

**ORDINANCE 2014 - 37**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT APPLICATIONS THROUGH THE OKI REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS FOR THE CONGESTION MITIGATION/AIR QUALITY PROGRAM FUNDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SR-741 REALIGNMENT PROJECT AND SNIDER ROAD INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS.**

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City of Mason to seek funds to assist in economic and community development; and

WHEREAS, the OKI Regional Council of Governments (OKI) is soliciting eligible jurisdictions to submit applications for Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ) funding consideration in SFY 2017; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Mason to apply for the Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ) funds to abate a significant portion of its local share financial commitment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mason is responsible for pledging 20% of the total project costs for the proposed construction of the SR-741 Realignment Project and Snider Road Intersection Improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City of Mason hereby resolves:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to submit to the OKI an application for CMAQ funds for the City of Mason's local share portion of the construction of the SR-741 Realignment Project and Snider Road Intersection Improvements

Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Ohio Department of Transportation and OKI for the project and agrees to follow the guidelines as established by the Ohio Department of Transportation for the CMAQ Program.

Section 3. The City of Mason will assume and bear the local share of all costs of the aforementioned project, less the amount of federal funds set aside for this project.

Section 4. The City Manager is authorized to execute and carry out all activities set forth in the application and its implementation.

Section 5. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2014.

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Mayor

Attest:

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Clerk of Council