

RESOLUTION G2020-102

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF BIDS FOR THE UNION
CEMETERY SIDEWALK PROJECT AND AWARDING THE CONTRACT TO
SMITH CONSTRUCTION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$466,782.00**

WHEREAS, on November 10th, Symmes Township advertised for bids for the Union Cemetery Road sidewalk project in the newspaper and website and set a bid date of December 1, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Trustees have determined that they would like to expand the sidewalk network throughout the Township which includes connecting parks to the neighborhoods located within the Township, making connections between neighborhoods and connecting neighborhoods to commercial service districts; and

WHEREAS, the Township has Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Funds available for this project as it will connect several neighborhoods in the township to the commercial district where the TIF was established and benefit that district; and

WHEREAS, the following bids were received for the 2020 Union Cemetery Road sidewalk project:

1. J&M Smith Construction, Inc. - \$466,782.00
2. Welsh Excavation Co. Inc. - \$468,147.00
3. Filmore Construction LLC - \$496,817.25
4. Adleta Construction - \$517,185.50
5. Tri-State Concrete Construction Inc. – \$576,575.25
6. Fred A. Nemann Co. – \$579,924.50
7. RA Miller Construction Co. – \$579,925.88
8. Prus Construction Co. – \$598,215.90
9. Ford Development Co. – \$631,489.50
10. Brackney Inc. – \$676,570.00
11. Lonkard Construction Co. – \$862,777.50

WHEREAS, bids were accepted and reviewed by the Public Works Director and Choice One Engineering and the Township Administrator recommends that the Trustees award the contract to Smith Construction in the amount of \$466,782.00; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §5571.01, the Board of Trustees may construct, reconstruct, resurface, or improve any public road or part thereof under its jurisdiction within its township.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio:

Section 1. The Symmes Township Trustees hereby accept the bids for the Union

Cemetery Road Sidewalk project and award the bid to Smith Construction in the amount of Four Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-Two Dollars and No Cents (\$466,782.00).

Section 2. The Township Administrator is authorized to sign the contract and complete any necessary paperwork to award the bid.

Section 3. The funds for the sidewalks shall be taken from the Tax Increment Financing District Fund (#14D/2902).

Section 4. The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to Smith Construction in the amount of Four Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-Two Dollars and No Cents (\$466,782.00) once the work is finished and the Public Works Director has given final approval of the project.

Section 5. Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 6. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of the Board concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were taken in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 7. This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

ADOPTED DECEMBER 8, 2020 – RESOLUTION G2020-102

Vote Record: Ms. Leis ____ Mr. Bryant ____ Mr. Beck ____

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Jodie L. Leis, President

Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President

Philip J. Beck, Trustee

ATTEST:

Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jeff Forbes, Law Director