

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-24

**A RESOLUTION AWARDING THE 2025 WATER INFRASTRUCTURE
IMPROVEMENTS TO DIRT DAWG EXCAVATING, L.L.C., AND PASSING AS AN
EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio has awarded the Village \$750,000 in State funding through the One Time Strategic Community Investment Grant Program for the 2025 Water Infrastructure Improvements, and

WHEREAS, this project is deemed by Village Council to be necessary for the health, safety and well-being of the community; and

WHEREAS, a substantial portion of the Village's water infrastructure is significantly undersized and certain four-inch water mains have reached the end of their useful life; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of Village Council to pass this ordinance as an emergency, in order to complete this project in the most efficient manner possible; and

WHEREAS, upon publicly advertising for bids according to state law, then opening the seven (7) sealed bids publicly on September 3, 2025, Dirt Dawg Excavating, L.L.C., submitted the lowest bid of \$813,252 for this project; and

WHEREAS, the Village's civil engineering consultant, K. E. McCartney, formally recommends awarding the 2025 Water Infrastructure Improvements to Dirt Dawg Excavating, L.L.C., as this contractor has performed water infrastructure improvements in the past.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Fredericktown, Knox County, Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. Village Council awards the contract for the Village of Fredericktown's 2025 Water Infrastructure Improvements to Dirt Dawg Excavating, LLC.

Section 2. On behalf of the Village, a contract for performing work on the said project shall be signed by the Mayor, or his designee, and by the contractor.

Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest date allowable by law.

PASSED: _____

Jerry Day, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Suzan Graves, Fiscal Officer