

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND FINANCE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GPD GROUP FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE PERIOD 2014-2015.**

WHEREAS, the prior agreement between the Village of Richfield and GPD Group for Village Engineer services has expired; and

WHEREAS, GPD Group has proposed an increase in the hourly rates for services contained in Section 2.1(c) of the agreement, as set forth below:

	Previous Hourly Rates <u>2012-2013</u>	Proposed New Rates <u>2014</u>
Principal Project Manager	\$135.00	\$135.00
Village Engineer/Senior Architect	\$100.00	\$102.00
Design Engineer/Architect/Landscape Architect	\$85.00	\$88.00
Staff Engineer/Architect/Landscape Architect	\$77.00	\$80.00
Environmental Specialist	\$74.00	\$74.00
Senior Designer	\$74.00	\$74.00
Staff Designer	\$63.00	\$64.00
CAD Drafter	\$53.00	\$53.00
Inspector	\$60.00	\$60.00
Project Aid/Clerical	\$48.00	\$48.00
Professional Surveyor	\$95.00	\$95.00
2-man Survey Crew	\$110.00	\$110.00
1-man Robotic Survey Crew	\$83.00	\$83.00

and

WHEREAS, the Village desires to authorize an extension of the contract with GPD Group through December 31, 2015.

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

SECTION 1. That the Mayor and Finance Director be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to enter into an agreement with GPD Group to serve as the Village Engineer, substantially in accordance with the agreement attached hereto as Exhibit "A", subject to final approval of the Director of Law.

SECTION 2. The term of the agreement with GPD Group shall be January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2015.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: 3-18-14

*Rich Hudak*  
President of Council

*Bobley Baslan*  
Mayor

Dated: 3/18/14

ATTEST:

*Patricia S. Healey*  
Clerk of Council, pro Tem