AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A HEAVY RESCUE 7 FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Fire Chief and the Public Safety and Health Committee have recommended the replacement of the City's Heavy Rescue 7, and the City desires to contract with Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc., of Manassas, Virginia, to purchase a Pierce Impel Heavy Rescue 7; and

WHEREAS, Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc., of Manassas, Virginia, is a party to a cooperative purchasing contract with Sourcewell, a public service cooperative created by the State of Minnesota under the authority of Minn. Stat. § 123A.21, to provide programs and services to public entities and to solicit, evaluate, and award cooperative purchasing contracts through a competitive bidding process for goods and services for all eligible government, education, and nonprofit agencies in the United States and Canada; and

WHEREAS, by entering into this agreement with Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc., of Manassas, Virginia, through its contract with Sourcewell, the City can purchase a Pierce Impel Heavy Rescue 7 under the same terms and conditions, but at a lower cost than what it could acquire through its own selection process.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON LAKE, STATE OF OHIO:

Section No. 1: That the bid by Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc., of Manassas, Virginia, submitted through the Sourcewell Cooperative Program of the State of Minnesota, to supply the City with a Pierce Impel Heavy Rescue 7 for the Fire Department in the amount of \$1,516,220 less a pre-payment amount of \$107,573.47, for a net total of \$1,408,646.53, be and is hereby accepted and approved.

Section No. 2: That upon delivery to this City of a Pierce Impel Heavy Rescue 7 with the proper specifications, to the full satisfaction of the Fire Chief and Finance Director, the Finance Director is hereby directed to deliver Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc., of Manassas, Virginia, the warrant of this City in the amount of \$1,408,646.53 and to cause said warrant to be paid.

<u>Section No. 3</u>: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees which resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section No. 4: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the necessity of taking advantage of the current prices through the Sourcewell Cooperative Program before prices are increased, and further to provide the Fire Department with safe, reliable emergency equipment, thus for the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Avon Lake. Therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

1st reading: 2/24/2025

2<sup>nd</sup> reading: 3<sup>rd</sup> reading:

PASSED: 3/10/2025

POSTED: 3/14/2025 APPROVED: 3/11/2025

ATTEST: /s/Valerie C. Rosmarin
Clerk of Council

/s/Wark A. Spastzel Mayor