

RESOLUTION NO.: 101 -2008
INTRODUCED BY: Mayor and All Council

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, LODGE #57, FOR THE YEARS 2007 THROUGH 2009; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City, by and through its Mayor and special labor counsel, have attempted to negotiate a collective bargaining agreement with representatives of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #57, and the terms of the agreement have now been finalized by the report and award of a conciliator under Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4117, dated October 28, 2008, and the terms of which have been reviewed by Council; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to authorize the Mayor to execute the agreement on behalf of the City and to give the same effect as of January 1, 2007;

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

Section 1: The Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to execute an agreement between the City of Richmond Heights and the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #57, setting forth salary, hours, terms and conditions of employment with the City, to be effective as of January 1, 2007 and to remain in effect through December 31, 2009, in the form as approved by the Director of Law.

Section 2: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3: This Resolution is hereby determined to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Richmond Heights by reason of the need to authorize an agreement for employment conditions for members of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #57, as the same affects the day-to-day operation of the City and, therefore, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: _____

Daniel J. Ursu, Mayor

APPROVED: _____

ATTEST: _____

Betsy Traben
Clerk of Council

David H. Roche
President of Council