

RESOLUTION G2020-78

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO
PURCHASE SECURITY CAMERAS AND ACCESSORIES FROM PCS
CINCINNATI FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AT THE SAFETY SERVICES
CENTER IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY-ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED
ONE DOLLARS AND FIFTEEN CENTS (\$21,301.15)**

WHEREAS, ORC Section 505.43 allows Townships to enter into an agreement with the county sheriff's office to obtain police protection for their residents; and

WHEREAS, ORC Section 505.50 allows the Township to purchase equipment as the Township provides the building, vehicles, gas, and equipment for the manpower it receives from the Hamilton County Sheriff's office; and

WHEREAS, the Township also provides a safety services building for the administrative staff and officers for work use and there is a certain level of security that the building should have; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Trustees that they would like to purchase security cameras for the outside of the building to protect the building and the persons who work inside and protect the chain of evidence; and

WHEREAS, with this purchase 8 cameras will be purchased for the outside and the system/server has the capability to be expanded to 25 cameras if more are purchased for the inside; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to maintain a safe and effective environment for the township residents and the Police Department, Administration and Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, the Township participates in State Term process therefore the Township would not be required to bid out the equipment to multiple vendors.

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 Township Administrator to purchase 8 new security cameras and accessories from PCS Cincinnati in the amount of Twenty-One Thousand Three Hundred One Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$21,301.15).

Section 2. The funds for the security cameras shall be taken from the Safety

Services Levy Fund (#20).

Section 3. The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to PCS Cincinnati in the amount of \$21,301.15.

Section 4. 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 5. Finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were taken in open meetings of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were taken in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including (without limitation) Ohio Revised Code §121.22, except as otherwise permitted thereby.

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

ADOPTED SEPTMEBER 1, 2020 – RESOLUTION G2020-78

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

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Jodie L. Leis, President

Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President

Philip J. Beck, Trustee

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

Jeff Forbes, Law Director