

Resolution 2-23

A Resolution authorizing the Public Utilities Board of Control to enter into contracts, without bidding, each for a one-year period, for additional annual purchases for various services and supplies required by The Department of Public Utilities, Orrville, Ohio, for year 2023, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, additions to the annual purchases for various services and supplies are needed due to market shortages, strong consumer demand, supply issues related to COVID, and prices and escalated delivery times.

WHEREAS, the purchase of water and electric meters and components, and chemicals for all three utilities will be added to the annual resolutions in the Fall of 2023, unless the demand, supply issues and/or pricing deescalates.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Orrville, Ohio:

Section 1: That the Public Utilities Board of Control is hereby authorized to enter into contracts each for a period of no more than one (1) year for 2023 for the following:

- A. The purchase of water and electric meters; and
- B. The purchase of chemicals for all three utilities.

Section 2: That it is hereby declared that bidding is not required pursuant to Codified Ordinance Section 155.02.

Section 3: That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate protection and preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare of the residents of the City of Orrville, and for the further reason that it is necessary for the timely purchase of necessary services and supplies. Therefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage by Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed this 17 day of January, 2023.



President of Council

Attest:



Clerk of Council

Approved:



Mayor, City of Orrville

1/17/23

Date