

RESOLUTION NO. 21-01-01

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A RURAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPLICATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$90,000 FOR STREETSCAPE PHASE II IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE NORTH WEST SIDE OF MAIN STREET – To remove 3 sets of unsafe and deteriorating stairs, remove and replace unsafe and deteriorating hand railings and remove and replace brick façade on the ramp/retaining wall

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Board Member L. Zarate and supported by Board Member T. Pewinski.

WHEREAS, the Almont Village Council and Almont Downtown Development Authority have taken deliberate and substantial steps to maintain and enhance Main Street from Washington Street to Stone Street, and

WHEREAS, a significant need exists to enhance pedestrian safety, increase accessibility, and promote new commercial development by removing the unsafe and deteriorating stairs/railings as well as the deteriorating brick façade on the retaining wall. By making these changes and improvements it would then make it safe for pedestrian's walking along Main Street and

WHEREAS, the Village of Almont and Almont Downtown Development Authority have responsibly managed previous Rural Business Development Grant funds issued for the 2019 Almont Streetscape Project and the 2016 Ally Way Project, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Almont Downtown Development Authority supports the submission of a Rural Business Development Grant application in the amount of \$90,000 to the United States Department of Agriculture - Streetscape Phase II improvements by removing the unsafe and deteriorating stairs/railings as well as the deteriorating brick façade on the retaining wall and.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Almont Downtown Development Authority commits up to a 50% cash match up to \$45,000 in the 2021/2022 budget with additional funding provided based on availability.

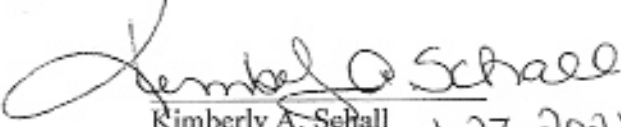
AYES: C. Yarbrough, A. Roosa, L. Kniesteadt, L. Zarate, T. Pewinski, M. Breen, M. Bohm

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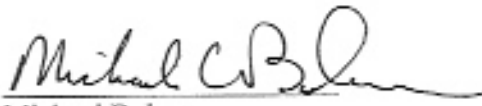
ABSENT: S. Schneider, E. Lane

ABSTAIN:

THIS RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED THIS 27th DAY OF JANUARY, 2021. I, Kimberly A. Schall, DDA Executive Director of the Village of Almont, State of Michigan, do hereby certify that the forgoing Resolution No. 21-01-01 was duly adopted by the Almont Downtown Development Authority during its regular meeting held in the Municipal Building located at 817 N. Main in the Village of Almont on Wednesday, January 27, 2021.


Kimberly A. Schall
Executive Director

1-27-2021


Michael Bohm
Chairman

1-27-2021