

RESOLUTION G2023-84

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF
RADIO'S AND VARIOUS OTHER EQUIPMENT FROM MOTOROLA FOR THE
FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,670.30**

WHEREAS, it has been recommended by the Fire Chief and determined by the Trustees that they need to replace the radios for the Symmes Fire Stations because they have been in service for at least 15 years and the radios they would like to replace have software that is no longer supported on our current radio system; and

WHEREAS, the radios have been budgeted for and is included in the Fire Department's budget for 2023; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to maintain the equipment for the safe and effective operation of Symmes Township Public Safety Divisions and the general public; and

WHEREAS, Symmes Township participates in the Ohio State Term Contract program therefore the Township would not be required to bid out the equipment to multiple vendors; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §505.37, the Board of Trustees ...may purchase, lease, lease with an option to purchase, or otherwise provide any fire apparatus, mechanical resuscitators, underwater rescue and recovery equipment, or other fire equipment, appliances, materials, fire hydrants, and water supply for firefighting and fire and rescue purposes that seems advisable to the board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio:

Section 1. The Symmes Township Trustees hereby authorizes the purchase and installation of new radios and various other equipment from Motorola for the Loveland Symmes Fire Department in the amount of \$35,670.30.

Section 2. The funds for the radios shall be taken from the Fire Levy Fund (#2192).

Section 3. The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to Motorola once the equipment has been delivered and the Fire Chief has given final approval of the project.

Section 4. It is hereby certified that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Board and that all deliberations of the Board were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 5. Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 6. This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

ADOPTED AUGUST 1, 2023 – RESOLUTION G2023-84

Vote Record: Mr. Beck ____ Mr. Bryant ____ Ms. Leis ____

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Philip J. Beck, President

Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President

Jodie L. Leis, Trustee

ATTEST:

Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jeff Forbes, Law Director