public places within the City as	
ANDREW P. MEIER		
CITY SOLICITOR		
SOUTH LEBANON, OHIO	authorized by Section 731.25 of the Ohio Revised Code and Ordinance 98-08 of the City of South Lebanon, Ohio	

Fiscal Officer

City of South Lebanon, Ohio