

SPONSOR Ondesa Elliott

**ORDINANCE NO. 31-16**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO CAUSE POWER SYSTEM ENGINEERING TO COMPLETE THE ENGINEERING FOR THE LOAD DISTRIBUTION PROJECT SO AS TO CONNECT CITY ELECTRIC SERVICE TO AEP AND DIRECTING PAYMENT TO POWER SYSTEM ENGINEERING IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$210,000 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

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

WHEREAS, this legislative authority has appropriated funds for the Load distribution project; and

WHEREAS, Power System Engineering is currently providing professional engineering services of a specialized nature in furtherance of the load distribution project that is required by the City for the project; and

WHEREAS, the engineering services must be completed at the earliest possible date so as to allow the City to meet deadlines associated with the project;

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THIS LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1:** The Mayor or his designee is authorized cause Power System Engineering to complete the required engineering so that the City electric service can be connected to AEP as required for the load distribution project and to direct payment in an amount not to exceed \$210,000.00 to Power System Engineering, 2327-A State Route 81, Marietta, OH 45750.

**Section 2.** This Ordinance 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, Ohio for the reasons set forth herein. Therefore, this Ordinance shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

**Section 3.** 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.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberations of this Council that resulted in such formal actions were in a 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<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

Sherry Ban  
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

Randy Heath  
Mayor