

TITLE

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF WARREN, OHIO, TO SOLICIT REQUESTS FOR QUALIFICATIONS FROM AN ENGINEERING FIRM AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT(S) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES TO THE CITY OF WARREN, OHIO FOR DESIGN OF THE DRY WEATHER OVERFLOW RELIEF SEWER ON BEHALF OF THE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 12845/19

WHEREAS, the City of Warren, Ohio owns, operates and maintains a sanitary sewage collection system in conformity with all Government and EPA Regulations; and

WHEREAS, in the year 2014, the City of Warren was forced to open a sanitary sewer overflow (SSO) in the downtown area to relieve basement flooding in buildings along West Market Street on Courthouse Square; and

WHEREAS, the City of Warren desires to close this (SSO) and has performed a comprehensive study of its collection system to the best alternatives to accomplish said purpose and the estimated costs of construction in order to complete and submit a project nomination for the WPCLF (Water Pollution Control Loan Fund) to secure a low interest loan from the above mentioned WPCLF (Water Pollution Control Loan Fund); NOW THEREFORE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Warren, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the Mayor and Director of Public Service and Safety be, and hereby are, authorized, for and on behalf of the City of Warren, Ohio to solicit requests for qualifications from an engineering firm and enter into a contract(s) according to Law to design the Dry Weather Overflow Relief Sewer that is necessary to obtain funding from the WPCLF (Water Pollution Control Loan Fund).

Section 2: That any contract(s) to be entered into or participated in to design the Dry Weather Overflow Relief Sewer shall first be approved by the Law Director, and the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to disburse said funds upon receipt of the proper vouchers, signed by the proper persons, for the stated purpose and for no other purpose.

Section 3: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, welfare and safety, and for the further reason to maintain the integrity of the City of Warren, Ohio Waste Water Facility and Pump Stations. WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall go into immediate effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this 13TH day of FEBRUARY, 2019.

SIGNED: [Signature] ATTEST: [Signature]
President of Council Clerk

FILED WITH THE MAYOR: 2-13-19

DATE APPROVED: 2-13-19

[Signature]
MAYOR, CITY OF WARREN, OHIO