

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-31

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF WILLOWICK TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING THROUGH THE LAKE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT GRANT PROGRAM, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE APPLICATION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Lake Development Authority administers a Capital Improvement and Development Grant Program for eligible projects within Lake County; and

WHEREAS, the City of Willowick desires to seek funding through said program for an eligible capital improvement project within the City; and

WHEREAS, Council finds that pursuing such outside funding is in the best interests of the City and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOWICK, COUNTY OF LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed, on behalf of the City of Willowick, to prepare and submit an application to the Lake Development Authority for funding through its Capital Improvement and Development Grant Program.

SECTION 2. The Mayor is further authorized to execute such certifications, acknowledgments, application materials, and other documents as may be reasonably necessary to complete and submit the funding application.

SECTION 3. Any grant agreement or other agreement imposing a financial obligation upon the City or otherwise requiring authorization of Council shall be presented to Council for approval prior to execution, unless otherwise authorized by law or prior legislation of Council.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

SECTION 5. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Willowick and for the further reason that the timely submission of the funding application is necessary to preserve the City's eligibility and opportunity to obtain available grant funding; wherefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: _____, 2026

SUBMITTED to the Mayor for his
approval on _____, 2026

ATTEST:

Alyssa Moran, Clerk of Council

Monica Koudela, President of
Council

APPROVED by the Mayor on
_____, 2026

Michael J. Vanni, Mayor