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34 ORDINANCE NO. - 2021

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR CONTRACTS, WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING, WITH ATLANTIC EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS, INC. FOR VARIOUS VEHICLE REPAIRS, SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT USED BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT. AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. has specialized knowledge and expertise in servicing Fire Department vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the City has contracted with Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. for repair services to various Fire Department vehicles throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, although no specific expenditure for these vehicle repairs has individually exceeded the threshold competitive bidding amount to date, collectively these expenditures may soon exceed the competitive bidding amount of \$50,000; and

WHEREAS, due to the high quality of repairs and competitive pricing for equipment and supplies, the City desires to continue using Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. to service various Fire Department vehicles throughout the year and to provide necessary equipment and supplies.

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

Section 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts, without competitive bidding, with Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. for various vehicle repairs, equipment and supplies used by the Fire Department in a total amount not to exceed \$70,000 for the 2021 fiscal year.

Section 2. The Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make payment for same from the General Fund, Fire Department, line item Other Operations.

Section 3. Any ordinances or resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.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 passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any

committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

Section 5. 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: 5-24-2021

President of Council

Clerk of Council

Mayor

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