

RESOLUTION NO. 33-2021 (MS)

By Council Member Dunbar

A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Ganley Ford, Inc., for the purchase of four 2021 Ford Utility Police Interceptors and related equipment for the Police Department; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has determined there is a need to purchase four 2021 Ford Utility Police Interceptors and related vehicle upfitting equipment for the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the selected vehicles are available through Ganley Ford, Inc. for Thirty-Two Thousand Ninety Dollars, (\$32,090.00) each, which is 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; and

WHEREAS, the related vehicle upfitting equipment, which does not require competitive bidding under Section 171.02 of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances because the total value is less than Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), is also available through Ganley Ford, Inc. at below market prices; and

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 any and all agreements necessary for the purchase of four 2021 Ford Utility Police Interceptors, in accordance with the requirements set forth in Section 171.02(bb) of the Cleveland Heights Codified Ordinances. The purchase price for said vehicles shall not exceed the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Eight Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$128,360.00).

SECTION 2. The City Manager be, and she is hereby, further authorized to execute any and all agreements necessary for the purchase of the police vehicle upfitting related equipment. The purchase price for said equipment shall not exceed the sum of Twenty-Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars and Forty Cents (\$28,766.40).

SECTION 3. All agreements and related documents hereunder shall be approved as to form by the Director of Law.

SECTION 4. 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 5. 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 equip the Police Department with the referenced vehicle and equipment as soon as possible. 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.

JASON S. STEIN
President of Council

AMY HIMMELEIN
Clerk of Council

PASSED: April 5, 2021