## **ORDINANCE NO. 2016-042**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH HELMS & SONS EXCAVATING FOR THE SANTEE AND ELY SANITARY SEWER PROJECT NO. 35665500, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Findlay, State of Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That the Director of Public Service of the City of Findlay, Ohio, be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Helms & Sons Excavating for the immediate repairs to the sanitary sewers in the Santee Avenue and Ely Avenue areas.

SECTION 2: That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Findlay, Ohio, and for the further reason it is immediately necessary to enter into said contract so that emergency sanitary sewer repairs to the aforementioned areas may begin expediously.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage

and approval by the Mayor

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Honorable City Council Findlay, OH 45840

> RE: Ordinance No. 2016-042

Council adopted Ordinance No. 2016-034 during the April 5, 2016 City Council meeting which authorized an appropriation of funds. Ordinance No. 2016-042, that is before you tonight, authorizes the Service-Safety Director to enter into a contract with Helms & Sons Excavating to do the work.

Due to the urgency of the project, informal bids were requested from several local contractors with the lowest and best pricing was received from Helms & Sons Excavating, therefore, a contract with them is now needed.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Donald J. Rasmussen

Director of Law