ORDINANCE NO. 2013-043

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR OF THE CITY OF FINDLAY, OHIO TO WAIVE FORMAL ADVERTISING AND BIDDING REQUIREMENTS, AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR CONTRACTS FOR THE CLEARWELL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AT THE CITY'S WATER TREATMENT PLANT TO INSTALL A REPLACEMENT TWENTY-FOUR INCH (24") FINISHED WATER DISTRIBUTION LINE AND BYPASS LINE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the twenty-four inch (24") finished water distribution line at the Water Treatment Plant was damaged during geotechnical investigation for the Clearwell Improvement Project, and:

WHEREAS, the damage to the twenty-four inch (24") finished water distribution line necessitated its removal from service creating an operational deficiency and a real and present emergency, and;

WHEREAS, a twenty-four inch (24") bypass line originally scheduled to be installed as part of the Clearwell Improvement Project should be installed concurrently with the new twenty-four inch (24") finished water distribution line as said lines will be installed in close proximity to one another and for cost efficiencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, 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 Service-Safety Director for the City of Findlay be and he is hereby authorized to waive the formal advertising and bidding process pursuant to §735.051 of the Ohio Revised Code and enter into a contract or contracts to install a replacement twenty-four inch (24") finished water distribution line and bypass line.

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 authorize said waiving of formal advertising and bidding requirements so that the replacement of aforementioned lines may proceed expeditiously.

WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

RESIDENT OF COUNCIL

MAYOR

PASSED July /

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED July 16,2013

CITY COUNCIL, FINDLAY, OHIO 45840