

TR-2023-5

A RESOLUTION TO APPROPRIATE TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$265,000.00) FROM THE GENERAL, UNRESERVED, UNDESIGNATED FUND BALANCE (FREE CASH) TO ACCOUNT 16610-52460 FOR PEDESTRIAN UPGRADES AT THE INTERSECTION OF SUFFIELD AND SILVER STREETS

(Sponsored by Mayor William P. Sapelli, Councilors Paul C. Cavallo and Rosemary Sandlin)

WHEREAS, the Town of Agawam’s “Free Cash” as of January 9, 2023 has been certified in the amount of thirteen million, six hundred and nineteen thousand, and one hundred and sixty one dollars (\$13,618,161.00); and

WHEREAS, citizens have raise concerns about the lack of handicapped accessibility to the crosswalks at the intersection of Suffield and Silver Streets; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public of Works (“DPW”) has received a quote from VHB to upgrade the crosswalks and install signs, posts and pushbuttons to meet ADA standards; and

WHEREAS, all pedestrian curb ramps at the intersection will be replaced; and

WHEREAS, VHB has submitted a proposal in the total amount of \$265,000 (which includes contingency costs); and

WHEREAS, the DPW has already assigned Chapter 90 funds and other department funds to other road and construction projects in FY23; and

WHEREAS, a free cash appropriation will allow the work to be performed in calendar year 2023.

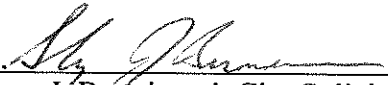
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AGAWAM CITY COUNCIL, that two hundred and sixty five thousand dollars and zero cents (\$265,000.00) shall be appropriated from the general, unreserved, undesignated fund (free cash) to Account 16610-52460 to fund the crosswalk upgrades at the intersection of Suffield and Silver Streets.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2023

PER ORDER OF THE AGAWAM CITY COUNCIL

Christopher C. Johnson, President

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY



Stephen J. Buoniconti, City Solicitor

APPROVED AS TO APPROPRIATION



Cheryl St. John, Auditor