ORDINANCE NO. 69-2016

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Ann Marie Donegan

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT AGREEMENT WITH THE OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION (“OTIC”) FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS TO THE STATE ROUTE 252 BRIDGE (COLUMBIA ROAD) OVER THE OHIO TURNPIKE, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, The Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission (“OTIC”) has scheduled maintenance of the State Route 252 bridge over the Ohio Turnpike for 2017; and

WHEREAS, The City desires that certain aesthetic improvements to the parapet and abutment slabs of the bridge be made at the time that the OTIC Commission performs its maintenance of the bridge; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to enter into a bridge improvement agreement with OTIC for purposes of acknowledging the City’s request and responsibility for the costs of the aesthetic improvements of the bridge, all as described on Exhibit “A” attached hereto and incorporated herein as alternate 2 thereof and the City agrees that it shall bear the costs of the aesthetic improvements in accordance with the terms of said agreement. Now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLMSTED FALLS, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into that certain bridge improvement agreement with the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission (“OTIC”) in substantially the form of Exhibit “A” attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, all for purposes of completion of certain aesthetic improvements on the bridge in coordination with the regular maintenance of the bridge by OTIC; that the funds for the costs of said certain aesthetic improvements in the amount of Twenty One Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Eight Dollars ($21,238.00) (alternate 2) are hereby appropriated to pay the costs of same consistent with the terms of said agreement.

SECTION 2. The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance have been taken at open meetings of this Council; and that deliberations of this Council and of its committees, resulting in such formal action, took place in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all statutory requirements including the requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Olmsted Falls for the further reason that it is necessary to
enter into the contract so that the work may be completed on the bridge in coordination with the 2017 schedule of maintenance by the Ohio Turnpike Commission. Therefore, this Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon the affirmative vote of not less than five (5) members elected to Council and approval by the Mayor, or otherwise at the earliest time allowed by law.

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Jay Linn, President of Council

PASSED: ______________________

APPROVED: ___________________  __________________

Ann Marie Donegan, Mayor  Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM: ______________________

Gregory M. Sponseller, Director of Law

ATTEST: ______________________

Angela Mancini, Clerk of Council

First Reading: ______________________

Second Reading: ______________________

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