

TEMPORARY RESOLUTION NO. 124-23

PERMANENT RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PICKLEBALL COURTS AT OLIVEDALE PARK FOR THE LANCASTER PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Lancaster Parks and Recreation Department budgeted to construct and operate eight (8) outdoor pickleball courts at Olivedale Park in 2023 out of fund 2012.5000.56009 (Park Improvements); and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of this project, City Council passed Permanent Resolution 42-23 on March 13, 2023, authorizing the Service-Safety Director ("SSD") to go out to bid in an amount not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00); and

WHEREAS, due to receiving no bids on that project, City Council passed Permanent Resolution 102-23 on October 9, 2023, to permit an alternative procurement method in an amount not to exceed Three Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$375,000.00); and

WHEREAS, that procurement method was not successful either and contractor feedback, as well as additional cost evaluation undertaken by the Assistant City Engineer, indicates that the original engineer's estimate was still approximately Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) too low; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, STATE OF OHIO,

SECTION 1. That the Service-Safety Director is hereby authorized to advertise for bids and enter into a contract for the construction of eight (8) outdoor pickleball courts at Olivedale Park for Lancaster Parks and Recreation, in an amount not to exceed Four Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$425,000.00).

SECTION 2. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the City and for the further reason that this resolution needs to be enacted to schedule construction of the Parks and Recreation Department's pickleball courts as soon as possible; wherefore, this resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: _____ after _____ reading. Vote: Yeas _____ Nays _____

Date Approved: _____

Clerk: _____

Offered by: _____

Second by: _____

Requested by Service Committee

President of Council

Mayor