

ORDINANCE NO. 2009-77

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO RENEW AND
ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL
ELECTRICAL INSPECTION SERVICES IN 2010 WITH
INSPECTION BUREAU, INC.; AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY

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 certain purchases and enter into contracts on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, there exists a need to provide electrical safety inspections for all construction on behalf of the City to satisfy the Ohio Building Code (OBC), Ohio Residential Code, and local ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development office recommends renewal of the agreement with Inspection Bureau, Inc., to provide such professional services.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio, not less than five (5) members thereof concurring,

SECTION I.

The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Inspection Bureau, Inc. to provide electrical safety inspections and plan examinations within the boundaries of the City of Blue Ash during 2010 based upon IBI's standard governmental fee schedule for 2010. Any requirement to follow formal bidding procedures, if any, are hereby waived in light of the professional services nature of the work to be performed.

SECTION II.

The Treasurer and Deputy Treasurer are hereby authorized to expend the necessary funds therefor, which funds are hereby appropriated.

SECTION III.

This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio; the reason for the emergency being the need to provide for continued necessary electrical inspection services. Therefore, this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

PASSED this 10th day of December, 2009.

Mark F. Weber, Mayor

Jamie K. Eifert, Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark A. Vander Laan, Solicitor