

RESOLUTION 2023-08

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FISCAL OFFICER OF THE VILLAGE OF HIRAM TO  
CREATE A THEN AND NOW PURCHASE ORDER TO PAY MUNICIPAL EMERGENCY  
SERVICES (MES) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the Fiscal Officer of the Village of Hiram has received an invoice for Firefighter protective gear that is needed for the fire department, for which no purchase order existed prior to receiving this invoice; and

**WHEREAS**, the amount of the invoice exceeds \$3,000; and

**WHEREAS**, The Fiscal Officer has certified that at the time of making of the contract or order for services or materials and remaining until the present that a sufficient sum has been appropriated for the purpose of such contract and that said funds are either in the treasury or in the process of collection to the credit of an appropriate fund, free from any previous encumbrances, all as required by and in conformity with Ohio Revised Code 5705.41 (D); and

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the Village of Hiram has determined it is appropriate to pay the amounts set forth in the Resolution.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Village of Hiram, County of Portage, two-thirds or more of the members elected thereto concurring that:

**SECTION 1:** The Village Fiscal Officer has the authority to create a purchase order:

- In the amount of \$5,851.00 to MES for the purchase of Firefighter protective gear, exhibit A.

**SECTION 2:** It is hereby 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 actions were in meeting open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.11 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 3:** This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary to preserve the public health, safety, and general welfare of the inhabitants of the Village and for the further reason that it is essential that the Village pay all of its financial obligations in a timely fashion, and for this reason this Resolution shall go into full force and effect immediately upon passage by two-thirds (2/3's) of the members of Council.

PASSED IN COUNCIL as an Emergency on: April 11, 2023

Mayor Lou Bertrand

ATTEST:

Fiscal Officer Susan J. Skrovan-DeYoung

Approved as to form:

Village Solicitor Thomas Reitz

I SUSAN, Fiscal Officer of the  
Village of Hiram, Ohio, hereby certify that  
the foregoing Resolution or Ordinance  
No. 2023-08 has been duly posted in the  
required 5 places.

4/13/2023   
Date Fiscal Officer, Village of Hiram