

RESOLUTION NO.: 42-2016  
INTRODUCED BY: MAYOR ROCHE

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION  
IN THE ODOT WINTER CONTRACT (018-17) FOR ROAD SALT;  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Richmond Heights (hereinafter referred to as the "Political Subdivision") submits this written agreement to participate in the Ohio Department of Transportation's (ODOT) annual winter road salt bid (018-17) in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 5513.01(B) and agrees to all of the following terms and conditions in its participation of the ODOT winter road salt contract:

- a. The Political Subdivision agrees to be bound by all terms and conditions established by ODOT in the winter road salt contract and acknowledges that upon award of the contract by the Director of ODOT it shall be bound by all such terms and conditions included in the contract; and
- b. The Political Subdivision acknowledges that upon the Director of ODOT's signing of the winter road salt contract, it shall effectively form a contract between the awarded salt supplier and the Political Subdivision; and
- c. The Political Subdivision agrees to be solely responsible for resolving all claims or disputes arising out of its participation in the ODOT winter road salt contract and agrees to hold ODOT harmless for any claims, actions, expenses, or other damages arising out of the Political Subdivision's participation in the winter road salt contract; and
- d. The Political Subdivision hereby requests through this participation agreement a total of 750 tons of Sodium Chloride (Road Salt) of which the Political Subdivision agrees to purchase from its awarded salt supplier at the delivered bid price per ton awarded by the Director of ODOT; and
- e. The Political Subdivision agrees to purchase a minimum of 90% of its above-requested salt quantities from its awarded salt supplier during the contract's effective period of October 1, 2016 through March 31, 2017; and
- f. The Political Subdivision agrees to place orders with and directly pay the awarded salt supplier on a net 30 basis for all road salt it receives pursuant to ODOT winter salt contract; and
- g. The Political Subdivision acknowledges that should it wish to rescind this participation agreement it will do so by written, emailed request by no later than Wednesday, June 1, 2016. The written, emailed request to rescind this participation agreement must be received by the ODOT Office of Contract Sales, Purchasing Section email: [Contracts.Purchasing@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:Contracts.Purchasing@dot.ohio.gov) by the deadline. The Department, upon receipt, will respond that it has received the request and that it has effectively removed the Political Subdivision's participation request. Furthermore, it is the sole responsibility of the Political Subdivision to ensure ODOT has received this participation agreement as well as the receipt of any request to rescind this participation agreement. The Department shall not be held responsible or liable for failure to receive a Political Subdivision's participation agreement and/or a Political Subdivision's request to rescind its participation agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into this participation agreement for the ODOT winter road salt contract and by his signature below, this participation agreement for the ODOT winter road salt contract is hereby approved, funding has been authorized, and the Political Subdivision agrees to the above terms and conditions regarding participation in the ODOT winter salt contract.

Section 2. This Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare and for the further reason that it is necessary to go into effect immediately necessary in order to meet ODOT's May 27, 2016 deadline for submission of this Resolution to ODOT; and therefore, provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of five members of Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor, otherwise, from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_  
David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Betsy Traben  
Clerk of Council  
Eloise Cotton-Henry  
President of Council

