

**Ordinance No. 144-2019**

**Council Members:** Johnson and Kelley (by departmental request)

**An emergency ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into one or more concession agreements for the operation of a first-class food and beverage service in the Public Auditorium and Conference Center, for a period not to exceed three years, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Works.**

**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 notwithstanding any provision of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, to the contrary, the Director of Public Works is authorized to enter into one or more concession agreements on the basis of competitive proposals, for the operation of a first-class food and beverage service in the Public Auditorium and Conference Center, for a period not to exceed three years, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Works. The selection of the concessionaire shall be made by the Board of Control on the nomination of the Director of Public Works.

**Section 2.** That the concession agreements authorized shall be prepared by the Director of Law.

**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.

**Passed March 4, 2019.**

**Effective March 5, 2019.**