

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**  
**2024 Legislative Summary**  
**NORTHEAST OHIO MUNI FOOTBALL LEAGUE**

**DIVISION:** Recreation

**ORDINANCE NO:** 309-2024

**LEGISLATIVE PURPOSE:** An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into a contract with Northeast Ohio Muni Football League, aka Cleveland Municipal Football Association dba Cleveland Muni Football League to conduct a citywide youth football program.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** To conduct a citywide youth football program to provide youths an opportunity to play football and cheerlead in a supervised, organized, and safe environment, and to promote the ideals of sportsmanship, scholastics and physical fitness. To aid and assist in combating juvenile delinquency by providing and promoting the physical and emotional well-being of young athletes.

**CONTRACT TERMS:** One-year contract: April 2024 – November 2024

**ESTIMATED AMOUNT:** \$160,000.00 - The Northeast Ohio Muni Football League uses this amount to supplement costs as follows:

- \$40,000.00 - Insurance
- \$54,000.00 - Field Staff (regular season)
- \$15,255.00 - Field Staff (play-off season)
- \$30,245.00 - Security (regular/play-off season)
- \$3,000.00 - Parking Lot Attendants
- \$5,000.00 - Awards
- \$7,000.00 - Flag Football
- \$3,000.00 - Awards Office Support Staff and Supplies
- \$2,500.00 - Cheerleading Activities

**PREVIOUS CONTRACT:** Contract No. CT-7004-PS-2023-014 - \$160,000.00

**PROGRAM BACKGROUND:** Northeast Ohio Muni Football League has been in existence for over 90 years. More than 93,000 youth from the ages of 6-14 have participated in the program.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The team age divisions are as follows:

Termites ages 6-7	Juniors ages 8-9	Peewees ages 10-11	Bantam Weights ages 13-14
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The Teams play on Wednesday, Saturdays and Sundays beginning at 9:00 a.m. and practice at designated practice sites during the week. Games are played at the following sites:

John F. Kennedy	Robert Bump Taylor	James F. Rhodes	Luke Easter Park
Central Catholic	John Marshall	Dwayne Browder Field	Collinwood Stadium
John Adams	Benedictine		