

RESOLUTION NO. 2024 - 41

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING WICHERT INSURANCE TO SOLICIT PROPOSALS FOR VARIOUS INSURANCE COVERAGES FOR THE CITY OF PARMA HEIGHTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**WHEREAS**, Wichert Insurance is currently the insurance agent for the City of Parma Heights; and

**WHEREAS**, Council desires to authorize the Administration and Wichert Insurance to solicit proposals for various insurance coverages for the City, including, but not limited to, commercial property, inland marine, crime, automobile, general liability, public officials/employment practices, law enforcement, umbrella, and cyber liability insurance coverages.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** 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 have Wichert Insurance solicit proposals for various insurance coverages, including, but not limited to, commercial property, inland marine, crime, automobile, general liability, public officials/employment practices, law enforcement, umbrella, and cyber liability insurance coverages, at prices that are fair and reasonable to the City.

Section 2: This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution 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 3: This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of said City and for the further reason it is necessary to renew the City's coverages before existing policies expire; wherefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage by Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: May 13, 2024 Thomas Rounds  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Barbara Allen May 13, 2024  
CLERK OF COUNCIL APPROVED

FILED WITH THE MAYOR: May 13, 2024 Marie Gallo  
MAYOR MARIE GALLO