

PASSED: March 16, 2016  
BY: Conway

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-13

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO PURCHASE  
POLICE-FIRE RADIOS

WHEREAS, the Village and its residents depend on the Police and Fire Departments to serve and protect the community;

WHEREAS, Police and Fire rely on radios as a crucial piece of equipment for essential communications;

WHEREAS, the radios currently being used by the Village are outdated, past their useful lives, and generally in need of repair, upgrades, and/or replacement;

WHEREAS, Hamilton County recently invested \$30 Million in new communications equipment to improve regional public safety communications, upon which the Village Police and Fire Departments rely, but the new system is incompatible with the Village's existing equipment;

WHEREAS, the Police-Fire Committee met to consider the purchase of new radios for the Police and Fire Departments, and recommends the purchase of 25 new APX6000 700/800 Model 2.5 portable radios from the vendor Motorola Solutions;

WHEREAS, the funds to purchase the radios have already been budgeted in an amount in excess of the cost of the new radios and all of the equipment needed to support the radios;

WHEREAS, Council finds and determines it is in the best interest of the Village and its residents to purchase the new radios and equipment, and that the price of \$78,000 through the State Bid process is necessary and reasonable;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF AMBERLEY VILLAGE, STATE OF OHIO, seven (7) members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That Council hereby approves, authorizes and directs the Village Manager to purchase 25 new APX6000 700/800 Model 2.5 portable radios and equipment needed to support the radios from the vendor Motorola Solutions at a price not to exceed \$78,000. Over and above that amount, the Village Manager is authorized to pay any reasonable administrative fees charged as a condition of participating in the State of Ohio Purchasing Contract.

SECTION 2: This purchase is being made through the State of Ohio Purchasing Contract. This resolution shall be considered by the State as a request for the Village to

participate in the State of Ohio Purchasing Contract under ORC 125.04 and 5513.01. The Village agrees to be bound by such terms and conditions as the State prescribes and that the Village will directly pay the vendor under the purchase contract.

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

Passed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2016.

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Mayor Thomas C. Muething

Attest:

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council

I, Clerk of Council of Amberley Village, Ohio, certify that on the \_\_\_\_ day of March 2016, the forgoing Resolution was published pursuant to Article IX of the Home Rule Charter by posting true copies of said Resolution at all of the places of public notice as designed by Sec. 31.40(B), Code of Ordinances.

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council