ORDINANCE NO. 2022 - 31

AN ORDINANCE REJECTING ALL BIDS FOR THE NATHAN HALE STORMWATER BASIN PROJECT, AND AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO RE-ADVERTISE FOR COMPETITIVE BIDS, AND AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A WRITTEN CONTRACT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER THEREFORE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, all bids received on July 12, 2022 for the Nathan Hale Stormwater Basin Project exceeded the estimate by more than the statutory limit; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized and directed to re-advertise for competitive bids for the Nathan Hale Stormwater Basin Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Parma Heights, County of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio:

<u>Section 1</u>: That all bids received for the Nathan Hale Stormwater Basin Project exceeded the Engineer's estimate in excess of ten percent (10%) of the total cost and are hereby rejected.

<u>Section 2</u>: The expenditure of monies of this municipality for items as noted in the title, which expenditure is now estimated to exceed \$50,000.00, is authorized and directed. The expenditure shall be made from monies appropriated for such purpose.

<u>Section 3</u>: The Director of Public Service is hereby authorized and directed to re-advertise for competitive bids for such expenditure at least once in a newspaper of general circulation within the Municipality and to repost such Invitation to Bid on the City of Parma Heights official web page.

<u>Section 4</u>: The Mayor is authorized and directed to enter into a written contract with the lowest and best bidder after such advertising, said lowest and best bidder to be determined by motion of this Council.

Section 5: This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of the Council and of any of its Committees comprised of a majority of the members of the Council that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 6: This Council declares this Ordinance to be an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, and safety of this municipality, and for the further reason that it is necessary to authorize and direct such expenditure in order that the Mayor may enter into a contract therefore, after competitive bidding in accordance with applicable laws; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage by Council and approval of the Mayor.

MAYOR MARIE GALLO

PASSED: 8-15-22	Thomas Rounds
1	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
ATTEST: Darbara S. allen	8-15-22
CLERK OF COUNCIL	APPROVED
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