

Village of Bolivar, Ohio

Ordinance Number: O-9-2024

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE GPD GROUP FOR ENGINEERING & DESIGN FEES IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$174,458; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Village of Bolivar, Ohio desires to approve an expenditure to GPD Group, its designated professional design contractor and engineer, for engineering and design fees in an amount not to exceed \$174,458; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.C. 9.29, R.C. 153.65, and otherwise set forth in the Ohio Revised Code, the Village of Bolivar has retained GPD Group as professional services provider and/or professional design services contractor to perform engineering and design services on a multi-year basis and therefore the Village of Bolivar is not required to comply with any competitive bidding provisions set forth in the Ohio Revised Code.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BOLIVAR, COUNTY OF TUSCARAWAS, STATE OF OHIO, A MAJORITY OF ITS MEMBERS ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING, THAT:

SECTION 1. The Legislative Authority for the Village of Bolivar hereby approves and authorizes expenditure to GPD Group for engineering and design services in a total amount not to exceed \$174,458.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to R.C. 9.29, R.C. 153.65, and otherwise set forth in the Ohio Revised Code, the Village of Bolivar has retained GPD Group as professional services provider and/or professional design services contractor to perform engineering and design services on a multi-year basis and therefore the Village of Bolivar is not required to comply with any competitive bidding provisions set forth in the Ohio Revised Code and any such requirement is hereby waived.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance repeals all previous Ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith.

SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and related to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare for the reason that such services are immediately necessary to be completed and to capture potential grant funding; and, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED IN COUNCIL this 4 day of April 2024.

Attest:

Mayor Robert Lloyd

Maria App, Fiscal Officer

Approved as to Legal Form by:

Stephan P. Babik, Village Solicitor