

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Honoring the Distinguished Service of Martin S. Seekely

WHEREAS, on May 16, 2010, Martin S. Seekely (“Marty”) began his service with the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission (“Commission”) as the Chief Financial Officer (CFO)/Comptroller; and

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2015, Mr. Seekely was promoted and thus added Deputy Executive Director (DED) to his title, and whereas, he remained DED/CFO/Comptroller for the remainder of his distinguished career with the Commission overseeing the Accounting, Payroll, and Customer Service Center departments; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure with the Commission, Mr. Seekely has been a proponent of the Commission’s mission to be the industry leader in providing safe and efficient transportation services to our customers, communities, and partners; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Seekely has been instrumental in overseeing the compliance of all bond covenants, along with astute capital and annual operating budget projections; and

WHEREAS, from the time Mr. Seekely started with the Commission, he has been an integral part of over \$2.7 billion in Senior Lien and Junior Lien new money bond issuances and bond refunding transactions. The \$1 billion in bond refunding transactions decreased the Commission’s future debt service payments by approximately \$258 million, which is a net present value savings of approximately \$185 million; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Seekely’s work has been recognized by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (“GFOA”) who have awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for every year in which Mr. Seekely has served the Commission; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Seekely has worked with the major credit rating agencies to maintain the Turnpike’s credit rating to be among the highest of all the toll roads in the country during his tenure with the Commission; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Seekely has been a highly regarded employee whose time with the Commission has served Ohio Turnpike motorists well; and

WHEREAS, the Commission wishes to formally acknowledge Mr. Seekely’s distinguished service to the Commission and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, the members and staff of the Commission wish to give formal and public recognition for the honorable, exceptionally dedicated, and effective service of Martin S. Seekely.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission hereby acknowledges and expresses its gratitude to Martin S. Seekely for his twelve years of dedicated service, and the Commission also considers that the people of the State of Ohio have been fortunate in receiving the unselfish services that he rendered; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commission extends its best wishes to Mr. Seekely, his wife, and their children and grandchildren, and desires that Mr. Seekely have much success and well-being in all matters and activities that he shall undertake in the future; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer be, and hereby he is, directed to send a certified copy of this Resolution to Mr. Seekely.

(Resolution No. 40-2022 adopted June 21, 2022)