ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH SMITH PAVING AND EXCAVATING, INC. FOR THE FY 2019 CDBG MARION OF PARK INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Ordinance # 2020-085 authorized advertising for formal bids to install sidewalks near Patterson Park and a basketball court at Rotary Park, and

WHEREAS, bidders could bid on one or both park projects, and

WHEREAS, on January 19th, 2021 six bids were received for both projects, and

WHEREAS, Smith Paving & Excavating, Inc. submitted the lowest bids for both bids in the amount of \$28,413 for a concrete basketball court at Rotary Park and \$22,577.90 for sidewalks on Patterson St., totaling \$51,020.90 for both projects, and

WHEREAS the FY 2019 CDBG Formula Allocation grant has \$29,000 for Rotary Park basketball Court and \$33,000 for Patterson Park Sidewalks, with \$62,000 budgeted for the combination of both projects.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Marion, Marion County, Ohio:

<u>Section 1.</u> That the Director of Public Service be directed to enter a contract with Smith Paving & Excavating Inc. for the Park Infrastructure Projects in the amount of \$51,020.90

<u>Section 2.</u> That said contract shall be payable from the Community Development Block Grant FY 2019 Formula (Allocation) grant.

<u>Section 3.</u> That it is desirable to allocate the award the contract to ensure that work can begin at soon as weather permits so that the public can utilize the park improvements this spring and summer.

<u>Section 4.</u> That this ordinance is hereby declared an emergency measure necessary for the welfare of the City of Marion and the inhabitants thereof: and as such, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the mayor, provided that it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council: otherwise it shall become effective from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Todd Schneider President of Council

APPROVED:

Mayor Scott Schertzer

ATTEST:

Tarina R. Rose Clerk of Council