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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR CONTRACTS, WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING, WITH OHIO DRILLING COMPANY INC. FOR THE INSPECTION, CLEANING, AND ASSOCIATED REPAIRS FOR CITY WELL #5, AND WELL #21 FOR THE WATER DIVISION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the repair work identified during inspection needs to be completed in conjunction with cleaning to put each well back in service as soon as possible; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Drilling has performed work on the City's drinking water wells since at least 1937; and

WHEREAS, the City's goal is to establish a regular cycle for inspecting, cleaning and repairing each of the 18 drinking water wells.

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 Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts, without competitive bidding, with Ohio Drilling Company Inc. for the inspection, cleaning, and associated repairs for City Well #5 and Well #21 for the Water Division.

Section 2. The Director of Finance is hereby authorized to make payment for same from the Water Fund, line item Other Operations for the inspection and cleaning, and Capital Outlay for the repairs.

Section 3. Any ordinances or resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.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 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, to the extent applicable, 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.

5.9-2022 Passed:

President of Council

Clerk of Council

4/25/22

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