

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY DIRECTOR TO PURCHASE A 2022 HME FIRE ENGINE, ALONG WITH ALL NECESSARY ANCILLARY EQUIPMENT UTILIZING THE STATE PURCHASING PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING ANY NECESSARY APPROPRIATIONS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: The Fire Department has an immediate need to replace a fire engine and has identified the appropriate replacement, to wit: a 2022 HME fire engine, and

WHEREAS: The Fire Chief has advised the necessary fire engine is available via the State's Purchasing Program,

BE IT ORDAINED BY the Council of the City of Marion, Marion County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the Safety Director shall be authorized to purchase a 2022 HME fire engine utilizing the State Purchasing Program at the price of \$ 581,342.00. In addition, the Council authorizes the purchase of the necessary ancillary equipment at a price of \$ 50,073.00..

The total cost of \$631,415.00 is authorized by Council. In addition, Council authorizes the purchase be made either by a straight purchase agreement or entering into a lease agreement enabling purchase payments over time in regard to the fire engine. The Council Authorizes the Auditor to transfer the necessary funds to enable the above purchases in respect to the method of purchase as chosen by the Administration.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of the public peace, welfare and safety of the City of Marion and the inhabitants thereof, given the immediate need of the Fire Engine, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council; otherwise it shall become effective from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Todd Schneider
President of Council

Approved:

Mayor Scott Schertzer

Attest:

Clerk of Council

