RESOLUTION NO. 2024-____

A RESOLUTION BY COUNCILMEMBERS KIMBERLY JAMES, DABOUZE ANTOINE, HECTOR GUTIERREZ, LATRESA AKINS-WELLS, AND ALLAN MEARS TO AUTHORIZE PURCHASE OF FIRE SUPPRESSION GEAR FOR THE FIRE AND EMS DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the City of Forest Park ("City") is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with being fiscally responsible concerning the use and expenditure of all public funds; and

WHEREAS, the City's Fire and EMS Department finds it necessary to purchase additional fire suppression gear, including five (5) fire instructor sets, jackets, trousers w/suspenders, hoods, gloves, boots, helmets, and jacket patches; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the City's Code of Ordinances, competitive bids are not required for purchases made pursuant to a cooperative purchasing contract; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City has an existing contract with Bennett Fire Products Co., Inc. under which the City can purchase the fire suppression gear; and

WHEREAS, this equipment is necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Forest Park.

THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FOREST PARK HEREBY RESOLVES:

SECTION 1. Approval of Vendor. The quote from Bennett Fire Productions Co., Inc. for fire suppression gear as presented to the Council on May 6, 2024, is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. Public Record. This document shall be maintained as a public record by the City Clerk and shall be accessible to the public during all normal business hours of the City of Forest Park.

SECTION 3. Authorization of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

SECTION 4. Attestation. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this ordinance, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Forest Park as provided in the City Charter.

[SIGNATURES ON FOLLOWING PAGE]

SO RESOLVED this 6th day of May, 2024.

ATTEST:		Angelyne Butler, Mayor
City Clerk	(SEAL)	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:		
City Attorney		