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ORDINANCE NO. 10-14

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND SERVICE DIRECTOR TO CONTRACT WITH U.S. UTILITY CONTRACTOR CO., INC. FOR INSTALLATION OF POLES AND HARDWARE TO REROUTE THE 795 MCM CIRCUIT AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$210,212.00 AND FINDING THAT EMERGENCY CONDITIONS EXIST SO AS TO OBVIATE ANY FORMAL BIDDING AND ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTRACTS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson has recently been advised by the State of Ohio of a deadline to reroute the 795 MCM circuit so the McCarty Lane intersection reconstruction can be completed without delay or penalty: and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the project requires the purchase and installation of ten poles, hardware, anchors, underground conduits, cable and wire for which acquisition of materials, planning and construction must begin at the earliest possible date to meet the State deadline and that there is insufficient time for advertisement and bidding of the project; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that U.S. Utility Contractor Co., Inc. is a suitable company to perform the required work and has agreed to do so for an amount not to exceed \$210,212.00 to be paid from line item 731-7555-54005.

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes a real and present emergency for the reason that timely completion of circuit reroute is necessary for the preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the City of Jackson and its residents and that, under the authority of R.C. 735.051, the conditions obviate requirements for formal bidding and advertising for contracts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> The legislative authority of the City of Jackson hereby authorizes the Director of Service and Public Safety of the City of Jackson, Ohio to enter into a contract with U.S. Utility Construction Co., Inc. for the required work for an amount not to exceed \$210,212.00 and shall be paid from line item 731-7555-54005.

<u>Section 2.</u> This matter is hereby declared to be an emergency necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety of the City of Jackson, Ohio and that, under the authority of R.C. 735.051, the conditions obviate requirements for formal bidding and advertising for contracts.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal acts of this council concerning and relating to adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this council and that the deliberations of the council and any of its committees resulted in such formal action, wherein meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 27 day of
ATTEST:
Clerk of the Legislative Authority
Approved this 27 day of January, 2014. Range R Weller
Mayor /