

TEMPORARY RESOLUTION NO. 90-23

PERMANENT RESOLUTION NO. 92-23

A RESOLUTION TO INCREASE AND DECREASE APPROPRIATIONS IN THE GENERAL FUND (1001) FOR THE PURCHASE OF FOUR (4) FORD INTERCEPTOR POLICE CRUISERS FOR USE BY THE LANCASTER POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, this resolution is for the purchase of four (4) Ford Interceptor police cruisers for use by the Lancaster Police Department (“LPD”) as the department’s current fleet has deteriorated resulting in increased vehicle repair costs and necessitating replacements; and

WHEREAS, funding these purchases during Ford’s first ordering window in October will help LPD contend with Ford Motor Company’s manufacturing delays and allow LPD to order before every other political subdivision that budgets for these purchases annually in January, thereby expediting delivery; and

WHEREAS, while LPD did not budget for the purchase of these four (4) vehicles in its 2023 Vehicle line item, funds were appropriated into its Improvements line item 1001.1325.56090 for the HVAC Project that will now not occur until 2024 due to delays in the bidding process; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these four (4) vehicles will cost an estimated Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00); and

WHEREAS, LPD can transfer Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) from 1001.1325.56090 (Improvements) to 1001.1325.56050 (Vehicles) to help complete this purchase; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, STATE OF OHIO,

SECTION 1. That the City of Lancaster Auditor complete an appropriation decrease and increase for the following accounts:

DECREASE:

1001.3250.56090, Improvements	\$200,000.00
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INCREASE:

1001.3260.56050, Vehicles	\$200,000.00
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SECTION 2. This resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the City and for the further reason that this resolution must be effective when Ford’s first ordering window opens in order to expedite the delivery of new patrol vehicles for use by LPD; wherefore, this resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: 9/11/23 after 2nd reading. Vote: Yeas 9 Nays 0

Date Approved: 9/11/23

Clerk: Jeresa Lee Bondy

Offered by: Don H. McWarren

Second by: Jay E. Cook

Requested by Finance Committee

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President of Council
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Mayor