

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH LJB INC. FOR THE ENGINEERING AND DESIGN OF THE BENTON PLACE SEWER IMPROVEMENTS, PROJECT 21-3S FOR THE CITY OF MARION, OHIO, APPROPRIATING NECESSARY FUNDS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2020-36 authorized the Service Director to conduct an RFP process for the Benton Place Sewer Improvement Project 21-3S for the City of Marion, Ohio and

WHEREAS, A Request for Proposal process was conducted with proposals due on January 22, 2021 and 2 firms responded. After a review of all proposals, LJB, Inc. was selected and a design fee of \$63,867.00.00 was negotiated.

BE IT ORDAINED BY the Council of the City of Marion, Marion County, Ohio:

Section 1: That the Director of Public Works be directed to enter into contract with LJB, Inc. for the total amount of \$63,867.00 for the Benton Place Sewer Improvement Project 21-3S.

Section 2: That the cost of such contract shall be payable from the Sanitary Sewer and Storm Sewer Improvement Funds, and Auditor is authorized and directed to appropriate the necessary funds.

Section 3: That this ordinance is hereby declared an emergency measure necessary for the welfare of the City of Marion and the inhabitants thereof; and since Benton Place is in dire need of repair; and as such, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the mayor, provided that it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council: otherwise it shall become effective from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Todd Schneider
President of Council

APPROVED:

Mayor Scott Schertzer

ATTEST:

Tarina R. Rose
Clerk of Council
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