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Lake County Commissioners Approve \$2 Million of American Rescue Plan Act Funds

PAINESVILLE, Ohio, April 28, 2023– Lake County Commissioners approve the use of ARPA funds for the Concord Township Auburn Road Waterline Project, Girdled Road West Waterline Project, and Madison Township Route 20 Sanitary Sewer Project.

Concord Township has identified multiple areas that historically exhibited poor water quality for its residents. The construction/extension of a public waterline will address public health concerns for local residents and provide a “loop” which will increase water pressure in this portion of the township.

US Route 20 in Madison serves as the primary commercial corridor in the Township representing significant long-term growth opportunities. The Madison Township Route 20 Sanitary Sewer Project will provide businesses between Haines Road to Burns Road access to sanitary sewers.

“Madison Township was the first entity to submit a solid project, bundling many projects into one proposal and I thank the townships for their patience through this process,” said Commission President John R. Hamercheck.

“This is yet another example of how we are working to grow the pie. We need to have economic development to fund our priorities and we’re grateful for the strong partnership we have with the Township Association, in particular, I want to thank Administrator Brown, as well as the president of the Township Association, Trustee Morgan McIntosh. It’s been a pleasure working with them on these projects. This sets the table for a lot of exciting things to come,” said Commissioner John Plecnik.

“I hope that the projects in Madison and Concord Townships assist in ongoing business and residential growth. This could not be achieved without the cooperation of the townships and the county. Your hard work is appreciated, thank you,” said Commissioner Richard J. Regovich.

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