

ORDINANCE NO. 2003-124

**AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH
PIERCE MANUFACTURING FOR THE REPAIR OF QUINT 51 FIRE TRUCK,
DETERMINING A PUBLIC EXIGENCY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, Quint 51 was involved in a traffic accident and sustained significant damage; and

WHEREAS, Quint 51 is the front line response vehicle for the Station 51 area, and is vital to the quality level of fire protection deemed necessary for the citizens of Mason. Due to the extent of the damage, and the complexity of the vehicle's mechanical and electrical operation, it was decided that the vehicle would best be repaired by the manufacturer, Pierce Manufacturing; and

WHEREAS, Pierce Manufacturing has submitted a proposal to perform said repairs for the sum of \$38,678.00; and

WHEREAS, a public exigency exists requiring the work to be performed by Pierce Manufacturing, as the truck was built by Pierce Manufacturing and has the unique knowledge to properly complete the repairs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, seven members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Pierce Manufacturing for the repair of Quint 51 fire truck.

Section 2. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to pay Pierce Manufacturing the sum of \$38,678.00 for said repair work.

Section 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare and shall be effective immediately upon its passage. The reason for said declaration of emergency is the need to perform the work at the earliest possible date, to return the vehicle to service as soon as possible.

Passed this 27th day of October, 2003.

Attest:



Clerk of Council



Mayor

10/24/2003