



CITY OF PATASKALA

RESOLUTION 2020-065

Passed October 19, 2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH AERATION INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL TO RENT AND INSTALL LAGOON AERATION EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Pataskala operates and maintains a Water Reclamation Facility; and

WHEREAS, the City's Water Reclamation Facility must use a lagoon treatment system, which must have a higher level of dissolved oxygen for proper operation, during an upgrade construction project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pataskala recently learned it needs to rent specialized aeration equipment to increase the dissolved oxygen levels in the lagoons for proper aeration during the pendency of the Water Reclamation Facility upgrade; and

WHEREAS, Aeration Industries International provided a quote of \$49,224.00 to rent this equipment for four months. Installation will be an additional cost and will be performed by a local subcontractor.

WHEREAS, while the reasonably anticipated cost of this project (equipment rental and installation) will be over \$50,000, Council for the City of Pataskala believes this expenditure and its contract constitute a real and present emergency arising in connection with the operation and maintenance of the department of utility service (i.e., an emergency expenditure), and therefore, competitive bidding and advertising is not required.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PATASKALA, COUNTY OF LICKING, STATE OF OHIO, A MAJORITY OF MEMBERS PRESENT CONCURRING THAT:

Section 1: Council for the City of Pataskala hereby authorizes and directs the City Administrator to execute a contract, in an amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$60,000.00), with Aeration Industries International to rent and install specialized aeration equipment to increase the dissolved oxygen levels in the lagoons during the Water Reclamation Facility upgrade construction project.

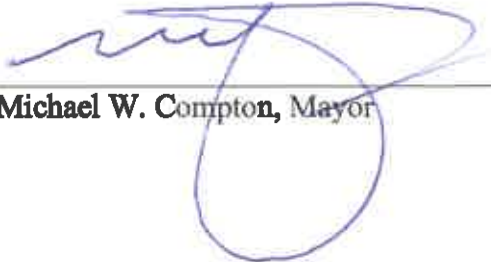
Section 2: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of Council and that all deliberations of the Council and any of the decision-making bodies of the City of Pataskala which resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of the State of Ohio.

Section 3: This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest time allowed by the Charter of the City of Pataskala.

ATTEST:




Kathy M. Hoskinson, Clerk



Michael W. Compton, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Brian M. Zets, Law Director