

TITLE

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF WARREN, OHIO TO SOLICIT REQUESTS FOR QUALIFICATIONS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT(S) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES TO THE CITY OF WARREN, OHIO FOR PHASE I OF THE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY REFURBISHMENT PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 12756/17

WHEREAS, the City of Warren, Ohio owns, operates and maintains a public Water Pollution Control Facility (WPC) for the purpose of converting waste water to clean water in conformation with all Government and EPA Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Water Pollution Control facility has not been upgraded since 1987, a total of 30 years and is in need of refurbishment in order to continue to meet EPA standards and retaining the City's EPA Permit; and

WHEREAS, the City of Warren has performed a needs assessment to determine its capital improvement priorities and the estimated costs of refurbishment in order to complete and submit a project nomination for the WPCLF (Water Pollution Control Loan Fund) to secure a low interest loan from the above mentioned WPCLF; NOW THEREFORE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Warren, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the Mayor and Director of Public Service and Safety be, and are hereby, authorized, for and on behalf of the City of Warren, Ohio to solicit requests for qualifications from engineering firms to enter into a contract(s) according to law to design improvements to the Water Pollution Control Facility and including the Pump Stations that is necessary to obtain funding from the WPCLF (Water Pollution Control Loan Fund).

Section 2: That any contract to be entered into or participated in to design improvements to the Water Pollution Control Facility and including the Pump Stations shall first be approved by the Law Director, and the City Auditor, be and hereby is, authorized to disburse said funds upon receipt of the proper vouchers, signed by the proper persons, for the stated purpose and for no other purpose.

Section 3: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, welfare and safety of the City of Warren, and for the further reason to maintain the integrity of the City of Warren's Waste Water Facility and Pump Stations. WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this 21st day of November, 2017.

SIGNED: [Signature]
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: [Signature]
CLERK

FILED WITH THE MAYOR: 11-21-17

DATE APPROVED: 11-21-17

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MAYOR, CITY OF WARREN, OHIO