CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 007-23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE A LUCAS CHEST COMPRESSION SYSTEM FROM STRYKER EMS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Fire Chief recommends the emergency purchase of a LUCAS Chest Compression System to replace a system that is currently not operational to ensure public safety.

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

<u>Section 1</u>. Council for the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the City Manager to purchase one (1) LUCAS Chest Compression System from **Stryker** EMS for the reasons stated above as a sole source provider.

Section 2. Council for the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the Finance Director to appropriate and pay the total of Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars and Seventy-Two Cents (\$14,388.72) from Fund No. 212-1833-00-5-8500-0 to Stryker Medical for said equipment.

Section 3. That actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this legislation 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 including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

<u>Section 4</u>. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the public peace, health, safety, and welfare and for the further reason that the City of Bedford wants to immediately purchase said equipment to enhance services and assist firefighters.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest date permitted by law.

	Victor Fluharty, Vice Mayor-President of Council
	Tracy M. Simons, Clerk of Council
Prepared and approved as to legal content by:	John J. Montello, Law Director

PASSED: January 17, 2023