

Sponsor: Hudson

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-30

**A RESOLUTION ABANDONING CERTAIN DAMAGED OR UNNECESSARY
SANITARY SEWER LINES IN MILTON TOWNSHIP, JACKSON COUNTY, OHIO AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the City of Wellston had previously laid out and installed sanitary sewer lines beyond the City limits into parts of Milton Township; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wellston has determined that those lines that extend beyond its current sewer customer World Outreach Ministries are not being used and are in disrepair to the point that they could not support the addition or connection of any sewer customer, and

WHEREAS, the City of Wellston has determined that the shape of those sewer lines is contributing to a great deal of storm water entering the City's sanitary sewer treatment system, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Wellston has determined it to be within the best interest of the City to abandon and disconnect any sanitary sewer lines extending beyond World Outreach Ministries and has determined that this action will not adversely affect any City sewer customer and will benefit the City immensely, and

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF WELLSTON, STATE OF OHIO, as follows:

Section One: That the City of Wellston hereby abandons any City of Wellston sanitary sewer line in Milton Township, Jackson County, Ohio that currently extends beyond the current site of World Outreach Ministries and City personnel are hereby authorized, under the direction of the City Service Director, to take all actions necessary to lawfully and properly disconnect, plug, destroy or remove any line to facilitate the herein approved abandonment and further shall remove the line from any map or drawing of the City's active sanitary sewer line system.

Section Two: This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety of the City of Wellston. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in the Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

Section Three: In the event this Resolution receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, this Resolution shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

Section Four: It is hereby found and determined that all formal acts of this council concerning and relating to adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this council and the deliberations of the council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the legislative authority of the City of Wellston this 17th day of June, 2021.

Keith Woodin Pro Temp
Council President

ATTEST:

M. Barry Pishnagle
Clerk of Council

Approved this 17th day of June, 2021.

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Mayor

Posted 6/18/2021 through 7/18/2021 at The Store, Wellston City Hall, Wellston Senior Citizens' Center, the Wellston Public Library, and the Post Office.