CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 065-23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH **ABC PIPING INC.** BEING THE LOWEST, RESPONSIVE AND RESPONSIBLE BIDDER, FOR THE BOILER REPLACEMENT PROJECT AT THE MUNICIPAL COMPLEX AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City Manager has heretofore been authorized and directed by the Council of the City of Bedford to advertise for bids for the **Boiler Replacement Project** for the Municipal Complex, and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has caused said advertisement to be made, and has received, opened, and tabulated bids and reported the same to Council in order that the Council may determine the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder, as provided in the charter.

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

Section 1. That the Council hereby finds and determines that said advertisement was duly made according to law for the hereinabove described project, that bids have been received, opened, and tabulated, and reported to the Council, and that the Council after due consideration thereof does hereby find and determine the bid of **ABC Piping Inc. to be the lowest, responsive and responsible bid submitted, that the said bid is hereby accepted and that** the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with the said company in an amount of **\$165,000.00**.

Section 2. The Council of the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the Finance Director to appropriate and pay the sum of \$165,000.00 from Grants Fund No. 213 and Capital Improvements Fund 403 to ABC Piping Inc. for said purchase pursuant to the terms of the contract.

<u>Section 3.</u> It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this legislation were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and 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 Revised Code Section 121.22.

<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 it is immediately necessary for the Council to determine the lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder for the foregoing items, to appropriate funds therefore, and for the City to enter into a contract with the successful bidder at the earliest time.

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

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1st Rdg.: 8/7/23

Stanley C. Koci, Mayor-President of Council

Tracy M. Simons, Clerk of Council

Prepared and approved as to legal content by:

John J. Montello, Law Director

PASSED: August 10, 2023