CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 10,012-22

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH **AECOM** FOR SERVICES RELATING TO THE LEASE OF OVERFLOW MONITORING EQUIPMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has mandated the City to comply with standards.

WHEREAS, the City of Bedford, pursuant to their NPDES Permit, is currently undertaking a No Feasible Alternative (NFA) study to eliminate secondary treatment bypasses at the wastewater treatment plant; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to accurately identify measures to eliminate those bypasses, the sewer collection system was inspected; and

WHEREAS, City's NPDES permit requires that system overflows be monitored and that the number of activations and the quantity of bypassed flow be measured and reported, it has been recommended that the City procure, install and maintain appropriate overflow monitoring equipment; and

WHEREAS, the City has contracted with AECOM as a professional service pursuant to Ordinance No. 9954-22, and the EPA has determined additional Flow Monitors be installed to comply with the NFA Study.

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>. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with **Aecom** for the **Overflow Monitoring Equipment** for the total amount of **Ninety Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents** (\$90,000.00).

<u>Section 2.</u> The Council of the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the Finance Director to appropriate and pay the sum not to exceed **Ninety Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents** (\$90,000.00) from **Fund No. 501-9521-00-5-5750-0** to **Aecom.**

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 it is immediately necessary to meet EPA compliance standards.

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

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	Stanley C. Koci, Mayor-President of Council
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Prepared and approved as to legal content by:	John J. Montello, Law Director

PASSED: September 6, 2022