

RESOLUTION NO. 96-2015 (MS)

By Council Member Yasinow

A Resolution authorizing an agreement with AdvizeX for the purchase, installation, and maintenance of a Storage Access Network; providing compensation therefor; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City's current Hewlett Packard Storage Access Network is aging and lacks sufficient available storage space; and

WHEREAS, at the direction of this Council and the City Manager, the City's Management Information Services Department ("MIS Department") has researched various options for the upgrade of the Storage Access Network ("SAN"); and

WHEREAS, the City Manager, after consultation with the MIS Department, recommends that the City's current Hewlett-Packard SAN be replaced with a new Hewlett-Packard SAN to significantly improve server infrastructure performance and provide opportunities for future expansion; and

WHEREAS, the selected SAN is available from AdvizeX at a price twenty-eight percent (28%) below the Ohio Department of Administrative Services Cooperative Purchasing Program price; and

WHEREAS, Section 171.02(bb) of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances authorizes the purchase or lease of goods and services without obtaining competitive bids where the price for such goods or services is less than the price that would be obtained through the Ohio Department of Administrative Services Cooperative Purchasing Program.

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 execute an agreement with AdvizeX for the purchase and installation of a Hewlett-Packard Storage Access Network, in accordance with the requirements set forth in Section 171.02(bb) of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances. The agreement shall not exceed the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Twenty-Five Dollars (\$110,025). 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 and related documents 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.

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SECTION 3. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the need to avoid operational failure of City equipment and maintain the provision of essential City services. 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.

DENNIS R. WILCOX, Mayor
President of the Council

TOM RAGUZ
Clerk of Council

PASSED: August 3, 2015