

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO PURCHASE TWO FORD POLICE HYBRID EXPLORERS FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM MONTROSE FORD THROUGH THE STATE OF OHIO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Village is a member of the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, the Village desires to purchase two (2) Ford Police Hybrid Explorers for the Police Department from Montrose Ford through the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program; and


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

- SECTION 1. The Mayor and the Finance Director are hereby authorized and directed to purchase two (2) Ford Police Hybrid Explorers for the Police Department from Montrose Ford for a 2021 delivery date for a total not to exceed \$100,000.00 through the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program.
- SECTION 2. Because this purchase is made under the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program, Council waives the requirement for competitive bidding pursuant to Section 141.03(f) of the Richfield Codified Ordinances.
- SECTION 3. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of 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 4. 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 acquire the two (2) Ford Police Hybrid Explorers for the Police Department to facilitate the provision of police department and safety services at the earliest possible time; 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 its 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: 1-19-2021

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

  
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Mayor

  
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Clerk of Council

Dated: 1/21/2021