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ORDINANCE NO. 268-06

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO, AND JONES & HENRY ENGINEERS, LTD., CONCERNING THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City is pursuing an extensive Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, Jones & Henry Engineers, Ltd., has been providing engineering services to the City for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson and Jones & Henry Engineers, Ltd., desire to amend the Agreement and enter into an agreement to cover the amendments which are necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement with the new amendments will provide additional engineering services required for the Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvement Project, and it is anticipated the costs of these services will be in an amount of \$729,450.00; and

WHEREAS, the City and J&H now desire to enter into the Agreement which is attached as Exhibit "A".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, STATE OF OHIO, as follows:

Section One. The Jackson City Council hereby authorizes the City of Jack son to enter into an Agreement with Jones & Henry Engineers, Ltd., for necessary engineering services associated with the Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvement Project. A copy of the Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit "A". The cost for the services provided in this Agreement are anticipated to be Seven Hundred Twenty Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty and No/100 Dollars (\$729,450.00). The cost for this Agreement shall be paid from line item number 414-7525-53007.

Section Two. This Ordinance is hereby is hereby declared to be an emergency Ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety of the City of Jackson, and for the further reason that it is necessary to enter into this Agreement as soon as possible in order to proceed with the Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvement Project in a timely manner. Therefore, this Ordinance shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

<u>Section Three.</u> In the event this Ordinance receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Ordinance shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

Section Four. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, all in compliance with the law.

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

CLERK OF COUNCIL

Approved:

Date: 12/14/06

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