ORDINANCE 2022 – 73

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH ALL SAFE INDUSTRIES FOR THE PURCHASE OF HAZARDOUS GAS DETECTION EQUIPMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

- **WHEREAS**, the Fire Department recommends that the current hazardous gas detection equipment utilized to manage hazardous gas emergency responses be replaced with more reliable modern technology; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Fire Department has researched the detection equipment available to meet response needs in the City of Mason and has received competitive quotes to replace current hazardous gas detection equipment; and
- **WHEREAS**, All Safe Industries quoted the best price for (4) MSA Altair 5X hazardous gas detectors and the necessary accessory equipment; and
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, 5 members elected thereto concurring:
- <u>Section 1.</u> That, upon replacement, the current hazardous gas detection equipment owned by the City of Mason is hereby declared to be obsolete or unfit for emergency response purposes.
- Section 2. That the City of Mason accepts the quoted price and agrees that All Safe Industries is the best bidder for the recommended hazardous gas detection equipment.
- Section 3. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with All Safe Industries to purchase (4) MSA Altair 5x hazardous gas detectors and accessory equipment.
- **Section 4.** That it is found to be in the best interest of the City to purchase the hazardous gas detection equipment prior to the quote that expires on May 21, 2022.
- Section 5. That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to pay All Safe Industries the sum of up to \$34,900 for (4) MSA Altair 5x hazardous gas detectors and accessory equipment.
- <u>Section 6.</u> 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 provide proper and reliable equipment in order to maintain the safety of residents and first responders during hazardous gas emergencies.

Passed this 9 th day of May, 2022.		
Attest:	Mayor	
Clerk of Council		