

**CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, OHIO**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2014 - 207**

**By: Mr. Schonhut**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 OF ORDINANCE NO. 2014-010 TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR AMOUNT AUTHORIZED FOR THE PURCHASE OF SERVICES AND SUPPORT FOR VIDEO PROCESSING AND SURVEILLANCE, FORENSIC AND FRAUD PREVENTION, DATA NETWORK ENGINEERING, AND COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE FOR USE BY VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY, INCLUDING THE NEW CONSOLIDATED DISPATCH CENTER, BY THE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATION & TECHNOLOGY, UNDER THE UNITED STATES GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION CONTRACTS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, by and through Ordinance No. 2014-010, Council authorized the Mayor to request authority in the name of the City of Strongsville to participate in the United States General Services Administration contracts for the purchase of various services and support for video processing and surveillance, forensic and fraud prevention, data network engineering, and computer hardware and software maintenance through Sems & Associates Limited, for use by various departments of the City in a total amount not to exceed \$100,000.00, which the Department has entered into pursuant to the United States General Services Administrative Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Communication & Technology now has advised this Council that due in large part to establishment of the City's regional, Consolidated Dispatch Center, additional services and support for video processing and surveillance, forensic and fraud prevention, data network engineering, and computer hardware and software maintenance will be required to be purchased during the remainder of 2014 from Sems & Associates Limited, under Contract No. GS-35F-0434W, for use by the Department of Communication & Technology and various departments of the City; and

WHEREAS, in order to fund the aforesaid additional purchases, it will be necessary to increase the total dollar amount authorized by Ordinance No. 2014-010 from \$100,000.00 to \$175,000.00; and

WHEREAS, this Council, therefore, is desirous of amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 2014-010, in order to increase the amount authorized to be expended by the Director of Communication & Technology for such additional services, support and maintenance of the City's technology needs, with Sems & Associates Limited, from \$100,000.00 to \$175,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO:

**Section 1.** That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 2014-010 be and is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

**“Section 1.** That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to request authority in the name of the City of Strongsville to participate in the United States General Services Administration Federal Supply Schedule, Information Technology contracts for the purchase of various services and support for video processing and surveillance, forensic and fraud prevention, data network engineering, and computer hardware and software maintenance from **SEMS & ASSOCIATES LIMITED** for use by various departments of the City in amounts not to exceed a total of ~~\$100,000.00~~**\$175,000.00** during 2014, based upon the hourly pricing rates set forth in the price list for such contract, which the General Services Administration has entered into pursuant to law, and that is on file with the City’s Director of Communication and Technology.”

**Section 2.** That the funds for the purposes of this Ordinance have been appropriated and shall be paid from the General Fund.

**Section 3.** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance 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.

**Section 4.** That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to increase the amount authorized to be expended for the purchase of such additional services, support and maintenance of the City’s technology needs, for use by the various departments of the City in order to maintain continuity and efficiency in the operation of the Department of Communication and Technology, including the City’s new regional Consolidated Dispatch Center, other City Departments, and to conserve public funds. Therefore, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to 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.

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Michael Daymut  
President of Council

Approved: Thomas Briener  
Mayor

Date Passed: November 3, 2014

Date Approved: November 4, 2014

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Daymut	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
DeMio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dooner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maloney	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Schonhut	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Southworth	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Attest: Aimee Pientka  
Clerk of Council

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