Resolution No.: 2025-51 Passed: October 13, 2025

A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF WEST LAFAYETTE, COSHOCTON COUNTY, OHIO, AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FOR THE TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM, (TAP), AND ONCE THE OFFER IS RECEIVED, FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT AND ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS AND AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WEST LAFAYETTE TO ACCEPT ANY MONEY AWARDED TO THE VILLAGE OF WEST LAFAYETTE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio through the Ohio Department of Transportation, (ODOT), Transportation Alternatives Program, (TAP), provides funding for projects defined as transportation alternatives, including on- and off-road pedestrian and bicycle facilities, infrastructure projects for improving access to public transportation and enhanced mobility, community improvement activities, recreational trails, and Safe Routes to School projects; and

WHEREAS, the Village of West Lafayette desires to use these funds for a Bicycle and Pedestrian path along State Route 93 within the Village limits; and

WHEREAS, the Village of West Lafayette desires financial assistance under the Transportation Alternatives Program. Funds will be distributed on a reimbursement basis. Matching funds of 20% of the project cost must be committed and identified.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it Resolved by the Council of the Village of West Lafayette, State of Ohio as follows:

Section 1: That the Council of the Village of West Lafayette approves filing this application for financial assistance under the Transportation Alternatives Program.

Section 2: That the Village Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Transportation and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance.

Section 3: That the Council of the Village of West Lafayette does agree to be eligible for reimbursement under the terms of the Transportation Alternatives Program.

Section 4: That this Resolution shall be declared an emergency for the necessity of health, safety and welfare of the citizens of West Lafayette, Ohio the emergency being the need to meet application deadlines and shall be effective upon passage and signing by the Mayor.

Record of Resolution

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PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 13th day of October, 2025.

Jessica Tubbs, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amy Bourne, Fiscal Officer