

**RESOLUTION G2018-71**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO GROUP  
PURCHASE A SIMMAN 3G FROM LAERDAL MEDICAL CORPORATION IN  
THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000.00**

**WHEREAS**, it has been recommended by the Fire Chief that they would like to purchase a SIMMAN 3G from Laerdal which helps to teach EMS personnel the subtle, and therefore easily missed or confused, differences between many different diseases that the fire fighters/paramedics encounter on a constant basis; and

**WHEREAS**, the SimMan will allow EMS providers to improve their skill set by practicing various procedures including intubating a patient, utilizing basic airway maneuvers, and managing airway complications as well as allowing EMS providers to complete a thorough pulmonary, cardiac and neurological assessment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Chief recommended to the Board to budget for this training simulator in 2018's budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the Loveland Symmes Fire Department will be splitting the cost of this equipment with the City of Loveland, the City of Mason and Symmes Township; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to provide and maintain 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 fire-fighting 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 Fire Department to purchase a SimMan 3G from Laerdal Medical

Corporation in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$25,000.00).

**Section 2.** The funds for the new SimMan 3G shall be taken from the EMS Fund (#14).

**Section 3.** The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to Laerdal Medical Group \$25,000.00, 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 SEPTEMBER 11, 2018 – RESOLUTION G2018-71**

Vote Record: Mr. Bryant \_\_\_\_ Mr. Beck \_\_\_\_ Ms. Leis \_\_\_\_

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES:**

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Kenneth N. Bryant, President

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Philip J. Beck, Vice President

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Jodie L. Leis, Trustee

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Carol A. Sims, Fiscal Officer

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Kevin McDonough, Law Director