ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR REHABILITATION OF RUNWAY 7/25 PAVEMENT AND LIGHTING AND REHABILITATION OF REIL 25 AND APPLY FOR FAA FUNDS AND ODOT FUNDS, AT THE MARION MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

WHEREAS, The Marion Municipal Airport has developed and coordinated with the FAA, a project to address airfield concerns including pavement, lighting, and visual aids. This project includes the rehabilitation of Runway 7/25 pavement and the reconstruction of antiquated lighting systems for Runway 7/25.

WHEREAS, The City of Marion may be eligible for FAA and ODOT Grant Funds and would become known as Project 28 and Project 29, toward a total project estimate of \$1,930,000.

WHEREAS, 90% of total project grant funds are available through the Federal Aviation Administration, 5% of total project grant funds are available through Ohio Department of Transportation. City Council supports the application for any such grant funds.

WHEREAS, The final grant application and final grant award may be offered as a result of these bids.

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

Section 1. That the Safety/Service Director is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for Rehabilitation of Pavement for Runway 7/25 and Reconstruction of Lighting for Runway 7/25 and Runway End Identifier Lights (REIL) Runway 25 at the Marion Municipal Airport.

Section 2. The specifications were prepared by Crawford, Murphy, and Tilly, Inc. of Columbus, Ohio, who was selected per FAA guidelines and authorized by Ordinance 2020-18.

Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 4. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, welfare and safety 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 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		

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