

**ORDINANCE NO. 53-23**

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT AMENDMENT WITH THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (OEPA) FOR THE CONNEAUT CREEK DREDGE MATERIAL FACILITY PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City of Conneaut, County of Ashtabula and State of Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a grant agreement amendment with the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA) for the Conneaut Creek Dredge Material Facility Project (Attached hereto and marked Exhibit "A").

**SECTION 2.** That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council or any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 3.** That this Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure in the interests of public peace, health and safety and to comply grant requirements and, shall take effect immediately.

Passed this 8<sup>TH</sup> day of MAY, 2023.

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk of Council

Ohio EPA—Division of Surface Water  
 State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund Program (SLFRF)

## Request for Revisions to SLFRF Sub-Grant Agreement

**Instructions:** Provide all information in the appropriate spaces. Incomplete information or insufficient details likely will result in our contacting you and delaying our processing of your request. Be sure your request form is **signed** by the Project Representative specified in your SLFRF Grant Agreement. NOTE: Each page of the request must also be initialized by the Project Representative when completing the request.

<b>Project Name</b>	DNRSHLE02_Conneaut Sediment Processing and Retention Facility Project	<b>Project Number</b>	180703
<b>Project Sponsor</b>	City of Conneaut	<b>Telephone</b>	440-593-7401
<b>Project Representative</b>	James Hockaday	<b>E-Mail</b>	<a href="mailto:manager@conneautoh.org">manager@conneautoh.org</a>
<b>Mailing Address</b>	294 Main Street		
<b>City, State &amp; Zip Code</b>	Conneaut, OH 44030		

Signature of Project Representative \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Ohio EPA Use Only							
<b>Date Revision Request Rec'd</b>				<b>Ohio EPA Reviewer</b>			
<b>Reviewer's Recommendation</b>	Approve	Disapprove	Partial*	<b>Final Agency Disposition</b>	Approved	Disapproved	Partial*

Reviewer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date Review Complete \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Approval by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\* Any Disapproval or Partial Approval must include a "Comments Section" completed by the Ohio EPA Reviewer and included on the last page of this request.

**Requests to Extend Project End Date:** Identify the proposed end date and briefly explain reasons prompting the need to revise the project end date. Include a revised project schedule with remaining key milestones to clearly demonstrate that the revised end date will result in the project deliverables being completed within the time frame proposed. Please keep in mind that **any extension must be submitted at least 30 days prior to the grant expiration date** and may not extend more than 12 months from the current expiration date of the grant.

<b>Current Project Period</b> Enter current START & END Dates		<b>Revised Project Period</b> Enter Revised START & END	
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**Information and Details:** Please use space below to provide information and/or detail to justify your request.

**Change in QUANTITY of Deliverables:** Complete the table below by listing all deliverables for which you are proposing to either increase or decrease the quantity of the deliverables listed in your subgrant agreement Appendix A. Be specific and consistent using terms and units of measure consistent with those used in your subgrant agreement Appendix A. Be sure to include reasons for the changes being proposed, including how such changes will affect the outcomes of the original project(s). Any resulting changes to the project budget must be so noted in the Change in Project Budget table.

Appendix A Reference #	DELIVERABLE	ORIGINAL Quantity	REVISED Quantity	Reason for proposed change, including how the revision will affect the outcomes of the project.
SAMPLE Objective 1-- Detail 2	SAMPLE Stream Restored	SAMPLE 1280 linear ft	SAMPLE 2400 linear ft	SAMPLE—Landowner permission was obtained to expand the length of stream restoration sites during project planning. This revision will result in performing less education & outreach in order to use available funds to increase the linear footage of stream to be restored.
Objective (1) Deliverable (7)	Nationwide 38 Permit from USACE and Toxic Wetland Mitigation Credit	0 acres of mitigation credit	7.2 acres of mitigation credit	US Army Corps of Engineers determined this to be toxic (former coal dock) site requiring additional permitting.

**Additional Information and/or Detail:** Please use space below to provide any additional information and/or detail to justify your request.

**Change in TYPE of Deliverables:** Complete the table below by listing any proposed changes to the types of deliverables listed in your subgrant agreement Appendix A. Be specific and consistent using terms and units of measure consistent with those used in your subgrant agreement Appendix A. Be sure to include reasons for the changes being proposed, including how such changes will affect the outcomes of the original project(s), including any changes in the estimated load reductions. Any resulting changes to the project budget must be so noted in the Change in Project Budget table.

Appendix A Reference #	DELIVERABLE	ORIGINAL Detailed Deliverable	REVISED Detailed Deliverable	Reason for proposed change, including how the revision will affect the outcomes of the project.
SAMPLE Objective 2– Detail 3	SAMPLE Riparian Restoration	SAMPLE Hardwood Tree Planting	SAMPLE Willow Post Installation Streambank Stabilization	SAMPLE—Instability and severe slopes within the project area are too steep to be secured with tree planting. We are proposing to revise our tree planting deliverable to installation of willow posts and streambank stabilization BMP. Doing so will restore severely eroded riparian areas and result in a sediment load reduction of approximately 80 tons/year.

**Additional Information and/or Detail:** Please use space below to provide any additional information and/or detail to justify your request.

**Change in Project Budget:** Please enter all applicable information into the columns below. Any proposed revisions to any budget categories requires that the original

budget amount column be completed for ALL categories—not just the category that will be revised. If a category is not being revised, the revised budget column should be the same as the original budget column. Any revisions, must be accompanied by a justification and description of all changes being made in your budget.

Budget Category	ORIGINAL Federal Budget Amount	REVISED Federal Budget Amount	ORIGINAL Match Budget Amount	REVISED Match Budget Amount	Justification and Description of Changes: Provide a summary of your revised budget (by category) and include a brief justification and ITEMIZED breakdown for the amount proposed in each category. For example: Restore 1,000 feet of streambank @\$10/linear foot OR 100 hours @\$15.95/hour for watershed coordinator. ANY budget category being revised MUST be accompanied by a justification and description of the revisions being proposed.
Personnel					
Fringe					
Travel					
Equipment					
Supplies					
Contractual	\$9,000,000				
Other		\$475,500			Additional Required Funding for Nationwide 38 Permit USACE – Mitigation Credits
Cost Share					
Indirect					
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,000,000</b>	<b>9,475,500</b>			

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**COMMENTS:** Any "Partial Approval" or "Disapproval" must include detailed information on the reasons contributing to the Agency's action. This section is to be completed by the Ohio EPA Reviewer, Grant's Administrator and/or Program Manager.

Signature of Ohio EPA Representative completing the Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_