

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY/SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH LJB, INC., FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RELATED TO THE DESIGN OF VARIOUS HIGH VISIBILITY MARKINGS & RRFB SYSTEMIC SAFETY PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the City of Lorain applied for and was awarded funds for the design of systemic pedestrian improvements throughout the City of Lorain via the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) Highway Safety Improvement Program; and,

WHEREAS, this Council passed and adopted Resolution No. 100-25 authorizing the Lorain Safety/Service Director to enter into an agreement with the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT); and,

WHEREAS, the City of Lorain has advertised a Request for Qualifications as required by the Ohio Revised Code Section 153.67 for the purpose of professional services related to the design of the Various High Visibility Markings and RRFB Systemic Safety Project, Project Identification (PID) No., 124448; and

WHEREAS, the firms were rated and ranked; and

WHEREAS, LJB, Inc. was selected as the highest rated firm; and

WHEREAS, the Engineering Department seeks to enter into a professional services agreement with LJB, Inc. in the amount of \$120,894.00, to be paid at 90% by ODOT and 10%, or \$12,089.40, from the City of Lorain from Fund 4010.C401.6300.2305 - ODOT Projects (PIDs).

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

SECTION I: That the Safety/Service Director is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement for professional services with LJB, Inc., for the purpose of design, surveying, construction

management, and any and all services related to the design of the Various High Visibility Markings & RRFB Project, PID 124448, in form substantially similar to Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof by reference, and as approved by the Lorain Law Department.

SECTION II: Professional services for the Various High Visibility Markings & RRFB Project, PID 124448, shall require the City of Lorain to pay LJB, Inc. an amount not to exceed \$12,089.40 as compensation for said professional services.

SECTION III: That the total cost of professional services shall not exceed \$120,894.00, with 90% paid by ODOT and 10% shall be paid from account 4010.C401.6300.2305 - ODOT Projects (PIDs).

SECTION IV: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were conducted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were conducted in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION V: That this Ordinance shall, after passage by Council and approval by the Mayor, take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____, 2026

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: _____, **CLERK OF COUNCIL**

APPROVED: _____, 2026

MAYOR