## CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

## ORDINANCE NO. 085-23

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 9420-16 CONCERNING THE CITY OF BEDFORD PURCHASING POLICY/GUIDELINES TO CONFORM WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, TO CLARIFY PROCEDURES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Finance Director has recommended that Council adopt and amend the City of Bedford Purchasing Policy/Guidelines to conform to changes in the law and to clarify the procedures necessary.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> Council hereby approves, adopts and amends the Purchasing Policy/Guidelines attached hereto and incorporate by reference.

<u>Section 2.</u> This Council finds and determines that all formal action of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with the law.

<u>Section 3.</u> This Ordinance is hereby determined to be an emergency measure necessary to implement the Purchasing Policy/Guidelines to conform to Ohio Law and clarify procedures.

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

Mayor – President of Council

Tracy M. Simons, Clerk of Council

Prepared and approved as to legal content by:

John J. Montello, Law Director

PASSED: November 6, 2023