

Affirmative Action  
(231)724-6703  
FAX (231)722-1214

Assessor/  
Equalization Co.  
(231)724-6386  
FAX (231)724-1129

Cemetery/Forestry  
(231)724-6783  
FAX (231)724-4188

City Manager  
(231)724-6724  
FAX (231)722-1214

Clerk  
(231)724-6705  
FAX (231)724-4178

Comm. & Neigh.  
Services  
(231)724-6717  
FAX (231)726-2501

Computer Info.  
Technology  
(231)724-4126  
FAX (231)722-4301

Engineering  
(231)724-6707  
FAX (231)727-6904

Finance  
(231)724-6713  
FAX (231)726-2325

Fire Department  
(231)724-6795  
FAX (231)724-6985

Human Resources  
Co. (Civil Service)  
(231)724-6442  
FAX (231)724-6840

Income Tax  
(231)724-6770  
FAX (231)724-6768

Mayor's Office  
(231)724-6701  
FAX (231)722-1214

Planning/Zoning  
(231)724-6702  
FAX (231)724-6790

Police Department  
(231)724-6750  
FAX (231)722-5140

Public Works  
(231)724-4100  
FAX (231)722-4188

SafeBuilt  
(Inspections)  
(231)724-6715  
FAX (231)728-4371

Treasurer  
(231)724-6720  
FAX (231)724-6768

Water Billing  
(231)724-6718  
FAX (231)724-6768

Water Filtration  
(231)724-4106  
FAX (231)755-5290

# MUSKEGON



West Michigan's Shoreline City  
www.shorelinecity.com

April 20, 2023

Michigan Municipal League Foundation  
1675 Green Road  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Dear Bridge Builder Grant team:

As mayor of the great City of Muskegon, I enthusiastically offer my support for our Lakeside Business Improvement District's application for a Main Street Microgrant from the Michigan Municipal League Foundation. The idea of supporting local artists, adding vibrant colors to the Lakeside business district, and calming traffic on Lakeshore Drive are all wonderful and worthwhile reasons for the MML Foundation to fund the Lakeside BID's crosswalk art project.

Lakeshore Drive, running through the Lakeside neighborhood and business district, connects Downtown Muskegon to our Lake Michigan beach at the city's Pere Marquette Park. Lakeside is a key connector to the historic developments transforming our downtown, which include the planned redevelopment of industrial brownfields on Muskegon Lake on the city's West End. Notably, the city invested \$6 million in Lakeside's future in 2019 with nearly a mile of road reconstruction, sewer & water upgrades, and streetscape improvements.

The modest but significant Main Street Microgrant will enhance the quality of life in Lakeside, make Lakeshore Drive safer, and support our local businesses in this unique commercial district within the city. We look forward to a favorable review of the Lakeside BID application.

Thank you for this opportunity and your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ken Johnson'.

Kenneth D. Johnson  
Mayor of Muskegon