

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR TRASH HAULING IN THE VILLAGE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the current contract for trash hauling in the Village terminates at the end of 2022; and

WHEREAS, the new contract bids will seek semi-automated and fully-automated price quotes, or service cost if the Village purchases trash cans for residents; and

WHEREAS, the bid package will request that the bidding contractor work with the Summit-Akron Solid Waste Authority (“SASWA”) to help promote and assist the Village with meeting the requirements of the SASWA annual recycling grant, by providing the Village with monthly trash and recycling data, which is done under the current trash hauling contract; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the Director of Public Service have recommended advertisement for bids for trash hauling in the Village for a three-year term with two one-year extension options in accordance with the plans and specifications currently on file with the Director of Public Service.

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

SECTION 1. The Mayor and Director of Public Service are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for trash hauling in accordance with the plans and specifications currently on file with the Director of Public Service for a three-year term with two one-year extension options.

SECTION 2. 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 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 obtain bids and award a trash hauling contract before the end of the current extended term, so that there is no lapse in trash hauling service for Village residents; 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.