

Ordinance No. 377-2019

Council Members: Keane and Kelley (by departmental request)

An emergency ordinance authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts of duct line, street lighting bases and pull boxes, labor and materials necessary to install, repair, replace or maintain the duct line, street lighting bases and pull boxes, and other related incidentals, for the Division of Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities, for a period up to two years, with two one-year options to renew, the first of which requires additional legislative authority.

WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Utilities is authorized to make one or more written requirement contracts under the Charter and the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, for the requirements for a period up to two years, with two one-year options to renew, of the necessary items of duct line, street lighting bases and pull boxes, labor and materials to install, repair, replace or maintain the duct line, street lighting bases and pull boxes, and other related incidentals, in the approximate amount as purchased during the preceding term, to be purchased by the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies on a unit basis for the Division of Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities. The first of the one-year options to renew may not be exercised without additional legislative authority. If such additional legislative authority is granted and the first of the one-year options to renew is exercised, then the second of the one-year options to renew may be exercisable at the option of the Director of Public Utilities without the necessity of obtaining additional authority of this Council. Bids shall be taken in a manner that permits an award to be made for all items as a single contract, or by separate contract for each or any combination of the items as the Board of Control determines. Alternate bids for a period less than the specified term may be taken if desired by the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies until provision is made for the requirements for the entire term.

Section 2. That the costs of the contract or contracts shall be charged against the proper appropriation accounts, and the Director of Finance shall certify the amount of the initial purchase, which purchase, together with all later purchases, shall be made on order of the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies under a requisition against the contract or contracts certified by the Director of Finance. (RQN 2004, RL 2019-6)

Section 3. That under Section 108(b) of the Charter, the purchases authorized by this ordinance may be made through cooperative agreements with other governmental agencies. The Director of Public Utilities may sign all documents that are necessary to

make the purchases and may enter into one or more contracts with the vendors selected through that cooperative process.

Section 4. That this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 15, 2019.

Effective April 17, 2019.