

ORDINANCE NO. 26-020
Sponsored by Council Member Chris Maxwell

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE FOR, RECEIVE BIDS AND AWARD CONTRACTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING A PARKING LOT AT FRIEDT PARK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WADSWORTH, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for, receive bids for and to enter into a contract for the Friedt Park Parking Lot Project in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the Director of Public Service. The total price to be awarded pursuant to said contract shall not exceed the amounts approved in the 2026 city budget. If it becomes necessary after the contract is entered into, to authorize change orders, such change orders may be authorized so long as the total financial obligation of the city pursuant to the contract including change orders does not exceed the awarded bid amount plus ten percent of the awarded bid amount.

Section 2. That this Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council 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 all legal requirements, including section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety in the City of Wadsworth in order to maintain and improve park infrastructure; WHEREFORE, this ordinance shall go into immediate effect provided it receives a two thirds vote of all members of city council. If it receives approval by a majority of the members but less than a two-thirds vote, then it shall be effective at the earliest time permitted by law.

Passed: _____
President of Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of Council

Approved: _____
Mayor

1st Rdg. _____ 2nd Rdg. _____
3rd Rdg. _____ Passed: yes _____ no _____
Vote: aye _____ nay _____ Immediate Effect: yes _____ no _____

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

I, Julie Darlington, Clerk of Council of the City of Wadsworth, State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the forgoing ordinance was duly published in the *Medina Gazette* and at <http://publicnoticesohio.com/> on _____ and _____ which is for two consecutive weeks as required by section 731.21 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Julie Darlington
Clerk of Council, City of Wadsworth