

CITY OF BEDFORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 036-25

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ENGINEERING SERVICES THROUGH GPD GROUP (GPD) FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE WASTEWATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AT THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (“WWTP”) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City is currently preparing multiple scenarios/programs for an improvement plan associated with the WWTP, these scenarios are based off of the necessary improvements identified during the NFA Analysis, and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that a detailed financial rate analysis with the proposed capital scenarios to show the impact the improvements will have to the rate structure, this information will be presented to the Ohio EPA

WHEREAS, the Administration recommends GPD to develop the Wastewater Improvement Program, and

WHEREAS, these services, including a rate analysis performed by NewGen Strategies & Solutions, total **Thirty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars and Zero Cents (\$35,488.00)**.

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

Section 1. Council for the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute a contract with GPD for the development of the Wastewater Improvement Program at the WWTP in the amount of **Thirty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars and Zero Cents (\$35,488.00)** pursuant to the attached proposal.

Section 2. Council for the City of Bedford hereby authorizes the Finance Director to appropriate and pay GPD Group pursuant to the terms of the contract.

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.

Section 4. This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the City of Bedford, Ohio, and for the further reason, the City immediately needs to continue the analysis.

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

Tracy M. Simons, Clerk of Council

Prepared and approved as to legal content by: _____
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