

REQUESTED BY:
SAFFOLD- NOVAK - BROWN

LAW DEPARTMENT
DRAFT NO. 3687

TITLE

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING THE PREPARATION OF THE FY 2017 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION PUBLIC WORKS PROPOSAL FOR THE GOLDEN TRIANGLE INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 12723/17

WHEREAS, The City of Warren in partnership with Howland Township, the Trumbull County Engineer's Office, the Board of Trumbull County Commissioners' Office and Eastgate Council of Governments applied for and was successful in receiving financial assistance through the United States Economic Development Administration's Local Technical Assistance Program for the purpose of developing the Golden Triangle Infrastructure improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Triangle area is an important industrial area in Trumbull County and home of over thirty businesses providing job opportunities for the citizens of our community; and

WHEREAS, the Administration and Warren City Council realizes the significance of the Golden Triangle to the City of Warren; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Plan identifies needed infrastructure improvements in order to retain existing companies and attract new businesses to the area thus providing job opportunities and economic growth; and

WHEREAS, the City of Warren is a participating member of the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Planning Process; and

WHEREAS, extensive business and public participation and input was a part of the development of the recommendations and initiatives contained in the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the recommendations and initiatives contained in the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Plan will improve this hub of industry, potentially create jobs, support existing business, stabilize neighborhoods and enhance and protect natural assets which are shared goals of the City of Warren and its collaborative partners;
NOW THEREFORE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Warren, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the City of Warren authorizes the Trumbull County Grants Manager to prepare the FY 2017 Economic Development Administration Public Works Assistance Program Grant Proposal and Final Application (CFDA #11.300—Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities) for the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Project – Dietz and Industrial Access Road Improvements in the amount of \$900,000.00 in partnership with the Board of Trumbull County Commissioners, the Trumbull County Engineer and Howland Township.

Section 2: That the City of Warren hereby commits \$100,000.00 as matching share for the Economic Development Grant from the 2016 Community Development Block Grant.

Section 3: The commitment of funds reflects the City of Warren's share of the fifty-percent (50%) total project cost of \$1,800,000.00 for the purposes of completing infrastructure improvements within the Golden Triangle Industrial Area including the Dietz Road Reconstruction Project and the Industrial Access Road project identified in the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Plan approved by the City of Warren on October 28, 2015, in partnership with the Board of the Trumbull County Commissioners, the Trumbull County Engineer and Howland Township.

Section 4: That the City of Warren certifies the amount of funds committed herein to the Golden Triangle Infrastructure Improvement Project are available, unencumbered and committed to the projects described herein.

Section 5: That the Council of the City of Warren authorizes the Director of Public Service and Safety, with the authority to execute all documents associated with the proposal, application and any resulting grant.

Section 6: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, welfare and safety without undue delay. WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall go into immediate effect.

Passed in Council this 14TH day of June, 2017.

SIGNED: James Cusker ATTEST: Brenda Smith
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL CLERK

FILED WITH THE MAYOR: 6-14-17

DATE APPROVED: 6-14-17

William D. Lee
MAYOR, CITY OF WARREN, OHIO