

ORDINANCE NO. 108-2021

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING EMH&T TO CONDUCT SURVEY, DESIGN, ENGINEERING, AND BIDDING SERVICES FOR A TRAFFIC SIGNAL INTERCONNECT AND PREEMPTION SYSTEM ALONG THE MAIN STREET CORRIDOR (BRICE TO WAGGONER ROADS), APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Whereas, EMH&T will provide survey, engineering, design, and assistance with the bidding process for a traffic signal interconnect and preemption system along the Main Street corridor (Brice to Waggoner Roads); and

Whereas, the City's existing traffic control system will be evaluated for accuracy (timing of signals based on current average daily traffic (ADT) counts, functionality of all pedestrian push buttons and displays and controllers, etc.) and functionality (preemption system added to aid local fire runs, universal battery backup systems in place, etc.), and

Whereas, the estimated cost for the traffic signal interconnect and the preemption system is \$662,000.00; and

Whereas, the total cost for the design, survey, engineering, and bidding services is \$71,000.00 and will be funded through the America Rescue Plan Act (ARPA); and

Whereas, the City has received guidance from the United States Treasury Department that ARPA funds may be utilized for this purpose as a result of the estimated lost revenue from the fiscal year 2019 to 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE; BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO, that:

Section 1. That the Mayor authorize EMH&T to conduct surveying, design, engineering, and bidding services for a traffic signal interconnect and preemption system along the Main Street corridor (Brice to Waggoner Roads).

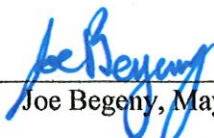
Section 2. That an amount of \$71,000 from the unappropriated American Rescue Plan Fund (206) be appropriated to account 206.000.5659 Miscellaneous Infrastructure.

Section 3. This Ordinance, being an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the financial needs of the City, shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage by Council and the Mayor's signature.

Passed originally the 26th day of July, 2021.
Reconsidered this 13th day of September, 2021.


Leanora Jenkins, Council President

ATTEST: 
Mollie Prasher, Clerk of Council

APPROVED: 
Joe Begony, Mayor

DATE 9/13/2021