

REQUESTED BY POLICE CHIEF
APPROVED BY COMMITTEE
OF THE WHOLE
INTRODUCED BY MATT RIEHL

ORDINANCE NO. 2018-70

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH TALLMADGE FOR THE ACQUISITION, INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF A CONSOLIDATED COMPUTER AIDED DISPATCH SYSTEM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Stow operates a Public Safety Answering Point (“PSAP”) through which it dispatches emergency calls to public safety forces;

WHEREAS, Tallmadge currently contracts with Stow to provide dispatch services for emergency calls to Tallmadge’s public safety forces;

WHEREAS, Stow will enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Summit County, Akron, Cuyahoga Falls, Fairlawn, and Green (“CAD PSAP Agreement”) for the procurement of a consolidated Computer Aided Dispatch System (“Consolidated CAD System”) owned by Summit County, for their collective use in each of their PSAP operations and the dispatch operations of their public safety forces and the safety forces of all contracted dispatch communities, including Tallmadge;

WHEREAS, by entering into this Agreement with Tallmadge, as a contracted dispatch client of Stow, Tallmadge shall have access to the shared Consolidated CAD System and will share in the acquisition, installation, and ongoing maintenance costs of the Consolidated CAD System, as further set forth in this Agreement;

WHEREAS, the Parties intend for Stow to serve as a pass-through entity for billing purposes and for Tallmadge to share in all of the benefits and obligations of the attached CAD PSAP Agreement, except where otherwise specified in this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Parties further intend for this Agreement to be construed as a separate legal contract and do not intend for this Agreement to supersede or otherwise amend the Telecommunications Services Agreement for Stow’s provision of dispatch services to Tallmadge entered into by both Parties in 2008;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOW, COUNTY OF SUMMIT AND STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Tallmadge for the acquisition, installation and operation of a consolidated computer aided dispatch system which shall be set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and which is hereby and hereafter made a part of this enactment and incorporated herein by this reference.

SECTION 2. That the Finance Director be, and he hereby is, authorized to appropriate, encumber, and pay funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the attached Agreement and the payment schedules set forth therein.

SECTION 3. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees or subcommittees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

SECTION 4. That this Ordinance was adopted pursuant to Section 4.11, Charter, and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety for the reason that the City needs to meet all project deadlines for this intergovernmental project, and, pursuant to Section 4.13, Charter, shall take effect upon its adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor, otherwise at the earliest period allowed by law.


ADOPTED BY COUNCIL 6/14/18

ATTEST 
Bonnie J. Emahiser
CLERK OF COUNCIL


Matt Riehl
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH MAYOR 6/15/18

FILED WITH CLERK 6/15/18

APPROVED 
Jim M. Costello
MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Amber K. Zibritosky
LAW DIRECTOR

EFFECTIVE DATE 6/15/18