

THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 19-119

INTRODUCED BY: Antoskiewicz, Petrusky, Marnecheck
Co-Sponsor: Langshaw

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH UTILITY INC. FOR BODYWORN CAMERA AND VEHICLE VIDEO AND COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$247,100.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: Council desires to authorize the purchase of Utility Inc. “BodyWorn” camera and vehicle video and communications systems, training and support services for the North Royalton Police Department; and

WHEREAS: The city seeks to obtain the equipment, training and support services offered through Utility Inc. without public bidding in conformity with the single-source procurement policy of the Department of Administrative Services; and

WHEREAS: It is necessary to provide for the funding of said purchase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a five year, zero percent interest agreement with Utility Inc. for “BodyWorn” camera and vehicle video and communications systems for the North Royalton Police Department in an amount not to exceed \$247,100.00, with annual payments of \$49,420.00, pursuant to terms and conditions approved by the Director of Law and substantially similar to a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated as if fully rewritten.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary in order to provide additional protection for the police and the public and for the preservation of evidence obtained in the lawful pursuit of the police function.

THEREFORE, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

/s/ Paul F. Marnecheck
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: /s/ Larry Antoskiewicz
MAYOR

DATE PASSED: January 7, 2020

DATE APPROVED: January 8, 2020

ATTEST: /s/ Dana A. Schroeder
DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

First reading December 17, 2019
Second reading suspended
Third reading January 7, 2020

YEAS: Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Langshaw
Weimer, Wos

NAYS: none

ABSENT: Dietrich