

RESOLUTION NO. R-13-14

A RESOLUTION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR A CELLULAR BASE AUTOMATIC WATER METER READING SYSTEM FOR THE AVON UTILITY DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Administration, together with the Avon Utility Department, has determined that it is necessary to move to a cellular base automatic water meter reading system for all water/sanitary sewer accounts in the City of Avon; and

WHEREAS, the project would include, but not be limited to, the comprehensive installation of new e-meters, cellular endpoints and required infrastructure to communicate meter reading information; and

WHEREAS, Council, having reviewed the water meter change out program and discussing the need for implementation within the City Administration, deems it in the best interests of the health, welfare and safety of the citizens of Avon that the Utilities Department move forward with advertising for bids for the purchase of a cellular base automatic water meter reading system to more effectively monitor consumption of water by the system's users.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, COUNTY OF LORAIN AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1 - That the Utility Department is hereby authorized to request proposals and/or advertise for bids for the complete installation of a cellular base automatic water meter reading system pursuant to plans and specifications prepared and submitted by the City Engineer which are on file and open for inspection at the Office of the Clerk of Council.

Section 2 - That the City shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Section 3- That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council of the City of Avon concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council of the City of Avon and that all deliberations of this City's Council and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 4- That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon, the immediate emergency being the necessity to advertise for bids for a cellular base automatic water meter reading system for the Avon Utility Department; therefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Resolution No. R-13-14 (Con't)

PASSED: _____

DATE SIGNED: _____

By: _____
Craig L. Witherspoon, Council President

DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: _____

Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

John A. Gasior, Law Director

ATTEST:

Ellen R. Young
Clerk of Council

Posted: _____
In Five Places as
Provided by Council

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