Ordinance No. 501-2022

By Council Members Bishop and Griffin (by departmental request)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to employ one or more professional consultants and testing firms to perform various construction activities and design projects for roads, bridges and City facilities, for a period up to two years.

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 Capital Projects is authorized to employ by contract or contracts one or more consultants and testing firms or one or more firms of consultants and testing firms for the purpose of supplementing the regularly employed staff of the several departments of the City of Cleveland in order to provide professional services necessary to perform various construction activities and design projects for roads, bridges and City facilities, including but not limited to services for material testing, environmental testing, geotechnical engineering, environmental engineering, land acquisition, structural engineering, bridge inspection, transportation engineering for roads, bridges retaining walls and slope stability analysis, and assistance with City tree damaged sidewalk program, for a period up to two years.

The selection of the consultant or consultants for the services shall be made by the Board of Control on the nomination of the Director of Capital Projects from a list of qualified consultants available for employment as may be determined after a full and complete canvass by the Director of Capital Projects for the purpose of compiling a list. The compensation to be paid for the services shall be fixed by the Board of Control. The contract or contracts authorized shall be prepared by the Director of Law, approved by the Director of Capital Projects, and certified by the Director of Finance.

Section 2. That the cost of the contract or contracts authorized shall be paid from Fund Nos. 20 SF 568, 20 SF 574, 20 SF 579, 20 SF 586, 20 SF 592, 20 SF 597, 20 SF 702, and any other funds approved by the Director of Finance. (RQS 0103, RL 2022-64)

Section 3. 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.

SM:nl 5-16-2022 FOR: Interim Director DeRosa

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