

RESOLUTION NO. 93-2019

**TITLE: ENTER INTO CONTRACT – ODOT
BRIDGE INSPECTION PROGRAM**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH THE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT) FOR BRIDGE
INSPECTION PROGRAM SERVICES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

The following is a Resolution enacted by the City of Barberton of Summit County, Ohio, hereinafter referred to as the Local Public Agency (LPA).

SECTION 1. Project Description

WHEREAS, the LPA has identified the need for the described project:

Bridge Inspection Program Services, including, but not limited to routine inspections, element level inspections, critical-findings reports, fracture critical member inspections, load rating calculations and reports, weight limits posting sign recommendations, scour assessments, scour plan of actions, development of fracture critical plans, and underwater dive inspection reports if needed.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City of Barberton of Summit County, Ohio.

SECTION 2. Consent Statement

Being in the public interest, the LPA gives consent to the Director of Transportation to complete the above described project.

SECTION 3. Cooperation Statement

The LPA shall cooperate with the Director of Transportation in the above described project as follows:

The State shall assume and bear 100% of all of the cost for Bridge Inspection Program Services requested by the City and agreed to by the State. Eligible Bridge Inspection Services are described in the Consultant's Scope of Services Task Order Contract (Exhibit A).

The LPA agrees to pay 100% of the cost of those features which are not included in Exhibit A. Those features may include but not limited to the purchase and erecting the recommended weight limits postings signs, the implementation of critical findings reports such as partial or total bridge closures, the implementation of the scout plan of actions. When recommendations affect public safety, ODOT expects full implementation by the LPA. Starting in October 2019, FHWA requires installing weight limits posting sign within 30 days from the official date of the approved recommendations. Timely implementation is essential to the success of this program.

SECTION 4. Utilities and Right-of-Way Statement

The LPA agrees that all right-of-right required for the described project will be made available in accordance with current State and Federal regulations.

SECTION 5. Authority to Sign

The Mayor of said City of Barberton is hereby empowered on behalf of the City of Barberton to enter into contracts with the Director of Transportation which is necessary to complete the above described project.

SECTION 6. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were taken 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 meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

SECTION 7. That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Barberton and the inhabitants thereof, in order to expedite the highway project and to promote highway safety, and provided it receives the necessary votes required by the City Charter, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval; otherwise to be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed _____ 2019

Clerk of Council

President of Council

Approved _____ 2019

Mayor