

Proposed: 4/17/2017

RESOLUTION NO. 41-2017 (PSH), *Second
Reading*

By Council Member Seren

A Resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Lebanon Ford, for the purchase of three (3) new, 2017 Ford Utility Explorers for the Police Department through the Ohio Department of Administrative Services Cooperative Purchasing Program; providing compensation therefor; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has determined there is a need to purchase three (3) new, 2017 Ford Utility Explorers for the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Section 171.11 of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances authorizes the purchase of machinery, materials, supplies, and other articles through the Administrative Services Cooperative Purchasing Program without obtaining competitive bids; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has determined that the selected vehicles may be purchased from Lebanon Ford through this State Cooperative Purchasing Program at a lower price than could be obtained through bidding, and that it would be in the City's best interests to purchase said vehicles by this means.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. The City Manager be, and she is hereby, authorized to enter into an agreement with Lebanon Ford for the purchase of three (3) vehicles for the Police Department through the Ohio Department of Administrative Services Cooperative Purchasing Program, in accordance with the requirements Section 171.11 of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances. The agreement shall provide for the purchase of three (3), new 2017 Ford Utility Explorers for the Police Department at a total cost not to exceed Seventy-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Six Dollars (\$79,806). The City reasonably expects that the cost of all such expenditures will be paid with the proceeds from the City's issuance of tax-exempt notes or bonds. All agreements hereunder shall be approved as to form by the Director of Law.

SECTION 2. Notice of the passage of this Resolution shall be given by publishing the title and abstract of its contents, prepared by the Director of Law, once in one newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cleveland Heights.

SECTION 3. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the need to meet vendor deadlines and to

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equip the Police Department as soon as possible. Wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

CHERYL L. STEPHENS, Mayor
President of the Council

MITCHELL MICHALEC
Acting Clerk of Council

PASSED: