

**Village of Mantua, Ohio  
RESOLUTION 2023-28**

**A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF TWO KAWASAKI MULE SX  
4X4 UTILITY VEHICLES USING CORONAVIRUS LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY  
FUNDS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, by approval of Resolution 2022-14 on March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, this Council elected the standard allowance available under the revenue loss provision of the American Rescue Plan Act (“ARPA”) in the amount of \$106,846.00, or such other amount as may constitute its full award, to be used for the general provision of government services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Service Committee has recommended the purchase of two 2023 Kawasaki Mule SX 4x4 utility vehicles for the use of the Service Department; and

**WHEREAS**, because the operation of the Mantua Village Service Department is essential to the provision of government services, the purchase of equipment for that department is deemed to be an appropriate expenditure of Local Fiscal Recovery Funds received pursuant to ARPA; and

**WHEREAS**, this Council now wishes to authorize the herein described purchase using these funds.

**NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED** by the Council of the Village of Mantua, two-thirds or more of the members elected thereto concurring, that:

**SECTION 1.** For the reasons enumerated herein, this Council hereby declares the purchase of two 2023 Kawasaki Mule SX 4x4 utility vehicles for the use of the Service Department to be a high priority governmental purchase for the Village of Mantua, essential for the provision of government services, pursuant to the guidance issued by the United States Treasury for the expenditure of Local Fiscal Recovery Funds awarded under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

**SECTION 2.** This Council hereby finds that the selection of Thrill Point Motor Sports of Medina, OH as vendor for the purchase described herein is a valid micro-purchase and is being made in compliance with Ohio Law and the Village of Mantua Procurement Policy relating to the expenditure of federal grant funds, and that the price quoted is reasonable based on research, experience, purchase history or other information and that its files will be documented accordingly.

**SECTION 3.** The Fiscal Officer of the Village of Mantua is hereby authorized to expend up to \$23,311.00 of Local Fiscal Recovery Funds from the American Rescue Plan Act Fund #2151 for the purchase described herein.

**SECTION 4.** It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in open meetings of this Council, and that deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with Section 121.22 of the

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Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 5.** This Resolution is hereby declared an emergency measure in order to expedite the purchase of equipment necessary for the operation of the Mantua Village Service Department, and shall become effective immediately upon proper passage by at least two-thirds of the members elected to this Council.

**PASSED IN COUNCIL** this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2023.

ATTEST:

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Linda Clark, Mayor

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Maryann Fabian, Fiscal Officer

I hereby certify the above Resolution was posted at the five (5) public notice locations in the Village of Mantua, Ohio on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 2023.

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Maryann Fabian, Fiscal Officer

Approved as to Legal Form:

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Michele Stuck, Solicitor