

RESOLUTION 2020-15

INTRODUCED BY: MAYOR MICHAEL DYLAN BRENNAN

A Resolution Authorizing the Sale of the 1992 Pierce Ladder Truck to the Put-in-Bay, Ohio Fire Department in the Amount of \$16,500.00 (on emergency)

WHEREAS, University Heights Fire Department (UHFD) will be conducting a final inspection of the new Sutphen Tower Ladder Truck on February 18, 2020 with the anticipation that the apparatus to be delivered to Richfield, OH on February 24, 2020 for the installation of tools and equipment along with communication devices; and

WHEREAS, this should allow for department training on the apparatus to commence on the approximate date of March 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, UHFD's current 1992 Pierce ladder truck has been in/out of service continuously over the last few years. Most recently the ladder truck failed it's 2019 annual aerial ladder test rendering the truck out-of-service since September 14, 2020; and

WHEREAS, since September, the truck has been in various repair shops to determine the most appropriate plan of action. Ultimately, a number of the repairs needed to be made and approved by the manufacturer. These repairs were estimated to cost approximately \$9,000. Due to the age of the apparatus and the timing of the delivery of the new ladder truck it was not recommended to complete the costly repairs; and

WHEREAS, selling used fire apparatus can be very challenging. Current standards such as the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) require apparatus to be maintained to a high level of functionality and operability. The Insurance Services Office (ISO) Public Protection Classification (PPC) can also be impacted by not meeting these standards; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code 505.101 authorizes the purchase or sale by a township of equipment from any political subdivision of the state without competitive bidding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. That the 1992 Pierce Ladder Truck as it is no longer needed for a municipal purpose by the City of University Heights.

SECTION 2. Authorization is hereby granted for the sale of the 1992 Pierce Ladder Truck to the Putin Bay, OH Fire Department per the attached purchase agreement in the amount of \$16,500.00.

SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance of all legal requirements.

SECTION 4. This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest time allowed by law.

CITY OF UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS, OHIO


MICHAEL DYLAN BRENNAN, MAYOR

PASSED: 02/19/2020

ATTEST:


KELLY M. THOMAS, CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


LUKE F. MCCONVILLE, LAW DIRECTOR