

# Ordinance No. 575-2022

By Council Members Kazy and Griffin  
(by departmental request)

## AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to exercise the first option to renew Contract No. PS 2021-28 with Itron, Inc. to provide automated meter reading maintenance and services, for the Department of Public Utilities.

WHEREAS, under the authority of Ordinance No. 370-2020, passed June 17, 2020, as amended by Ordinance No. 276-2021, passed May 17, 2021, the Director of Public Utilities entered into Contract No. PS 2021-28 with Itron, Inc. to provide automated meter reading maintenance and services, for the Department of Public Utilities; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 370-2020, as amended, requires further legislation before exercising the first option to renew on this contract; and

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 exercise the first option to renew Contract No. PS 2021-28 with Itron, Inc. to provide automated meter reading maintenance and services, for the Department of Public Utilities, in the amount of \$716,000. This ordinance constitutes the additional legislative authority required by Ordinance No. 370-2020, as amended, to exercise this option. (RQS 2002, RL 2022-63)

Section 2. 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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6-6-2022  
FOR: Director Keane

