

**RESOLUTION NO. R-16-19**

**A RESOLUTION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE DESIGN, PERMITTING,  
PROVISION & INSTALLATION OF A FIRE TRAINING FACILITY  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**WHEREAS**, the Avon Fire Department seeks to provide realistic conditions for fire rescue personnel during training, so they are prepared to perform at the best of their ability as well as department standards during any type of emergency situation; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed location of the facility on the fire department property has been approved by Council in Ord. No. 26-19 on April 8, 2019 and allows on-duty personnel to respond during training evolutions to any real-life emergency in a timely fashion with the appropriate apparatus and equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Engineer in conjunction with the Fire Department has prepared a bid package containing a project scope, supplemental plans, project deliverables and specifications for a design/build project delivery method to obtain the desired fire training facility installation; and

**WHEREAS**, Council finds that it is in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the Community that the City go forward with advertising for public bids of a design/build project delivery method for the Avon Fire Department Fire Training Facility.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, COUNTY OF LORAIN AND STATE OF OHIO:**

Section 1 - That the Clerk of Council is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for public bids for a design/build project delivery method that will provide for the design, permitting, provision and installation of a Fire Training Facility on the rear parking lot south of the Avon Fire Station on Detroit Road. These improvements shall be made pursuant to plans and specifications developed by the City Engineer, Chagrin Valley Engineering, Ltd. and the Avon Fire Department which shall be on file and open for inspection at the Office of the Clerk of Council and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2 - That the City shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Section 3- That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council of the City of Avon concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council of the City of Avon and that all deliberations of this City's Council and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 4- That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon, the immediate emergency being the necessity to advertise for bids for the Avon Fire Department Training Facility in order to expedite the training of department personnel at the earliest possible timeframe; therefore, this resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Craig L. Witherspoon, Council President

DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: \_\_\_\_\_

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Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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John A. Gasior, Law Director

ATTEST:

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Barbara Brooks  
Clerk of Council

Posted: \_\_\_\_\_  
In Five Places as  
Provided by Council

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