

ORDINANCE NO. 23-088

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE A SINGLE AXLE TRUCK EQUIPMENT PACKAGE FROM HENDERSON PRODUCTS INC. OF BUCYRUS, OHIO, THROUGH THE SOURCEWELL COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM FOR THE SEWER MAINTENANCE DIVISION; AND DECLARING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE IMMEDIATE EFFECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 14 OF THE CITY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, this City Commission authorized the purchase of a 2024 Freightliner M2 106 2-ton truck from Valley Freightliner, Sterling, and Western Star, Inc. of Parma, Ohio through the State of Ohio Department of Transportation Cooperative Purchasing Program for the Sewer Maintenance Division by Ordinance No. 22-255, passed on December 12, 2022; and

WHEREAS, in order to outfit the truck for its intended use, it is necessary to purchase a Single Axle Truck Equipment Package; and

WHEREAS, Sourcewell's cooperative contract purchasing leverages the national purchasing power of more than 50,000 member agencies while also streamlining the required purchasing process and as a municipal national contracting agency, Sourcewell establishes and provides nationally leveraged and competitively solicited purchasing contracts under the guidance of the Uniform Municipal Contracting Law; and

WHEREAS, the City, as a member of the Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Program (Member ID 68351), desires to purchase a Single Axle Truck Equipment Package that has been competitively bid and made available through the membership from Henderson Products Inc. of Bucyrus, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the total cost for the Single Axle Truck Equipment Package is \$86,025.00 and will be paid with Sewer Capital Funds; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance should be passed as an emergency measure under suspension of the rules in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter to allow the order to be immediately placed as delivery of the vehicle is expected in the next few weeks and so the new vehicle can be operational as soon as possible after delivery; and

WHEREAS, in that it is deemed necessary in order to provide for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, and safety of the City of Sandusky, Ohio, and its citizens, and to provide for the efficient daily operation of the Municipal Departments, including the Department of Public Works, of the City of Sandusky, Ohio, the City Commission of the City of Sandusky, Ohio finds that an emergency exists regarding the aforesaid, and that it is advisable that this **Ordinance** be declared an emergency measure which will take immediate effect in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter upon its adoption; and NOW, THEREFORE,

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SANDUSKY, OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. The City Manager and/or Finance Director is authorized and directed to expend funds for the purchase of a Single Axle Truck Equipment Package from Henderson Products Inc. of Bucyrus, Ohio, through the Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Program (Contract 080818-HPI) for the Sewer Maintenance Division at an amount **not to exceed** Eighty-Six Thousand Twenty-Five and 00/100 Dollars (\$86,025.00).

Section 2. If any section, phrase, sentence, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 3. This City Commission finds and determines that all formal actions of this City Commission concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this City Commission and that all deliberations of this City Commission and of any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 4. That for the reasons set forth in the preamble hereto, this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure which shall take immediate effect in accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter after its adoption and due authentication by the President and the Clerk of the City Commission of the City of Sandusky, Ohio.



RICHARD R. BRADY
PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COMMISSION



ATTEST:

CATHLEEN A. MYERS
CLERK OF THE CITY COMMISSION

Passed: April 10, 2023