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CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 44 - 2023

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR CONTRACTS WITH CTI ENGINEERS, INC., FOR WATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the existing softener building and ion exchange softening system at the Water Treatment Plant is 87 years old, inefficient, and in need of replacement; and

WHEREAS, the current open-air brine treatment system is inefficient, open to the elements, and in need of replacement and updating; and

WHEREAS, optimizing the use of salt brine will minimize chloride discharge to the Cuyahoga River, which is regulated under the City's existing National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit.

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 with CTI Engineers, Inc. for Water Treatment Plant improvements.

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

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 Any other ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

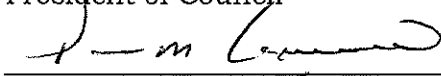
Section 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in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

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Passed: 5-8-2023

  
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President of Council

  
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Clerk of Council

Approved: 5-8-2023

  
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Mayor

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