

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2019-89 AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE FOR THE PURCHASE THREE (3) ADDITIONAL SETS OF TURNOUT GEAR FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FROM PREFERRED SOURCE AND SOLE SOURCE VENDOR FIRE FORCE, INC., AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, City Council approved per Ordinance No. 2019-89, passed May 9, 2019, the purchase of twenty (20) sets of Turnout Gear for the Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the Service Director has requested authorization for the purchase of three (3) additional sets of Turnout Gear for three (3) new hires at an additional amount of \$6,342.36 from preferred source and sole source vendor Fire Force, Inc. for the Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the purchase is exempt from public bidding pursuant to C.O.S. 173.07(a)(1)G and C.O.S. 173.07(b)(1)D; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 173.10, C.O.S., the total amount of the expenditure requires legislative approval by this Council.

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

SECTION 1. That the Finance Director be, and he hereby is, authorized to appropriate, encumber, and pay funds in an amount not to exceed Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Two Dollars and 36/100 (\$6,342.36) to preferred source and sole source vendor Fire Force, Inc. for the purchase of Turnout Gear for the Fire Department.

SECTION 2. 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 3. 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 we must replace faulty equipment used to protect our safety forces in a timely manner, 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 7.25.19

ATTEST Lorree Villers
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CLERK OF COUNCIL

Matt Riehl
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PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH MAYOR 7.24.19

APPROVED John Pribonic
John Pribonic
MAYOR

FILED WITH CLERK 7.29.19

APPROVED AS TO FORM

EFFECTIVE DATE 7.29.19

Brendan Mackin
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LAW DIRECTOR