

ORDINANCE NO. 2023 - 33

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATION TO ENTER INTO A PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR ONE (1) FIRE APPARATUS WITH A VENDOR QUALIFIED BY THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND AT A STATE PURCHASE PRICE NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, in order to equip the Fire Department, the Fire Chief has solicited quotes for the assembly and purchase of one (1) Fire Apparatus from a qualified vendor authorized by the Department of Administrative Services for the State of Ohio aka State Purchasing Program in an amount not to exceed Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00); and

WHEREAS, Council may authorize the Purchase Agreement pursuant to the State Purchasing Program without competitive bidding process based upon the authority granted to it in Article V Section 6 of the Charter, and Sections 145.08 and 145.09 of the Codified Ordinances.

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

Section 1: That the Administration is hereby authorized and directed to purchase from a vendor qualified by the Ohio Department of Administrative Services one (1) Fire Apparatus and related safety equipment at a state purchase price not to exceed \$2,000,000.00.

Section 2: Council does hereby authorize the purchase of one (1) Fire Apparatus pursuant to the State Purchasing Program without competitive bidding process pursuant to Article V Section 6 of the Charter, and Sections 145.08 and 145.09 of the Codified Ordinances.

Section 3: 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 meeting open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 4: This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the public peace, health, and safety of the Municipality, and for the further reason it is necessary to place an immediate order to secure the vehicle and have the equipment installed for delivery for the efficient operation of the Fire Department, and to provide for emergency services and in the interest of for public health, safety, and public welfare; wherefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage by Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: June 2, 2023

Thomas Rounds
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Barbara Allen
CLERK OF COUNCIL

June 2, 2023
APPROVED

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: June 2, 2023

Marie Gallo
MAYOR MARIE GALLO