

CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 10° - 2022

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR CONTRACTS, WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING, WITH DLZ OHIO, INC., FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES RELATED TO THE PRELIMINARY EVALUATION OF THE MAIN TRUNK SEWER LOCATED WITHIN THE GORGE METRO PARK, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, DLZ developed the City's Sanitary Sewer Overflow Plan, including ongoing flow monitoring and condition assessment of the Gorge sewer; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial that this work coincides with other projects within the Gorge Metro Park; and

WHEREAS, although no specific expenditure has individually exceeded the threshold competitive bidding amount to date, collectively the expenditures may soon exceed the competitive bidding amount of \$50,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, County of Summit and State of Ohio, that:

<u>Section 1.</u> The Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to enter into a contact or contracts, without competitive bidding, with DLZ Ohio, Inc., for engineering services related to the preliminary evaluation of the main trunk sewer located within the Gorge Metro Park.

<u>Section 2.</u> The Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make payment for same from the Sanitary Sewer Fund, line item Capital Outlay.

<u>Section 3.</u> Any other ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including, to the extent applicable, Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

<u>Section 5.</u> This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the

City of Cuyahoga Falls and the inhabitants thereof and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law.

 Passed: 11-14-2622

President of Council

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Clerk of Council

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