

INTERNAL MEMORANDUM

Office of the City Administrator

Springdale, Ohio

July 15, 2022

To: Mr. Thomas Vanover
President
Springdale City Council

From: John J. Jones
City Administrator



Re: Report on Pending and Future Legislation

Item I

An Ordinance Authorizing Contributions to Certain Health Accounts of Full-Time Employees of the City of Springdale Related to the City's Health Insurance Plan and Declaring an Emergency

Since the City joined the Center for Local Government Benefits Pool (CLGBP) to provide medical insurance coverage for all full-time City employees, Springdale has funded a portion of the employees' Health Savings Accounts (HSA) or Health Reimbursement Accounts (HRA). The City funded the accounts at 100% the first year of the program and 50% of the employees' deductible for medical coverage every year since. The medical deductibles for the 2022-2023 plan year remain at the current year levels of \$2,800 for single coverage and \$4,000 for family coverage.

The Administration is again recommending that Council fund the single and family coverage at 50% of the deductible. Therefore, the contribution amounts in 2022 would be \$1,400 for single coverage and \$2,000 for family coverage. Contributions made to the accounts of new full-time employees would continue to be prorated consistent with the approved schedule.

An ordinance, with an emergency clause, authorizing the funding of certain health accounts of full-time City employees on the City's Health Insurance Plan will be before Council at the **07/20/2022** meeting. The emergency declaration is needed to authorize the contributions by the start of the insurance plan year, August 1.

Item II

An Ordinance Accepting a Proposal Under the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program and Authorizing the Mayor and Clerk of Council/Finance Director to Enter into an Agreement with Horton Emergency Vehicles in the Amount of \$355,427 for the Purchase of a New Ambulance and Declaring an Emergency

The Finance Committee will be meeting with City staff on 7/20/2022 to discuss a proposal to purchase a new ambulance for the Fire Department. If recommended by the Finance Committee, an ordinance authorizing the purchase using the vendor and pricing under the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program (State of Ohio bid process) will be presented to Council. The ambulance designed by the Springdale Fire Department from the State bid list is a Ford F-550 ambulance fabricated by Horton Emergency Vehicles in the amount of \$355,427. The current production time for an ambulance is estimated at twenty (20) months from the date of order.

An ordinance, with an emergency clause, accepting a proposal under the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program and authorizing the Mayor and Clerk of Council/Finance Director to enter into an agreement with Horton Emergency Vehicles in the amount of \$355,427 for the purchase of a new ambulance may come before Council at the **07/20/2022** meeting.

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