CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 107-23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH **MONTROSE FORD (MONTROSE)** TO PURCHASE **TWO (2) 2023 FORD EXPLORERS** AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City of Bedford **desires to purchase said vehicles to continue efficient operations** of the Police Department through the State Cooperative Purchasing Contract **#GDC050, Contract RS1016984**.

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 enter into a contract with **Montrose** to purchase **two (2) police vehicles** through the State Cooperative Purchasing Contract for the total amount of **Eighty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Eighty-Four Cents (\$87,317.84)**.

<u>Section 2.</u> The Council of the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the Finance Director to appropriate and pay the sum of **Eighty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Eighty-Four Cents (\$87,317.84)** from **Capital Improvements Fund No. 403** to **Montrose** for said purchase in 2024.

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 declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the public peace, health, safety, and welfare and for the further reason that it is necessary to purchase the vehicles to ensure efficient operation of the department and avoid any price increase.

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

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: December 18, 2023