

RESOLUTION NO.: 130-2023
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Thomas

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH ADMAR CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES FOR THE EMERGENCY PURCHASE OF A NEW SIDEWALK SNOWPLOW MACHINE.

WHEREAS, the Service Director has advised that the City is in need of a new sidewalk snowplow machine for the 2023-2024 winter season and that the Wacker Neuson WL28 is the only machine currently available that will meet the specifications for turning radius and width of machine for the City's requirements for sidewalk snow plowing, and that the sole source for that unit is Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies, which has one remaining machine available for this winter season;

WHEREAS, due to the urgency of obtaining a sidewalk plow machine for the 2023-2024 winter season that meets the City's specifications and requirements, the purchase of the Wacker Neuson WL28 from Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies constitutes an emergency;

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Service has obtained a quote from Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies to supply the Wacker Neuson WL28 snow plow machine for the purchase price of \$97,425.00, which is \$8,000.00 less than the quote previously submitted to the City by Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies in February of 2023 for this machine;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section VI-3 of the Charter of Richmond Heights, this Council may authorize a contract involving an expenditure of more than twenty-five thousand dollars without advertising for bids if it determines and declares by an affirmative vote of not less than five (5) members that an emergency exists and sets forth the nature of the emergency in its resolution or ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: This Council determines and declares that the purchase of a snowplow for sidewalk plowing that meets the City's required specifications constitutes an emergency for which Council may authorize the purchase without public advertising of the sole available unit before the 2023-2024 winter season from Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies to supply the Wacker Neuson WL28.

Section 2: The Mayor is authorized to enter into a contract with Admar Construction Equipment & Supplies for the purchase of the Wacker Neuson WL28 snow plow machine as quoted for an amount not to exceed Ninety-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Twenty Five Dollars (\$97,425.00).

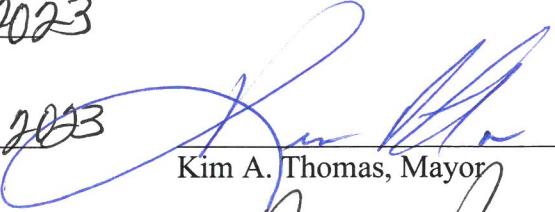
Section 3: The Finance Director is authorized to appropriate funds from Capital Fund No. 201-6450-54650 for the cost of the contract authorized in Section 2.

Section 4: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 5: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: September 26, 2023

APPROVED: September 26, 2023


Kim A. Thomas, Mayor

ATTEST: Donnie Hunter

Donnie L. Hunter
Clerk of Council


Bobby Jordan
President of Council