ORDINANCE NO. 2020-42

Introduced by: Monty Tapp

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CODIFIED ORDINANCE SECTION 305.01, TRAFFIC CONTROL MAP, AND CODIFIED ORDINANCE SECTION 305.02, TRAFFIC CONTROL FILE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, in May 2020, construction on Phase I of the project for repaving of U.S. Route 6 through the City (the "Project") began in conjunction with the Ohio Department of Transportation ("ODOT"); and

WHEREAS, during the Project, and in conjunction with ODOT, certain modifications to the traffic patterns were required to be made; and

WHEREAS, as a result of these changes, the traffic light at the intersection of Berlin Road and U.S. Route 6, also known as Cleveland Road East, was removed and stop signs were placed upon Berlin Road at the intersection of Route 6/Cleveland Road E.;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HURON, OHIO:

Section 1: That pursuant to Codified Ordinance Section 305.03(b), Amendments, amendments are hereby made to Codified Ordinance 305.01, Traffic Control Map, and Codified Ordinance Section 305.02 as follows:

Traffic at the intersection of Berlin Road and U.S. Route 6, also known as Cleveland Road East shall hereinafter be controlled by stop signs placed upon Berlin Road at the intersection of Route 6/Cleveland Road E., with Route 6/Cleveland Road E having the primary, unimpeded right-of-way.

Section 2: That the Director of Safety shall oversee the erection, removal, and maintenance of only those authorized traffic control signals and devices as are necessary to regulate, warn, or guide traffic in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

<u>Section 3:</u> That the Division of Police shall amend the Traffic Control Map and Traffic Control File in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 4: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of 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 5: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare and for the further reason that, in order to effectively control traffic within the municipality, it is imperative this Ordinance be effective immediately; WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its adoption and upon posting of the authorized traffic control signals and devices to regulate, warn or guide traffic in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Sam Artino, Mayor

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council

ADOPTED: 2 2 DEC 2020