## **ORDINANCE 2022 – 103**

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH DEERE & COMPANY FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE JOHN DEERE 1600 WIDE AREA MOWER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$71,303 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio has advertised and received bids for the purchase of vehicles and equipment under the State Bid Program; and

WHEREAS, Deere & Company was the best bidder with a bid of \$71,303 for the purchase of one John Deere 1600 Wide Area Mower for use by the City.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> That the City of Mason accepts the State's equipment specifications and agrees that Deere & Company is the best bidder.

<u>Section 2.</u> That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Deere & Company for the purchase of one John Deere 1600 Wide Area Mower.

<u>Section 3.</u> That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to pay Deere & Company the total sum of \$71,303 for said equipment.

<u>Section 4.</u> That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall be effective immediately upon its adoption. The reason for said declaration of emergency is the need to execute the contract at the earliest possible date.

Passed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2022.

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	Mayor
Attest:	
Clerk of Council	