

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-67

AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A NEW PIERCE
FREIGHTLINER FIRE ENGINE UTILIZING THE STATE OF
OHIO'S COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM AND THE
DISPOSAL OF A DECOMMISSIONED FIRE ENGINE

WHEREAS, Section 9.12 of Article IX of the Charter of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio, provides the method under which the City Manager shall make purchases and enter into contracts on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Blue Ash has been participating in the State of Ohio's Cooperative Purchasing Program since the late 1980s, which is coordinated by the Ohio Department of Administrative Services, Office of State Purchasing, and represents the result of a formal bid process at the State level relating to the acquisition of certain supplies, vehicles, services, equipment and materials; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department requests authority to purchase a 2019 Freightliner Pumper from Finley Fire Equipment through the State of Ohio's Cooperative Purchasing Program (Contract # 800721) for an amount not to exceed \$300,000, and authorization to trade in the 2002 decommissioned fire engine due to extensive corrosion, at a trade in value of \$10,000; and

WHEREAS, Section 113.01 of the Blue Ash Code of Ordinances authorizes the sale of surplus property no longer needed for municipal purposes; and

WHEREAS, since the estimated trade in value of the 2002 fire engine is \$10,000, Council approval for sale/disposal of the cruisers is necessary; and

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio,

SECTION I.

The City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase a 2019 Freightliner Pumper from Finley Fire Equipment, Ohio through the State of Ohio's Cooperative Purchasing Program (Contract # 800721) for an amount not to exceed \$300,000, including authorization to trade in the decommissioned 2002 fire engine.

SECTION II.

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to expend the necessary funds therefor; which funds are hereby appropriated.

SECTION III.

This resolution shall be in full force and take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED this 13th day of December, 2018.

Thomas C. Adamec, Mayor

Jamie K. Eifert, Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan E. Pacheco, Solicitor