

**ORDINANCE NO. 2015 – 53**

**AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH FORD DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$6,473,087 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE KINGS ISLAND DRIVE SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

WHEREAS, bids were received for the construction of the Kings Island Drive Safety Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, Ford Development Corporation is the lowest and best bidder with a bid of \$ 6,473,087 for the construction of the Kings Island Drive Safety Improvement Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, seven members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the bid of Ford Development Corporation, in the amount of \$6,473,087 is hereby accepted as the lowest and best bid for the construction of the Kings Island Drive Safety Improvement Project.

Section 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Ford Development Corporation, for the construction of the Kings Island Drive Safety Improvement Project, according to the specifications set forth by the City.

Section 3. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to pay said Ford Development Corporation, an amount not to exceed \$6,473,087 for said construction services.

Section 4. The funds authorized by this ordinance become and they are hereby set aside and appropriated \$250,000 from the General Capital Improvement Fund, \$121,000 from the Storm Water Utility Fund and \$904,000 from the Street Maintenance & Repair Fund for the payments as described in this ordinance.

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

Passed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2015.

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Mayor

Attest:

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Clerk of Council