

TEMPORARY RESOLUTION NO. 99-21

PERMANENT RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO WAIVE COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND DECLARE AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PURCHASE OF PIPE AND OTHER RELATED MATERIALS FOR USE IN THE WHILEY ROAD WATER LOOP PROJECT, AND TO APPROVE ALL THEN AND NOW CERTIFICATES THAT MAY COME FROM THIS PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Lancaster is planning a water system improvement in the vicinity of Whiley Road that requires water line pipe and other related materials to complete; and

WHEREAS, the timely completion of this project is necessary to meet certain obligations for economic development in the Whiley Road area; and

WHEREAS, issues in the current material supply chain have resulted in very long lead times and escalating prices for the pipe and other related materials needed to construct this project, and these lead times could jeopardize the timely completion of this project; and

WHEREAS, the City can minimize delays on this project by ordering the pipe and other related materials directly, weeks before the contractor would be able to order these materials; and

WHEREAS, the cost of these materials is over the Fifty Thousand Dollar (\$50,000.00) statutory limit for bidding; and

WHEREAS, given the supply chain delays and the necessity to complete this project in a timely manner, this is an emergency condition obviating the need for formal bidding and advertising for a contract pursuant to O.R.C. Section 735.051; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the residents to pursue this direct material acquisition;

BE IT RESOLVED BY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, STATE OF OHIO

SECTION 1. That the Service-Safety Director is authorized to waive the competitive bidding requirements and award a contract not to exceed One Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Dollars (\$133,000.00) for materials needed for the Whiley Road Water Loop Project.

SECTION 2. That City Council approves the issuance of Then and Now Certificates pursuant to O.R.C. Section 735.051 for purchase orders related to this purchase.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_ after \_\_\_\_\_ reading. Vote: Yeas \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

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President of Council

Clerk: \_\_\_\_\_

Mayor \_\_\_\_\_

Offered by: \_\_\_\_\_

Second by: \_\_\_\_\_

Requested by Water/Water Pollution Control Committee