## AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A 2023 FORD TRANSIT 350 FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Avon Lake has entered into a Cooperative Purchasing Program with the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the State has advertised for bids for a 2023 Ford Transit 350 for the Public Works Department and finds that the bid of Transportation Equipment Sales Corporation (TESCO) of Oregon, Ohio to be the lowest and best bid.

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

<u>Section No. 1:</u> That the bid by TESCO of Oregon, Ohio submitted through the Cooperative Purchasing Program of the State of Ohio, to supply the City with a 2023 Ford Transit 350 for the Public Works Department in an amount not to exceed \$90,000.00 be and it is hereby accepted and approved.

Section No. 2: That upon delivery to this City of the Ford Transit 350, with the proper specifications, to the full satisfaction of the Public Works Director and Director of Finance, the Director of Finance is hereby directed to deliver to TESCO of Oregon, Ohio, the warrant of this City in an amount not to exceed \$90,000.00 and to cause said warrant to be paid.

Section No. 3: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section No. 4: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the need to replace the Public Works Department's van that is used to transport residents to medical appointments, local banks, and shopping centers, and further to take advantage of the State purchase price, thus for the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Avon Lake. Therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: 10/23/2023

POSTED: 10/27/2023

ATTEST: <u>/s/ Valerie E. Rosmarin</u> Clerk of Council

/s/ Martin E. O'Donnell

President of Council

APPROVED: 10/24/2023

/s/ Gregory J. Zilka

Mayor