From: David B. Koch, P.E.

To: City of Bexley, Ohio, Board of Control

Subject: City of Bexley 2025 Street Improvement Bids Contract A, Recommendation for contract award

Members of the Board,

I have completed the analysis of the bids received for the 2025 Street Improvements Contract A (Asphalt Resurfacing). The attached bid tabulation shows the lowest and best bid for the work is \$782,647.27 from Strawser Paving Company for all the work described in the base bid and alternate bid. The base bid is for the resurfacing and related work for various streets in Bexley while the alternate bid is for the Bexley Pool Parking Lot improvements.

The Bid by Strawser Paving Company is approximately eleven percent (11%) less than the Engineer's Estimate. The bid appears to be fair, reasonable and is recommended for approval.

Strawser Paving Company has displayed acceptable performance and conduct on past projects in the City of Bexley which include the recent 2020, 2015 Street Improvements and 2016 Broad Street Resurfacing Improvements and as a sub-contractor for the 2014 NE Quadrant Water Main and Street Resurfacing Project. They have provided a detailed list of qualifications and are qualified to perform this type and size of project. They have also indicated that they can meet the 5% EDGE goal by subcontracting some of their trucking to be performed by EDGE certified subcontractors.

I therefore recommend the contract be awarded to Strawser Paving Company for the total amount of Seven Hundred Eighty Two Thousand, Six Hundred Forty Seven Dollars and Twenty Seven Cents (\$782,647.27) for the base bid and alternate bid.

Upon receiving your approval, I will prepare a Notice of Award for your signature and then forward the contract documents for signature to the contractor. Upon receiving their signatures I will forward the contracts to you for your review and approval.

Please call me at (614) 949-8102 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

David B. Koch, P.E.
City Engineer

Approved By: City of Bexley Board of Control

Benjamin Kessler
Chair