

RESOLUTION NO. 156-2021 (AS), *Second Reading*

By Council Member Seren

A Resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Arthur J. Gallagher & Company for continuation of its protected liability self-insurance program for the City; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland Heights, after careful evaluation of over twenty-five years of experience with its program of protected liability self-insurance, has determined that it is in the best interests of the City to continue such program; and

WHEREAS, the service to be performed by Arthur J. Gallagher & Company is a professional service for which bidding is not required, and after informal evaluation of other alternatives, it has been determined that the fees proposed are competitive and reasonable.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. The City Manager be, and she is hereby, authorized to enter into all necessary agreements with Arthur J. Gallagher & Company and all other necessary entities for the continuation of the City's protected liability self-insurance program for the period from January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022, at a cost not to exceed One Million Seven Thousand Dollars (\$1,007,000.00), in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the proposal from Arthur J. Gallagher & Company, a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of Council.

SECTION 2. All documents and contracts necessary to effectuate the Program shall be approved as to form by the Director of Law.

SECTION 3. Notice of the passage of this Resolution shall be given by publishing the title and abstract of its contents, prepared by the Director of Law, once in one newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cleveland Heights.

SECTION 4. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the need to continue uninterrupted the program of protected liability self-insurance. Wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

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JASON S. STEIN  
President of the Council



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AMY HIMMELEIN  
Clerk of Council

PASSED: December 20, 2021