

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE FAIRVIEW CEMETERY EXPANSION PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Village owns and maintains West Richfield Cemetery and Fairview Cemetery and offers cemetery lots to residents of the Village, residents of the Township of Richfield, and to nonresidents who were residents of the Village or Township for a minimum of ten years, and to their children; and

WHEREAS, the Village has a finite number of cemetery lots available in the West Richfield Cemetery and the Fairview Cemetery; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that it must expand Fairview Cemetery to accommodate the demand for cemetery lots in the Village cemeteries; and

WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the Fairview Cemetery expansion have been prepared by Behnke Landscape Architecture and include tree clearing, grubbing, topsoil stripping, site grading, storm sewers, storm water pollution prevention, asphalt roadway construction, topsoil placement, seeding, landscaping and associated restoration ("Fairview Cemetery Expansion Project"); and

WHEREAS, full bid specifications for the Fairview Cemetery Expansion Project are now on file in the office of the Service Director; and

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to authorize the Service Director to advertise for bids for the materials and construction of the Fairview Cemetery Expansion Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Richfield, Summit County, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Service Director is authorized and directed to advertise and solicit bids for the Fairview Cemetery Expansion Project in accordance with the specifications and drawings now on file in the office of the Service Director.

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, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

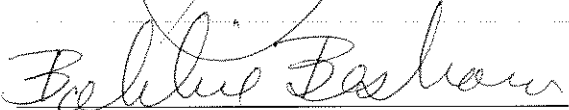
Section 3. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary in order to allow contractor bidding on the Fairview Cemetery Expansion Project to move forward at the earliest possible time to facilitate additional Village cemetery lots; wherefore, provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of

the members of Council elected or appointed, it shall take effect immediately upon passage and execution by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: 2-20-18

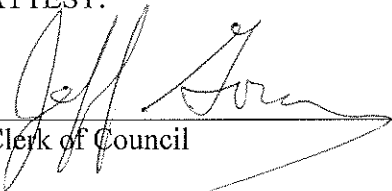


President of Council



Mayor

Dated: 2/20/18

ATTEST:


Clerk of Council