

Ordinance No. 535-2022

By Council Members McCormack and Griffin (by departmental request)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the purchase and/or rental by one or more requirement contracts of heavy-duty equipment, snow removal equipment, large capacity trucks, other equipment with operators, and any necessary labor, materials, or equipment needed for snow and ice removal, for the various divisions of the Department of Port Control, for a period of two years, with two one-year options to renew, the first of which shall require 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 Port Control 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 of two years, with two one-year options to renew, of the necessary items of the purchase and/or rental by one or more requirement contracts of heavy-duty equipment, snow removal equipment, large capacity trucks, other equipment with operators, and any necessary labor, materials, or equipment needed for snow and ice removal, for the various divisions of the Department of Port Control in the approximate amount as purchased and/or procured during the last term, to be purchased and/or procured by the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies on a unit basis for the various divisions of the Department of Port Control. The first of the one-year options to renew shall 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 shall be exercisable at the option of the Director of Port Control, 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.

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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 any purchase and/or procurement under the contract, each of which purchases and/or procurements shall be made on order of the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies by a delivery order issued against the contract or contracts and certified by the Director of Finance. (RQN 3001, RL 2022-30)

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

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5-23-2022
FOR: Director Kennedy

