**OFFERED BY: Ms. Kovach** 

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING OHM ADVISORS TO MAKE APPLICATION ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF REMINDERVILLE FOR A NATUREWORKS GRANT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (ODNR) FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO RAY WILLIAMS PARK, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

- **WHEREAS,** the State of Ohio through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) administers financial assistance for public recreation purposes through the State of Ohio NatureWorks Grant, and
- **WHEREAS,** the City of Reminderville, in an effort to enhance recreational facilities available at Ray Williams Park, desires the financial assistance of the NatureWorks Grant Program, and is eligible to apply for a project up to \$150,000.00 and receive up to 50% reimbursement, and
- WHEREAS, it is the desire of this Council to authorize OHM Advisors to apply for said NatureWorks Grant from ODNR; to further authorize Mayor Alonso to accept the grant if awarded, and to execute a contract with ODNR if required; and to authorize OHM Advisors to execute all other non-contract documents necessary to effectuate receipt of the grant, and
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Reminderville, County of Summit, State of Ohio:
- **SECTION 1.** That OHM Advisors is hereby authorized to apply for a NatureWorks Grant from ODNR and that this Council obligates the funds required to complete the project and become eligible for reimbursement under the terms of the NatureWorks Grant Program, as appropriated pursuant to separate ordinance.
- **SECTION 2.** That Mayor Alonso is authorized to accept said grant, if awarded, on behalf of the City of Reminderville and to execute a contract with ODNR, if required; and that OHM Advisors is authorized to execute all other non-contract documents necessary to effectuate receipt of the grant.
- **SECTION 3**. The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.
- **SECTION 4.** That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, comfort, convenience, and general welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Reminderville, to wit: to ensure application in a timely fashion, and if this Resolution receives the necessary number of votes, it shall take effect and be in force after its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed:	
Attestation:	Sam Alonso, Mayor
Stacey Task Clerk of Council	
hereby certify that the foregoing RESO	of the City of Reminderville, Summit County, Ohio do <b>DLUTION 30-2024</b> as duly and regularly passed by the a regular meeting of Council on the day of
	Stacey Task Clerk of Council